GUEST LECTURE

No-Regret Growth and Smart Shrinking

Matching Policy Instruments to the Dynamics of Metropolitan Growth and Change

Long-term international comparative studies on the interrelations between economic development, urbanization, motorization and the environment suggest that to be successful, metropolitan policies must be matched to regional socio-economic development levels and growth trajectories. In this talk, Professor Hayashi will discuss different land use/transport strategies for fast-developing regions as well as policies for managing change in mature regions that are losing population. He will discuss both technological and policy instruments.

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