

Long-term Investment in Water-related Disaster Risk Reduction



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Overview

- **Ceaseless Efforts Overcoming Water Challenges Japan's Experience** -
The Second JWF Webinar will explore the knowledge and experiences accumulated through the history of fighting over water-related disasters such as flooding, debris flows, storm surges and tsunamis around Japan. It will focus on the achievement of long-term investment in flood mitigation projects in Japan, and analyze the continuous reduction of human and economic losses as one of the results of the investment in terms of governance, capacity building and financing. Now that international community, especially Asia-Pacific region, is confronting climate change, this webinar will bring you better understanding of how to adapt climate change.

This webinar series will be held in English.

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Born in 1963 in Osaka, Japan.

Mr. INOUE, Tomoo has been working for water and disaster management for more than thirty years, leveraging his deep knowledge and experience in the field of civil engineering, ecology, economics and political science.

He joined Ministry of Construction (predecessor of MLIT) in 1989 after completing the Master's degree of Civil Engineering at Kyoto University.

He also received the Diploma of Environmental Economics and Environmental Management in 1996, and the Master's degree of Public Administration and Public Policy in 1997, from the University of York, the United Kingdom.

From October 2009 to October 2014, he served as a Board of Governors of World Water Council, and contributed to the development of international discussion on water.



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