One day Conference on

International Economics and Globalization

Jointly organized by Institute of Economics, Chukyo University and Institute of Economics, Nagoya City University

October 4, 2008, Saturday

Medium Conference Hall, Conference Building, Yagoto Campus, Chukyo University

10:00-10:30 Registration

10:30-10:40 Welcome Address
*Moderator, Takaji Suzuki, Chukyo University
*Welcoming and Opening Remarks, Shimono Keiko, Nagoya City University

10:40-12:40 Session 1 *Chair, Keiko Nakayama, Chukyo University

*Speaker 1, Kenji Kondoh, Chukyo University
"International Factor Mobility, Efficiency Wage Rate, and Imperfect Competition"
*Speaker 2, Shigemi Yabuuchi, Nagoya City University

"Can International Factor Mobility Reduce Wage Inequality in a Dual Economy?"

12:40-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:00 Session 2

*Chair, Kenji Kondoh, Chukyo University

*Speaker 3, Shimono Keiko, Nagoya City University

"Labour Shortage in Japan?: Foreign Workers at Low-paid Jobs"

15:00-15:20 Coffee Break

15:20-17:20 Session 3

*Chair, Makoto Tawada, Nagoya University

*Speaker 4, Ryuhei Wakasugi, Kyoto University

"Premia of Offshoring: Evidence from Japanese Manufacturing Firms" *Speaker 5, Eden S. H. Yu, City University of Hong Kong "Imperfect Capital Mobility: A General Approach to the Two-Sector Harris-Todaro Model"

17:20-17:30 Conference ClosingModerator, Takaji Suzuki, Chukyo UniversityFinal Remarks, Kenji Kondoh, Chukyo University