



**The 3rd WORLD CONGRESS  
on PROBATION  
JAPAN 2017**  
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世界保護観察会議

—Development of Probation and the Role of the Community—

September 12-14 2017

Shinagawa Prince Hotel

TOKYO



### ORGANIZERS

- ◇ Ministry of Justice
- ◇ United Nations Asia and Far East Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders (UNAFEI)
- ◇ Japan Rehabilitation Aid Association
- ◇ The National Federation of Volunteer Probation Officers
- ◇ The National Association of Offenders Rehabilitation Services
- ◇ Japanese Association of Offenders Rehabilitation

### SUPPORTERS

#### (Japanese Organizations)

Tokyo, Japan Business Federation (Keidanren), Japan Federation of Big Brothers and Sisters, Japan Women's Association for Rehabilitation Aid, National Organization for Employment of Offenders, Offenders Rehabilitation Services Development Foundation, Tachikawa Offenders Rehabilitation Foundation, Volunteer Probation Officers Association in Support of UNAFEI's Activities

#### (International Organizations)

American Probation and Parole Association (APPA), Asia Crime Prevention Foundation (ACPF), Confederation of European Probation (CEP), International Community Corrections Association (ICCA), International Corrections and Prisons Association (ICPA)



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*Japan cordially invites you to attend the Third World Congress on Probation, where we look forward to welcoming policymakers, practitioners and researchers involved in probation and community corrections from all over the world.*

*The World Congress on Probation—the world’s largest forum in its field—aims to promote and develop probation and community corrections by sharing practical and academic knowledge, as well as broadening global networks in this field.*

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## REGISTRATION

Please register your participation through our website below:

The Advance Registration Fee will be JPY 30,000 (On or Before 31 July at 23:59JST).

The Standard Registration Fee will be JPY 35,000 (From 1 to 31 August).

The On-Site Registration Fee will be JPY 40,000 (On or After 1 September).

※ The registration fee includes four meals: Welcome Reception (12th Sep), lunch and Reception (13th Sep) and lunch (14th Sep).

## WEBSITE

<http://www.moj.go.jp/HOGO/WCP3/>

## VENUE

Shinagawa Prince Hotel

4-10-30 Takanawa, Minato-ku, Tokyo, 108-8611

<http://www.princehotels.com/en/shinagawa>

## ACCOMMODATION

Please arrange your own transportation and accommodation.

If you would like, you may book your accommodation at the Shinagawa Prince Hotel through our website at conference rate. (The number of rooms is limited.)

In addition, there are other hotels near Shinagawa Station within walking distance of the Shinagawa Prince Hotel.



## THEME

### “Development of Probation and the Role of the Community”

Policymakers, practitioners and researchers throughout the world have developed a variety of systems and measures of probation and community corrections compatible with each country’s culture and society (e.g., policy, economic conditions and criminal justice system). In addition, criminal justice practitioners and researchers have conducted studies on the effectiveness of probation and community corrections.

The objectives of the Third World Congress are to contribute to further development of probation and community corrections throughout the world by sharing knowledge and experiences, taking account of social and cultural diversity in each country. The main theme includes “the role of the community” because each participant is expected to have a deep understanding of the importance of the active involvement of the community in the prevention of recidivism and the promotion of offender rehabilitation.

## PROGRAM (Tentative)

12th Sep (Tue)	8 : 00 ~ 17 : 00	Study Tour
	18 : 00 ~ 20 : 00	Welcome Reception
13th Sep (Wed)	9 : 30 ~ 10 : 15	Opening Ceremony
	10 : 15 ~ 12 : 05	Keynote Speech①, Keynote Speech②
	13 : 05 ~ 17 : 30	Workshop, Keynote Speech③
	18 : 00 ~ 20 : 00	Reception
14th Sep (Thu)	9 : 10 ~ 12 : 00	Special Speech, Plenary Session
	13 : 05 ~ 16 : 30	Workshop, Keynote Speech④
	16 : 30 ~ 17 : 00	Closing Ceremony

※ The Second Asia Volunteer Probation Officers Meeting will be held from 15:00 to 17:30 on Tuesday, 12 September

## Plenary Session

Presentations on “Probation, Public Participation and Public Engagement” are given from speakers from Australia, Japan, Kenya, the Netherlands and Thailand. This session will focus on the “good practices” in public participation of each country.



## KEYNOTE SPEECHES • SPECIAL SPEECH

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**Dr. Frank Porporino** : T3 Associates Training and Consulting Inc. (CANADA)

[Developments and challenges in probation practice: Is there a way forward for establishing effective and sustainable probation systems?]

**Professor Peter Raynor** : Swansea University (UK)

[Effective Probation : The past, present and future of probation research]

**Professor Todd Clear** : Rutgers University (USA)

[Imagining probation values in alive everyday practice]

**Ms. Tomoko Akane** : Ambassador for International Judicial Cooperation of Japan

[Future of probation : Asian experiences and the role of the community]

### **[ SPECIAL SPEECH ]**

**Mr. Ryohei Miyata** : Commissioner for Cultural Affairs (JAPAN)

[The moment of “TOKIMEKI” —Art and the spirit of offender rehabilitation—]

## WORKSHOP

In the workshop, 12 sessions, which consist of 45 presentations and discussions by practitioners and researchers from 16 countries, will be held in line with the following main themes:

- Development of Policies and Practices on Community Corrections
- Evidence-based Theories and Practices & Offenders with Special Needs
- The Role of the Community

The sessions held under the theme of “Development of Policies and Practices on Community treatment” will have a variety of discussions about unique approaches of community-based measures in each country, international diversity, international cooperation, capacity building of professional staff, and Offender Rehabilitation Facilities.

The sessions held under the theme of “Evidence-based Theories and Practices & Offenders with Special Needs” will address evidence-based practices for assessment and effective treatment for offenders including sex offenders, drug abusers/addicts and violent offenders. Regarding “The Role of the Community”, there will be various discussions that include perspectives on the process of offender reintegration and the roles of those who support offender rehabilitation (e.g., volunteer probation officers, private sector organizations, ex-offenders).

These sessions will provide participants with great opportunities to learn from and exchange a variety of community corrections measures and practices from around the world.

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