JETRO INVITATION PROGRAM Environmental and Water Sector Business Matching Program in Osaka (tentative)

JETRO will invite overseas corporations to Environmental and Water Sector Business Matching Program in Osaka.

Japan's Kansai area, including Osaka, Kobe and Kyoto, is home to a number of Japan's largest corporations and some of the country's most innovative small & medium-sized enterprises. Cutting-edge manufacturing technologies combined with an ambitious entrepreneurial spirit have made Kansai a world leader in renewable water and environmental technology. JETRO will organize individual business meetings between leading business entities from overseas and Kansai's local ones in the respected field. Come take advantage of this occasion to visit Japan and explore new business opportunities with unique and highly skilled Japanese suppliers.

ENVIORNMENTAL AND WATER SECTOR BUSINESS MATCHING PROGRAM IN OSAKA

November 16 (Mon)– November 20(Fri), 2015 Organizer: JETRO Osaka Co-organizer: Osaka Prefectural Government, Osaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Osaka Foundation for Trade & Industry

Monday, November 16	Arrive at Osaka
Tuesday, November 17	 AM : Briefing session PM : Open Innovation event (by overseas invitees) (tentative) @Hotel in Osaka Evening : Networking Event Stay in Osaka
Wednesday, November 18	All day : Business Meeting Event @Hotel in Osaka Stay in Osaka
Thursday, November 19	AM : Business Meeting Event @Hotel in Osaka PM : Supplier's site visit (to be arranged independently) Stay in Osaka
Friday , November 20	Depart from Osaka

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Potential Invitees

(shall be selected based on application)

Corporate executives or decision makers of overseas companies seeking Japanese technologies in:

- Environmental sector: Waste treatment, Recycle, Wastewater and Sewage treatment, Exhaust gas treatment, Water purification, Sludge treatment, Biomass, Solid waste treatment, Water efficiency equipment.
- Companies interested in purchase of Japanese products mentioned above
- Companies interested in business collaboration with the products/ technologies mentioned above
- Companies currently seeking Japanese partners to develop your businesses in the respected field

Benefits to Participant Company

- JETRO will arrange one-on-one business meetings for your company during the event.
- An interpreter will be arranged to each participant company during the program.

Expenses to be covered by JETRO

• Air ticket (Business Class): Round-trip ticket issued by JETRO (payment in kind)

16 Nov. (Arrival date) - 20 Nov. (Departure date)

- Airport Limousine Bus or Airport Express Train Ticket to/from Osaka City Center
- Accommodation: Designate by JETRO, including breakfast 16 Nov. (Check in) - 20 Nov. (Check out) period
- Interpreter: An interpreter per company will be appointed for the B to B meetings

Cost burden by Participant Company

- Personal travel insurance
- Per diem expenses (i.e., meals, hotel laundry service, transportation unrelated to the business meeting program)

Additional Information

To apply, complete the attached application form. JETRO will evaluate applications and select companies to participate. Applications are due by **Sept 2, 2015.** For further information on this exciting business development opportunity, contact Johnny Tan via e-mail at johnny_tan@jetro.go.jp or call <u>416-861-0000</u>.

The Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO) is a government-related organization that works to promote mutual trade and investment between Japan and the rest of the world. Originally established in 1958 to promote Japanese exports abroad, JETRO's core focus in the 21st century has shifted toward promoting foreign direct investment into Japan and helping small to medium size Japanese firms maximize their global export potential.