

# 15TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON JAPANESE LANGUAGE EDUCATION IN MALAYSIA

Oct 6th 2018  
Kuala Lumpur

## TIME AND VENUE

9.00am-8.00pm  
ADK 1&2,  
Ambang Asuhan Jepun  
Universiti Malaya

## HIGHLIGHTS

### AM

- KEYNOTE PRESENTATION
- PANEL DISCUSSION

### PM

- ORAL PRESENTATION
- POSTER PRESENTATION
- TEACHER'S CORNER
- SEMINAR DINNER (6.00pm)

## KEYNOTE PRESENTATION

PROFESSOR CHIHIRO KINOSHITA THOMSON  
Japanese Studies in the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences  
University of New South Wales (UNSW, Sydney) Australia



## JAPANESE LANGUAGE EDUCATION CONNECTING PEOPLE AND CONNECTED TO THE WORLD

### 「人とつながり世界とつながる日本語教育」

Language education should not merely aim to equip learners with linguistic skills but should aim to nurture learners with the agency to express themselves and connect with others by using the language. This implies a shift from the traditional educational goal of 'I can do this myself' to a new, more inclusive goal of 'I can do this with the support of others'.

Our Japanese classrooms, as small communities, are just like the society we live in, where we connect with each other and learn by getting help from others.

I will discuss Japanese language education that connects people and its underpinning learning theories, while I share our classroom practices from an Australian university.

## PANEL DISCUSSION

### Moderator:

**Dr Zoraida Mustafa**  
Faculty of Major Language Studies  
Universiti Sains Islam Malaysia

### Panels:

**Fiona Toh Shu Chew**  
Sekolah Menengah Sains Miri

**Didi Ng Guat Ding**  
The School of Languages,  
Literacies and Translation  
Universiti Sains Malaysia

**Dr Jamila Mohd**  
Ambang Asuhan Jepun  
Universiti Malaya

## REGISTRATION

Interested parties may register online at:  
<https://goo.gl/NAW6Mu>

Participation Fee: **RM20**  
Seminar Dinner: **RM30**  
Closing Date: **28 September (Friday)**

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