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Buddhism and Japan's Modern

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Presentation Schedule

8:30 Registration & breakfast

9:00 Janine Sawada The Japanese Buddhist Fringe and the Approach to the Modern

9:45 Okada Masahiko A Forgotten Buddhist Astronomy and the Japanese Modern

10:30 Clinton Godart Darwin in Japan: Buddhism and Evolutionary Theory

11:30 Lunch

12:30 Michel Mohr Shaku Sōen and the Challenge of the Modern

1:15 Jackie Stone Modern Nationalism and the Reconstructing of Nichirenist Identity

2:00 Jacques Fasan Kiyozawa Manshi and the Antimonies of Modernity

2:45 Break

3:15 Tim McKenzie The Modern and the Spiritual in Meiji Japan

4:00 Richard Jaffe Kawaguchi Ekai and the Globalization of Lay Buddhist Practice

4:45 Jim Ketelaar Japan Buddhism and the Non-Modern

5:30 Ending remarks



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