



# BRIDGING ITALY AND JAPAN RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES 2025

5 December 2025 | h. 13.30-17.30

Sala Lauree

Faculty of Political, Economic and Social Sciences

Via Conservatorio 7, Milan

## Program

13.30 Welcome Coffee

### 13.45 WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS

Catenaccio Paola • Vice Rector for Internationalisation at the University of Milan

Pedersini Roberto • Director of the Department of Social and Political Sciences, University of Milan

Digennero Pierluigi • Department of Social and Political Sciences, University of Milan

Colombo Giorgio Fabio • President of the Italian JSPS Alumni Association, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

14.15 Kobayashi Toshiaki • Consul General of Japan in Milan

### 14.30 UNIMI-JSPS INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP - RESEARCH AND MOBILITY OPPORTUNITIES BETWEEN ITALY AND JAPAN

Chair Bandini Stefania • Vice President of the Italian JSPS Alumni Association, University of Milano-Bicocca

#### The University of Milan: an overview on research and mobility with Japan

Catenaccio Paola • Vice Rector for Internationalisation at the University of Milan

#### JSPS: introduction and funding opportunities of research in Japan

Takagi Toshiyuki • Director of the JSPS Strasbourg

Shoda Natsuki • Deputy Director of the JSPS Strasbourg

Shiroma Masato • International Program Associate of the JSPS Strasbourg

15.30 Refreshments and Networking Break

### 16.10 WORKSHOP: JSPS ALUMNI/AE EXPERIENCES

Chair Cavaliere Paola • Department of Languages, Literatures, Cultures and Mediation, University of Milan

#### JSPS Alumni/ae Italy: perspectives and future goals

Barbieri Francesco Eugenio • University of Bergamo

Li Voti Roberto • Sapienza University of Rome

Frasnelli Elisa • University of Trento

### 17.10 QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION AND CONCLUDING REMARKS

Chair Digennero Pierluigi • Department of Social and Political Sciences, University of Milan

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