

Panelists' Profile

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Prof. Dr. Morichi graduated Dept. of Civil Engineering, University of Tokyo in 1966 and achieved his Dr. of Engineering degree at University of Tokyo. After working in Japan National Railway, he had been an associate professor, a professor, Dept. of Civil Engineering, Tokyo Institute of Technology, and a professor, University of Tokyo from 1996. From 2004 to 2014 he was appointed as professor and Director of development Policy Program in GRIPS (National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies), and as Director, the Policy Research Center, GRIPS from 2011. He had been in charge of President of the Japan Society Highway Engineers, the Japan Society of Civil Engineers, the Eastern Asia Society for Transportation Studies, and ITPS (the Institute for Transport Policy Studies). He has worked as an adviser of Japanese and foreign Governments.

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