The Hiroshima Office of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) will hold its second training workshop on ‘World Heritage Management’ from April 18 for 4 days in Hiroshima. 27 government officials and managers responsible for the management of World Heritage in the Asia-Pacific region will attend. 10 specialists from UNESCO and other organisations have been invited as resource persons. The main venue will be the in the Hiroshima Chamber of Commerce Building in Naka-ku, where the UNITAR offices are located. Study tours will be held to the World Heritage Sites of the A-Bomb Dome and the Itsukushima Shrine. The Hiroshima Office also held a training programme on ‘World Heritage Management’ last year in February. Following on from that, this year the focus will also be on the management and preservation of World Heritage around the world, including reference to specific sites and the legal instruments available for protection.