22nd IGS Seminar

What is global citizenship? What is your identity? — How best to communicate and make friendship with people in the world through long time career of a diplomat

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Language skill and outgoing personality are important elements of being global citizen, however, in order to make friendship, it is more significant for you to recognize and understand the identity of yourself and other people having different ideas, interests and cultural background. At the same time, we have commonality or common interests as human beings, and we are facing worldwide risks such as climate change and peace and stability.

Lecturer explains about various kinds of identity related issues, through his experiences as a diplomat, such as religion, race and culture in the Middle East and other parts of the world.

Lecturer would ask students about their views on how they think of identity issues. Living or studying in Hiroshima must be one of your own identities.