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One year after 3/11

First anniversary of the Fukushima Catastrophe

Documentation

- Kawasaki Akira - The Fukushima Nuclear Accident and Japanese Public Opinion (JP) (EN)
- Mycle Schneider - The Status of Nuclear Power in the World
- Aileen Mioko Smith - Japan A Deadly Combination of Earthquakes and Nuclear Power
- Jan Beranek - Sustainable Energy Future
- Keith Baverstock -The Fukushima accident- source term and consequences
- Masashi Goto Earthquake, Tsunami and Fukushima Daiichi NPP Accident ©Masashi Goto, Unauthorized reproduction prohibited

- Watch the video of the commemorative action
- Watch the recorded livestream of the conference
  (Audio: Original, EN, DE, FR)

- Watch the introduction video (EN)

PROGRAMME (All times are local)

6 March 2012 – 18:30 - Film screening

Welcome

World Premiere of "***Recits de Fukushima"*** *("Stories from Fukushima*") by Alain de Halleux

- Video: Récits de Fukushima - Bande-annonce (FR)

"***Mapping Fukushima***" by **Kiyoshi Nanasawa** et. al. Followed by debate.

Hosted by **Rebecca Harms**, President of the Greens/EFA Group in the European Parliament and **Michèle Rivasi**, MEP
With remarks of **Kenichi Hasegawa**, Leader of Maeda district, Iitate village, Fukushima Prefecture

7 March 2012 - all day - conference

10:00-10:15

Welcome and Introduction

Rebecca Harms, President of the Greens/EFA Group in the European Parliament:

10:15-10:45

Special Keynote Speech

Eisaku SATO, former governor of the Fukushima Prefecture
A man-made disaster – About origins and responsibilities

10:45- 12:30

The Fukushima Disaster and Impacts

- **Rebecca Harms**, President of the Greens/EFA Group in the European Parliament: Moderation
- **Masashi Goto**, Dr. of Engineering, University Lecturer, former Toshiba reactor designer
  Accident Origin: earthquake or tsunami? The current state on site: Stabilization, really?

- **Kenichi Hasegawa**, Leader of Maeda district, Iitate village, Fukushima Prefecture
  Consequences for life in the Fukushima region

- **Keith Baverstock**, Docent in the Department of Environmental Science at the University of Eastern Finland: ***Source term and exposure limits***
- **Aileen Mioko Smith**, Board Member of Green Action
  Environmental impacts, food safety, information policy and the role of NGOs

12:30-14:00

Lunch break

14:00-16:00

Consequences of the Disaster in Japan, Europe and the World

- ***Yannick Jadot**, MEP: Moderation*
- ***Steve Thomas**, Professor of Energy Studies, University of Greenwich*
  Economics of nuclear power

- ***Gueorgui Kastchiev**, senior scientist at the University of Vienna, former head of the Bulgarian Nuclear Safety Authority*
  Nuclear safety

Nuclear propaganda and public opinion

- ***Bart Staes**, MEP: Moderation*
- ***Akira Kawasaki**, Peace Boat Executive Committee member*

- ***Eloi Glorieux**, nuclear campaigner Greenpeace Belgium*

Impact in selected countries

- **Mycle Schneider**, Independent Consultant on Energy and Nuclear Policy
  Overview and outlook

16:00-17:30

Sustainable Energy Future - Get it done!

- **Bart Staes**, MEP: Moderation
- **Claude Turmes**, MEP: What has to be done on the political level

- **Which challenges, which opportunities**
  - **Eddie O'Connor**, COE Mainstream Renewable Power
  - **Aileen Mioko Smith**, Executive Director of Green Apple
  - **Tobias Münchmeyer**, Polical Unit Deputy Director Greenpeace Germany
  - **Jan Beránek**, Head of Nuclear Campaign Greenpeace International

17:30

Conclusion

- ***Bas Eickhout**, MEP*

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