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9:30 Opening Remarks: Professor Noriko Mizuta, Chancellor, Josai University Educational Corporation; V4 Ambassador to Japan (TBD)

10:00 Opening Remarks

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Mr. Szerdahelyi István, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Hungary

Mr. Michal Kottman, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Slovak Republic

10:20-10:40 Keynote Speech

Mr Jozef Polakovič, PhD., Deputy Director, Department of Analysis and Policy

“Planning, Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs of the Slovak Republic”

10:40–11:20 Session 1- Regional Disparities in Slovakia and Japan; and Possible Approaches to Their Mitigation (スロヴァキアと日本における地域格差とその低減へのアプローチ)

Presenters: Jana Kolesárová (University of Prešov in Prešov)

Anna Židová (University of Prešov in Prešov)

SEKI Tomohiro (Graduate School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, JU)

Panelists: Dániel Horváthy (Eötvös Loránd University)

Zsanett László (Eötvös Loránd University)

Emilia Zyšk (University of Warsaw, JIU)

MC: Prof. IIDA

11:35–12:15 Session 2 - V4 plus Japan Exchange Year: The Methods of Deepening Understanding between Countries (V4+日本交流年：両国の相互理解を深める方法)

Presenter: Sylwia Matusiak (University of Łódź)

Panelists: KONOMI Azusa (Graduate School of International Administration, JIU)

UJIIE Syuko (Faculty of International Humanities, JIU)

SUZUKI Yudai (Faculty of International Humanities, JIU)

Alicja Ciszewska (University of Warsaw, JIU)

MC: Prof. SHIBA Nobuhiro

13:15–13:55 Session 3 - Euro and Its Implications for V4 Countries

(通貨ユーロと V4 各国の取り組み)

Presenters: Dr. Radek Čajka (University of Economics, Prague)

Adam Szaga (University of Warsaw, JIU)

Panelists: KATAGIRI Daiki (Faculty of International Humanities, JIU)

Lajos Toth (Budapest Business School, JIU)

13:55 – 14:10 Coffee Break

14:10–15:00 Session 4 - Tokyo 2020: How Can Sport Bring Nations and Organizations

Closer? (東京 2020 年 : スポーツによって国家と組織をどう密接に結びつけるか)

Presenters: Emese Schimó (Budapest Business School)

ARAKAKI Shinchia Yuko (Faculty of International Humanities, JIU)

SUZUKI Kozue (Faculty of International Humanities, JIU)

Panelists: Nikoletta Mucsányi (Károli Gáspár University of the Reformed Church in Hungary, JIU)

HAGIWARA Kurumi (Faculty of Tourism, JIU)

KIYONO Arisa (Faculty of International Humanities, JIU)

MC: Prof. NANAI

15:00-15:15 Sum up the discussion

Professor SHIBA Nobuhiro, Vice Director Josai Institute for Central European Studies

Visiting Professor Andrew Horvat, Faculty of International Humanities, JIU

15:15-15:30 Closing Speech

Professor YANAGISAWA Hakuo, President of Josai International University

15:30-16:30 Reception