The workshop on the Transformation of Liberalism and the New Scheme of Social Integration: Organic View from the Fin-de-siecle to the Interwar Period Examined

September 26-27, 2009
Yokohama National University
(The venue is outside the campus, of which information will be circulated later.)

The list of speakers and topics:


(2) Dr Axel Körner, reader in modern European history at University College London. Dr Körner is the author of Politics of Culture in Liberal Italy: from Unification to Fascism, Routledge, 2008. http://www.routledge.com/books/Politics-of-Culture-in-Liberal-Italy-isbn9780415962919
(3) Dr Hauke Janssen, Spiegel (in Germany) will read his paper entitled “Nationalökonomie und Nationalsozialismus”: German economics in the 1920s and 1930s.’ Dr Hauke is the author of Nationalökonomie und Nationalismus: die deutsche Volkswirtschaftslehre in den dreissiger Jahren des 20. Jahrhunderts, 3. Ueberarbeitete Auflage, Metropolis-Verlag, 2009.

(4) Xiao-Dong Li, associate professor at University of Shimane, will read the paper entitled ‘Yan Fu's Idea of Liberty.' Professor Li is Chinese scholar who works on the influence of western ideas to China and Japan on the turn of late nineteenth and early twenties century. Yan Fu (or often described as Yen Fu) is one of the major figures who introduced the western ideas especially John Stuart Mill and Herbert Spencer.

(5) Tetsuo Taka, Professor at Kyushu Sangyo University, will read ‘American New Liberal Economic Thinking in 1920's: Chicago Series Lectures on Adam Smith.’

(6) Jyunichi Himeno, Professor at Nagasaki University, will read "Social Evolution" and Eugenics as Language of Politics on Race: Chamberlainite vs. New Liberals.'

(7) Ken Kato, research assistant for this research project at YNU, will read his paper entitled ‘The Visions of American Social Security of the 1930s: Wisconsin School and Edwin E. Witte.’
Note: Edwin E. Witte (1887-1960) accomplished his PhD thesis under J. R. Commons, and took the tasks of producing the social security act in US on 1935.

(8) Yasunori Fukagai, Professor at YNU and the organiser of this workshop, will discuss generally on the transition of liberalism and the variety of the scheme of social integration.

Some other member may join either reading the paper or taking the tasks as discussant.