

# Achievements of Third-Party Evaluation Committee in 2019

## 1 Objective for the Year

Based on the results of the third-party interim evaluation in 2018, discussion among related parties of the business is undertaken. The aim is to improve the necessary activity plans and the implementation system.

## 2 Third-Party Evaluation Committee Members

- Chairperson: Keiko Nishino  
(Professor, School and Graduate School of Policy Studies, Kwansei Gakuin University)
- Committee member: Masafumi Nagao  
(Visiting Professor, United Nations University Institute of Sustainability Advanced Research)
- Committee member: Akihiko Hashimoto  
(General Research Officer, National Research Institute for Educational Policy Research)

## 3 Overall Activity and Achievements

- The reporting of the third-party interim evaluation results to the CAPWR steering committee, each Task Force, and Industry, Academia, and Government Diversity Promotion Conference member organizations and a subsequent discussion on areas requiring improvement were undertaken. The main points of improvement are as follows:
  - The symposium and seminars about CAPWR were organized and pamphlet distribution methods were enhanced, so that more female researchers and students will be actively participating in various activities by understanding the CAPWR purposes and meanings.
  - Furthermore, in order to enhance the distribution of information about CAPWR within and outside of university, the contents and structure of the CAPWR's website were reviewed and reconstructed for easier understanding, with regular updates being continuously posted.
  - In response to a request to increase the information exchange opportunities amongst Industry, Academia, and Government Diversity Promotion Conference members, a discussion was conducted with member organizations for the establishment of an information exchange time, before and after regular meetings.
- The third-party evaluation results were presented at the CAPWR interim general symposium, and these results have also been published on the CAPWR website.
- Reviews on methods, targets, and procedures of third-party evaluation were undertaken.