**GESL Seminar 2014 Annual Schedule**

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|  | **Date** | **Guest Speaker** | **Field** | **Topic** |
| **1** | **Apr 24, Thu** | **Dr. Ryuji Sakamaki****Researcher** **Sumitomo Rubber Industries** | **Computer simulation of Polymers** | **Challenges of the Young Researchers in the Sumitomo Rubber Industries** |
| **2** | **May 22, Thu** | **Dr. Masatoshi Higuchi****Deputy Director of Corporate Manufacturing Engineering Center Toshiba Corporation** | **semiconductor and liquid crystal display** | **Toshiba Group R&D and Human Resource Development** |
| **3** | **Jun 19, Thu** | **Mr. Kiyotaka Akasaka****President of Foreign Press** **Center /Japan****Former U.N. Under-Secretary-General** | **Diplomat****International Organization** | **How to become able to work effectively on the global stage** |
| **4** | **Jul 17, Thu** | **Dr. Kenichi Maruhashi****NEC Corporation** | **Smart Energy** | **Smart Energy, an innovative social solution powered by ICT - Changing R&D styles and researchers ?** |
| **5** | **Aug 21, Thu** | **Mr. Hideaki Doki****Senior Executive Officer** **Intel Corporation** | **Mobile Application** |  |
| **6** | **Sep 18, Thu** | **Dr. Keiichiro Sakurai****Research Center for Photovoltaic Technologies, AIST** | **Photovoltaic Technologies** |  |
| **7** | **Oct 23, Thu** | **Dr. Hiromi Yamamoto****Central Research Institute of the Electric Power Industry** | **Systems-analysis****of Energy and environment** |  |
| **8** | **Nov 20, Thu** | **Dr. Ayao Tsuge****Former President, the Japan****Federation of Engineering Societies** | **Mechanical** **Engineering** |  |
| **9** | **Dec 18, Wed** |  **Dr. Sumiko Mimaki****Japan International** **Cooperation Agency**  | **Social Science** |  |