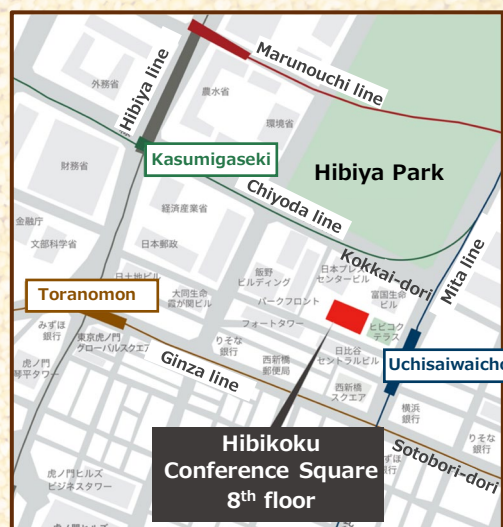SEMINAR

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Date **September 26 (Tue), 2023**
9:30 – 12:00 (JST)
(Registration 9:00-9:30)

Language **Japanese & English (simultaneous translation)**

Venue **Hibikoku Conference Square Room 8E**
Uchisaiwaicho 2-2-3, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo

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9:30	**Opening**	
9:50	The aim of the seminar: To connect Japanese millet research with the world, and the climate-resilient and nutritious grains for the future.	**Dr. NAKASHIMA Kazuo** Program Director (Food), JIRCAS
10:00	**Keynote 1:** IIMR as Global Center of Excellence on Millets - Achievements and Focus Areas of Research	**Dr. C Tara Satyavathi** Director, IIMR, ICAR
10:30	**Keynote 2:** Millets - agriculture, food and nutrition in a changing world	**Dr. Jacqueline d'Arros Hughes** Director General, ICRISAT
11:00	Reappraisal of millets with a long history of cultivation may inspire sustainable survival of mankind	**Prof. KAWASE Makoto** Tokyo University of Agriculture
11:20	JIRCAS's effort on BNI-enabled sorghum and millets to enhance both productivity and sustainability of food systems	**Dr. YOSHIHASHI Tadashi** & **Dr. Guntur V. Subbarao**, JIRCAS
11:40	Q&A Session	
11:55	**Closing**	

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