



THE 45th JAIF ANNUAL CONFERENCE

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As one of its major activities, JAIF holds its Annual Conference every spring, inviting a broad range of nuclear-related participants from Japan and around the world. This conference is one of the biggest events in the global nuclear industry, drawing some 1,200 specialists/experts in nuclear and other far-ranging fields. The Conference participants make presentations and take part in discussions on important matters affecting the development and use of energy and nuclear power. An important mission for JAIF is sorting out the key issues raised at each conference and consolidating its own suggestions toward solutions, including making proposals to the government and identifying challenges for the nuclear industry.

The accident at the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station (NPS), owned and operated by the Tokyo Electric Power Co. (TEPCO), occurred after the Great East Japan Earthquake and following Tsunami on March 11, 2011. The accident was the major blow to the public confidence in nuclear safety globally. The environment surrounding nuclear power development has changed drastically since then.

With this recognition, the 45th JAIF Annual Conference will focus on Fukushima Accident. Following agendas are envisaged at this moment.

- Facts, findings, and analysis about the accident that is known as of one year.
- Re-examination of the significant aspects.
- Discussion on lessons learned.
- Discussion on how the world nuclear community will make use of the lessons by integrating wisdom around the world.

Preparations, including decisions on a keynote theme and programs, will reflect developments hereafter at the site and other movements domestically and internationally.

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