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ABEST21 International Annual Conference 2024 "Study Tour" in March 19, 2024

During the ABEST21 International Annual Conference on March 18th-19th, 2024, a study tour in Tsukuba city, Ibaragi prefecture, located approximately 55 kilometers from Tokyo, is scheduled as follows:

1. Visit to JICA Tsukuba:

- ♦ Attend a lecture on JICA's Agricultural Co-creation Hub and smart agriculture activities.
- ♦ Explore JICA's collaboration projects with private sectors during a field trip to the JICA's smart agricultural farm.

2. Visit to JAXA Tsukuba Space Center (Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency):

♦ Learn about space exploration and research conducted by JAXA.

Notably, JAXA recently announced the upcoming launch of the second H3 Launch Vehicle (H3TF2) on February 15, 2024.

- Launch window: 9:22:55 (JST) through 13:06:34 (JST).
- Reserved launch period: February 16 through March 31, 2024.
- Launch site: Yoshinobu Launch Complex at the JAXA Tanegashima Space Center¹.

We have looking forward to gaining updated information about the H3 TF2 during our visit in March.

For additional study tour details, please visit our website: URL: <u>ABEST21 Study Tour Details</u> Password: Provided to representatives of ABEST21 International members.



We have looked forward to seeing you in March.

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