

## Training Seminar on “Foreign Direct Investment and Easing Doing Business”

Training Seminar on “Foreign Direct Investment and Easing Doing Business” was held at the Espinas Hotel in Tehran on January 31<sup>st</sup> and February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015, organized by JICA and the Organization for Investment, Economic and Technical Assistance of Iran(OIETAI). Mr. Kinoshita, Secretary General of Kyoto Comparative Law Center, Prof. Suzuki, Professor of Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University, Mr. Tanaka, General Manager of Sumitomo Corporation, Iran Ltd., Mr. Yamauchi, Chief Representative and Project Director of Toyo Engineering Corporation Tehran Resident Office participated in this Seminar and gave a lecture regarding Foreign Direct Investment, in terms of international framework, types, best practices in foreign countries, as well as Japanese companies’ experiences. About 180 people from Iranian relevant ministries and organizations in charge of promotion of investment and about 30 people from Japanese companies participated in this seminar. Also, Business Holders Gathering was held as side event and Iranian and Japanese participants exchanged their views.

H. E. Ambassador Haneda and Mr. Takeuchi, Chief Representative of JICA Iran Office, took part in the opening ceremony and delivered speeches together with H.E. Dr. Khazaei, President of OIETAI, H.E. Dr. Pourmohammadi, Planning Deputy of Management and Planning Organization, H.E. Mr. Rahimpour, Deputy Minister for Asia and Pacific of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.



Japanese Ambassador Delivering Speech



Mr. Kinoshita



Prof. Suzuki



Mr. Tanaka



Mr. Yamauchi