

Lecture by TCS Secretary-General Lee Hee-seop Held

On Friday, September 13, 2024, a lecture was held featuring Mr. Lee Hee-seop, Secretary-General of the Trilateral Cooperation Secretariat (TCS).

In his lecture, Mr. Lee discussed the history of the TCS and its involvement in trilateral cooperation among Japan, China, and South Korea. He provided a comprehensive overview, covering the concrete achievements and significance of trilateral cooperation, as well as the need for overcoming conflicts and mistrust between the three countries. Mr. Lee particularly emphasized that there is no simple solution to resolving the conflicts between Japan, China, and South Korea, stressing the importance of a long process of building mutual trust. This point was presented as a potential guiding direction for considering future developments in East Asian affairs.

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Details

- Date: Friday, September 13, 2024, 15:00–17:00
- Venue: Conference Room, Hirai Kaichiro Memorial Library, Suzaku Campus, Ritsumeikan University
- Organizer: Ritsumeikan University East Asia Peace and Cooperation Research Center
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