

International Business Networking Program

We are happy to invite you to the 27th meeting of the International Business Networking Program (IBNP), sponsored by the Kobe Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KCCI) along with the Kobe Club.

The guest speaker for this meeting will be **Mr. Daniel P. Aviolat, former Consul General of Switzerland and Dean of the Kansai Consular Corps.**

The theme of the lecture will be “**Harmony between Humans and Nature**”.

The origin and development of living forms and changing relations between humans and nature will be addressed. So will be the ancient religions that existed in close harmony with nature, such as Taoism and ancient European Celtic belief, as well as Shinto, fortunately still very much alive in today’s Japan.

The change brought by Monotheism (a single God), will be discussed, as well as the contemporary exploding demography and its impact on the environment.

Mr. Aviolat will also provide information and practical suggestions to businesspersons who may be interested in the Swiss market, a surprising huge one.

At the conclusion of **Mr. Aviolat’s** speech, a casual networking session is planned over an exquisite dinner buffet as only the chefs at the Kobe Club can prepare. We do hope that you will join us with your colleagues and/or friends for this special event.

Sponsored by: The International Business Committee of KCCI

Co-sponsored by: The Kobe Club

Venue: The Kobe Club (15-1 Kitano-cho 4-chome, Chuo-ku, Kobe 650-0002)

<http://www.kobeclub.org/>

Date & Time: Wednesday, January 22, 2014, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Program: Speech (including Q&A), and buffet dinner-networking party

Fee: 3,500 yen each person (cash bar available). Please pay at the reception.

Language: English



Mr. Daniel P. Aviolat

***Please let us know your e-mail address in order to receive future event info.**

To: KCCI Industry Division/ Fax: 078-306-2348 / Phone: 078-303-5806

Deadline: 12:00 Noon, Friday, January 17, 2014

Note: Any personal information listed on this application will be held strictly confidential.

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