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Through keynote speeches and panel discussions by experts on methane emission reduction and the installing the Fukuoka Method overseas, we will consider how the semi-aerobic landfill structure "Fukuoka Method" can contribute to improving the living environment in cities facing challenges in reducing methane gas emissions and solid waste management.

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## Programme

### Opening remarks
12:30

Yoshihiro Mizutani, Director for International Cooperation for Transition to Decarbonization and Sustainable Infrastructure Global Environment Bureau, Ministry of the Environment, Japan

### Keynote speech
12:33

1. Donovan Storey, Waste Expert of Climate and Clean Air Coalition (CCAC) Secretariat  
   - Introduction of the latest information on methane reduction promotion activities (global methane pledge, etc.)
2. Yasushi Matsufuji, Professor Emeritus, Fukuoka Univ. and Chairperson of SWAN-Fukuoka  

### Introduction of Fukuoka City’s initiatives
12:53

Takuya Nakamura, Chief Executive, Environmental Bureau, Fukuoka city

### Introduction of financial support scheme for methane reduction
12:58

- Virender Kumar Duggal  
  Principal Climate Change Specialist, Climate Change, Resilience and Environment Cluster, Climate Change and Sustainable Development Department, Asian Development Bank (ADB)
- Alois Posekufa Mhlanga  
  Chief Climate Technologies Innovation Unit Division of Decarbonisation and Sustainable Energy Directorate of Technical Cooperation and Sustainable Industrial Development, United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO)

### Case studies
13:05

- Monica Kingori, Assistant Director Environment-Kiambu County
- Cynthia Malava / Taisuke Odera, Eight-Japan Engineering Consultants Inc.
- Sachiy Hoshino, Special Adviser to Regional Representative at UN-Habitat Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific-Fukuoka

### Panel discussion
13:20

**Panelists**: The following two speakers will join Keynote Speech #2 and Case Study speakers.
- Myriam Jenayah, Director, Tunisia Waste Authority ANGeD
- Akihiro Miyazaki  
  Deputy Director General, Group Director for Environmental Management and Climate Change Global Environment Department, Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)

**Facilitator**: Sachiyo Hoshino

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**Organizer**: Ministry of the Environment Japan

**Co-Organizer**: Fukuoka City

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