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# Program

# Kobe COE Advanced Economic Study Series (8<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> May, 2007)

### Tue, 8th May

- 13:20-14:50 Paul Ryan (Professor King's College London), "School-to-work issues in advanced economies" (Seminar)
- 15:10-16:40 Takeshi Koba (Assistant Professor Kobe University), "The retirement of baby-boomers in Japan and loss of skills"(Seminar)
- 18:00- Reception (at "Sakura")

# Wed, 9th May

- 10:40-12:10 Paul Ryan (Professor King's College London), "The 'training market' in liberal market economies" (Lecture)
- 13:20-14:50 Atsushi Morimoto (Graduate School of Economics Kobe University), "Skill-biased technological changes and substitutabilities between age groups in Japan"

#### Fir, 11th May

13:20-14:50 Paul Ryan (Professor King's College London), "The finance of the public services considered in relation to Baumol's cost disease and fiscal restriction" (Lecture)