Innovative technologies for a sustainable mobility in Japan and Beyond:

EHESS Paris Resurrecting diversity of technological choice in the Automotive Industry January 13 2017, 9.30-12.15, 190 Avenue de France, 638 (6th floor)

Program

9:30-9:40 Introduction and Welcome

9:40-10:10 **Hidetada HIGASHI** (2016 Valeo/EHESS Research Fellow / Yamanashi Gakuin University) "Resurrecting diversity of technological choice in the Automotive Industry- Depart from the Dominant Design?"

10:10-10:55 **Takahiro FUJIMOTO** (Lyon Collegium / The University of Tokyo) "An Architectural Analysis of Green Cars- Variety of Vehicle Types and Locations?"

10:55-11:10 Break

11:10-11:40 **Yveline LECLER** (University of Lyon, Sciences Po Lyon and IAO) "The promotion of micro-vehicles e-mobility in Japan: a new market segment ?"

11:40-12:15 General discussion



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