Industry-Academia-Government Collaborative Roundtable on Human Resources Development in Science and Technology

1. Purpose of the roundtable
   • The Industry-Academia-Government Collaborative Roundtable provides opportunities to discuss the roles that each party should play and the corresponding concrete measures that each party should take regarding measures to develop human resources required by the industrial sector, as well as to increase opportunities for such human resources to play a key role in the industrial world.

2. Items to be discussed
   i. Measures to enhance education at universities and other institutions in order to meet future needs for human resources in the industrial world (including strengthening basic academic skills, improving professional education, and cooperating with the industrial world)
   ii. Measures to promote job opportunities for postdoctoral personnel in enterprises
   iii. Action plans for the collaboration of industry, academia, and government based on the Strategy for Human Resources Development in the Science and Technology Fields, for example, measures for elementary and lower secondary students to actually experience industry through presentations by lecturers dispatched from the industrial world
3. Roundtable Members

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