"Increased Japan Investment Activity in the US: A Positive Development for Both Nations"
日本企業による米国投資ー2015年は記録を更新 期待できる両国への影響

Welcome
Sheila Spradlin Reich, JASGC Board Vice Chair

Opening remarks
Dr. Santa Ono, Honorary Consul of Japan in Cincinnati

Guest Speakers
Kiyoaki Aburaki
"Japan Matters Economic & Political Updates"

Peter Kenevan
"Japanese FDI trends: Opportunities and Challenges for Ohio"

Joseph Young
"United States' Perspective on U.S. – Japan Relations"

Q & A
Moderator : Robert Lees, JASGC Board Trustee

Cocktail reception in the lobby
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Peter's work extends to companies outside the high-tech sector, including growth strategy and operational improvement initiatives at media, pharmaceutical, and semiconductor firms. Peter has immersed himself in Asian culture, working from several of McKinsey’s offices in Asia. He speaks fluent Japanese, Mandarin, and Thai. He has authored numerous research articles on consumer and macroeconomic trends and is leading McKinsey's research on the role of women in corporations.

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