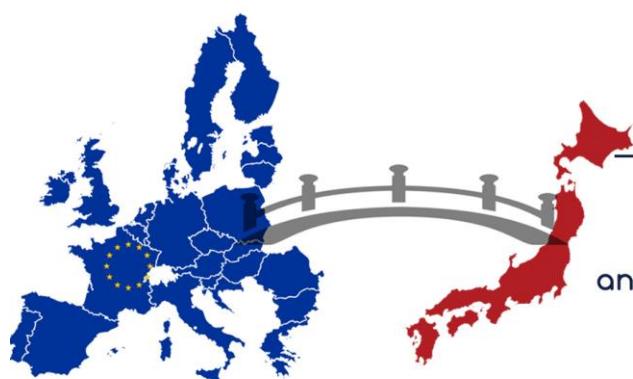


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Conference:

THE JAPAN - EU ECONOMIC PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT and its Impact on Japan-Romania Cooperation

24th of October 2018, 09⁰⁰ – 14⁰⁰
Aurel Ghibutiu Hall
CCIR Business Center

Time	Activity
09:00 – 09:30	Registration, Coffee & Networking
09:30 – 10:00	Welcoming remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Mihai Daraban, President of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Romania- Angela Cristea, Head of the European Commission Representation in Romania- Takahiko Watabe, Chargé d'affaires a.i., Embassy of Japan in Romania, Bucharest
10:00 – 10:30	Keynote Speech – <i>Rising protectionism and opportunities from EU-Japan EPA</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Prof. Motoshige Itoh, PhD., Gakushuin University, Tokyo
10:30 – 11:15	Session 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>The benefits of EPA for Romanian SMEs</i> Sorin-Valeriu Naş, Secretary of State, Ministry of Business Community, Commerce and Entrepreneurship- <i>How Romania can contribute to the fruitful implementation of the EU-Japan EPA?</i> Viorel Isticioaia – Budura, DG Level Ambassador at-large for Asian Affairs; Former Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the European Union to Japan- <i>The effects of EPA on investor protections and dispute settlement</i> Victoria Câmpeanu, PhD., Professor at the University of Bucharest; Specialist in the area of trade policies, trade negotiations and European Affairs

11:15 – 11:30	Coffee break
11:30 – 12:15	<p>Session 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>The survey results on the perception of the Romanian business community about EPA</i> Virgil Goagă, Director of Foreign Affairs Department, Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Romania - <i>Romania on the Japanese Market after the EU Accession</i> Radu Șerban, PhD., Former Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Romania to Japan - <i>EU-Japan EPA and its economic impact</i> Yasuo Yamamoto, Chief Representative London Office, Mizuho Research Institute Ltd.
12:15 – 12:30	Q&A session
12:30 – 12:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Closing remarks Prof. Motoshige Itoh, PhD., Gakushuin University, Tokyo
12:45 – 14:00	Buffet Lunch & Networking
Event moderator:	<i>Cristian Pantazi, Editor in chief, G4media.ro</i>