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Hold an in-person symposium with

Dr. Augusto Lopez Claros  
Executive Director and Chair of the Global Governance Forum

On

***Global Governance: Emerging Role of global institutions and Japan in the 21st Century***

Tuesday, 16 May 2023

15:00~17:00

Venue

UN University

5th Floor Committee Room 1

5 Chome-53-70 Jingumae, Shibuya City, Tokyo 150-8925

### **Program Outline**

14:30 Registration begins

15:00 Introduction

Arbenita Sopaji, External Relations Officer, ACUNS Tokyo, KPC and GPAJ

15:03 Opening remarks

Tschilizi MARWALA, Under-Secretary-General and Rector of the UN University  
(submitted a written summary of his opening remarks)

15:10 Presentation

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15:30 Discussion

KLEMM Hans, Japan Representative Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America (PhRMA), and Former US Ambassador to Romania and Timor-Leste  
KOMIZO Yasuyoshi, Member, Group of Eminent Persons on the Substantive

Advancement of Nuclear Disarmament

INOMATA Tadanori, Former Ambassador to Costa Rica and Independent Inspector of the Joint Inspection Unit

Ildio Ximenes da Costa, Ambassador of the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste in Japan.

POPOVSKI Vesselin, Vice Dean, Jindal Global Law School, Executive Director, Centre for the Study of the UN

UEKI Yasuhiro, Professor at Sophia University and Former Spokesman of the UN

Moderated by

HASEGAWA Sukehiro, Director of the Kyoto Peacebuilding Center, President of the Global Peacebuilding Association of Japan, and ACUNS Tokyo Liaison Office

17:00 Concluding remarks

17:10 Ends

**AUGUSTO Lopez Claros**



Augusto Lopez Claros is the Executive Director and Chair of the [Global Governance Forum](#). He is an international economist with over 30 years of experience in international organizations, most recently at the World Bank. For the 2018/2019 academic years, Augusto Lopez Claros was a Senior Fellow at the Edmund Walsh School of Foreign Service at Georgetown University. Between 2011 and 2017, he was the World Bank's Global Indicators Group director. Previously he was chief economist and director of the Global Competitiveness Program at the World Economic Forum in Geneva, where he was also the editor of the Global Competitiveness Report, the Forum's flagship publication. Before joining the Forum, he worked for several years in the financial sector in London, with a special focus on emerging markets. He was the IMF's Resident Representative in Russia during the 1990s. Educated in England and the United States, he received a diploma in Mathematical Statistics from Cambridge University and a Ph.D. in Economics from Duke University. Recent publications include *Equality for Women = Prosperity for All* (2018, St. Martin's Press, with B. Nakhjavani). A list of recent lectures can be found at: [www.augustolopezclaros.com](http://www.augustolopezclaros.com). In May of 2018 Sweden's Global Challenges Foundation awarded Lopez-Claros the New Shape Prize for his work (with Arthur Dahl and Maja Groff) [Global Governance and the Emergence of Global Institutions for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century](#) published as a book in 2020 by Cambridge University Press.

**MARWALA Tschilidzi** (submitted his written opening remarks)



Tshilidzi Marwala is the Rector of the United Nations (UN) University and UN Under-Secretary-General starting from March 2023. He is an accomplished scholar with multidisciplinary research interests that include the theory and application of artificial intelligence to engineering, computer science, finance, social science and medicine. He has an extensive track record in human capacity development and has published 23 books on artificial intelligence.

**HANS Klemm**



Hans Klemm is the Japan Representative at the Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America (PhRMA). PhRMA represents leading biopharmaceutical research companies and since 2000, PhRMA member companies have invested more than \$1 trillion in the search for new treatments and cures, including \$91.1 billion in 2020 alone. PhRMA works to advance policies that protect biopharmaceutical innovation and increase patent access to innovative medicines. Ambassador Klemm is based in PhRMA's Tokyo office, leading government, policy, and public affairs for PhRMA in Japan. Japan is the second largest market in the world for innovative biopharmaceuticals, behind the United States, with total sales of approximately \$39 billion in 2020. Before joining PhRMA, Ambassador Klemm worked for nearly four decades as an American diplomat. He served as ambassador to Romania and to Timor-Leste and as chief human resources officer for the U.S. Department of State. In addition to representing the U.S. as coordinator for Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC), Ambassador Klemm worked at the U.S. Embassy in Tokyo on multiple occasions and served at U.S. embassies in Afghanistan, Korea, Germany, and Trinidad and Tobago. He graduated from Stanford University (M.A.) and Indiana University (B.A.).

**KOMIZO Yasuyoshi**



Member, Group of Eminent Persons on the Substantive Advancement of Nuclear Disarmament, Secretary General, Mayors for Peace (2013-2019), Chairperson, Hiroshima Peace Culture Foundation (2013-2019), Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Japan to the State of Kuwait (2010-2012), Ambassador, Permanent Mission of Japan to The International Organizations in Vienna (2008-2010), Director, International Nuclear Energy Cooperation Division, Nuclear Disarmament, Non-Proliferation and Science Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan(MOFA) (2004-2008), Senior Assistant for Legal Affairs, Treaties Bureau, MOFA (2002-2004), Special Assistant to the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) (1997-2002). Mr. Komizo also served at various divisions of MOFA, including Economic affairs Division of the United Nations bureau, Personnel Division, Legal Division of the Treaties Bureau, Second South East Asia Division of Asian Affairs Bureau, and International Agreements Division of the Treaties Bureau.

#### **INOMATA Tadamichi**



Former Ambassador of Japan to Costa Rica, and Independent Inspector of the Joint Inspection Unit of the United Nations system, (the only independent external oversight body of the United Nations system mandated to conduct evaluations, inspections and investigations system-wide 2005-2014). Strategic Advisor for Global Relations and Visiting Professor of Nagasaki University: and a Lecturer at the UNU Institute for the Advanced Study of Sustainability. Acted as Presentator in Tokyo Forum; Thematic session 4 on “UN System’s Public Policy and Governance for Peace Building Activities” on 2 November 2019.

#### **DA COSTA Ildio Ximenes**



Ambassador Da Costa has an experience more than 25 years in government, political affairs, advocacy, advisory and NGO. Hold various positions in different field as advisory, executive directors and politician. Has successful lead the Secretary of State for Professional Training and Employment Policy (SEPFPOPE) created and established numerous of policy and procedures for the manpower sector and promotion and gender equality.

#### **VESSELIN Popovski**



Vesselin Popovski, Founding Executive Director of Centre for UN Studies and Vice Dean of Jindal Global Law School. In 2004-2014 Senior Academic Officer, Head of 'Peace and Governance' Programme at UNU, Tokyo. Prior to that Co-Director of EU project 'Legal Protection of Individual Rights in Russia' and Assistant Professor, Exeter University, UK. Ph.D. King's College London; M.Sc. London School of Economics; B.A./M.A. Moscow Institute of International Affairs. Over twenty books, among them *Re-Imagination of International Legal Order* (2023); *Fulfilling the SDGs* (2021); *Global Approaches to Peace* (2019); *Implementation of Paris Agreement on Climate Change* (2018); *Emotions in International Politics* (2016); *Security Council as Global Legislator* (2014); *International Rule of Law and Professional Ethics* (2014); *Legality and Legitimacy in Global Affairs* (2012); *World Religions and Norms of War* (2009); *International Criminal Accountability and Child Rights* (2006). Co-writer of 'Declaration on the Right to International Solidarity' (2021); 'Responsibility to Protect' ICISS Report (2001), 'Princeton Principles of Universal Jurisdiction' (2000).

#### **UEKI Yasuhiro**



Dr. Yasuhiro Ueki is currently a Professor in the Graduate School of Global Studies at Sophia University in Tokyo. Prior to that, he worked in the United Nations for nearly 30 years, mostly in the Department of Public Information and in the Office of the Spokesperson for the Secretary-General. Dr. Ueki served as Electoral Supervisor in Namibia, as Electoral Operations Officer in South Africa, as Political Affairs Officer and Deputy Spokesman in East Timor, as Spokesman for the UN Monitoring Verification and Inspection Mission (UNMOVIC) in Iraq, and as Public Information Officer for the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (UNOCHA) in Banda Aceh, Indonesia, among others. He also worked in the Political Section of the Japanese Mission to the United Nations for a couple of years.