広島
復興支援へ連携
国連ユニタールと協力

シネノキングが協力するユニタール・アジア太平洋地域事務所のナスリン・アジミ所長（右）と、星田健三・広島大学大学院理学研究科教授（左）が握手した。広島大学が、国連ユニタールの国際要籍に基づくナッソデアミ国際会議で、広島の復興支援について協力協定を締結した。
Hiroshima University
Partnership for reconstruction
Cooperation with UNITAR

UNITAR, a United Nations organization supporting the civil servants in post-conflict countries such as Afghanistan and Cambodia, concluded on 23 October a comprehensive cooperation agreement with Hiroshima University. The two organisations exchange experts in their training activities and symposiums, and support the reconstruction of post-conflict countries by conducting (for example) a joint-research on Hiroshima’s reconstruction history.

The signing ceremony was held at Hiroshima University’s Higashi Hiroshima Campus. Director Nassrine Azimi of UNITAR Hiroshima Office for Asia and the Pacific (Naka-ku, Hiroshima) and President Taizo Muta of Hiroshima University signed the cooperation agreement document in English and shook hands.

The signatories will pursue human resources exchange: Hiroshima University will send experts to UNITAR training activities designed for civil servants of post-conflict countries; UNITAR will send staff to Hiroshima University’s symposiums and seminars. The research on the reconstruction history of Hiroshima will be conducted mainly at the Institute for Peace Science of the University.

Director Azimi held “we are expecting the University’s cooperation in order to provide practical training to many developing countries working in reconstruction”. President Muta said “we aim at having a wide range of cooperation in peace studies. We also expect UNITAR to be the focal point of the United Nations.”

UNITAR’s Hiroshima Office was established in 2003. Thus far it has invited about 797 trainees from Afghanistan, Cambodia etc., and conducted training and symposium. (Tomohiro Yamamoto)