Press Release

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# The Institute of Energy Economics, Japan – Ranked Top-3 think tank in the World in the category of Energy and Resource Policy for three consecutive years

On the 26<sup>th</sup> January 2017, the Think Tanks and Civil Societies Program at the University of Pennsylvania released its 2016 Global Go To Think Tank Index Report, the most comprehensive ranking of the world's top think tanks.

In the ranking for 2016, the Institute of Energy Economics, Japan (IEEJ) was the 3<sup>rd</sup> in the World in the category of Energy and Resource Policy Thinks. <a href="http://repository.upenn.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1011&context=think tanks">http://repository.upenn.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1011&context=think tanks</a> (Please find the attached material and page 80 of the report above.)

We were the 1<sup>st</sup> in the ranking for 2015 and the 3<sup>rd</sup> in the ranking for 2014. We have once again been recognized as among the Top Energy and Resource Policy Think Tanks in the world. We were ranked within the Top-3 for three consecutive years.

Of course, this recognition owes to the unrelenting support of energy experts and readers as well as the efforts of former and current staff of the institute.

IEEJ will continue to dispatch highly appreciated information and material, including policy and company strategy recommendations, both domestically and internationally. IEEJ will carry on with its research and analyses on vast areas of themes such as, energy, global warming, and geopolitics of the Middle East, including econometric and macroeconomic analysis

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## Top Energy and Resource Policy Think Tanks

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- 1. Oxford Institute for Energy Studies (OIES) (United Kingdom)
- 2. James A. Baker III Institute for Public Policy (United States)
- 3. Institute of Energy Economics, Japan (IEEJ) (Japan)
- 4. World Resources Institute (WRI) (United States)
- 5. Center for Science of Environment, Resources and Energy (Japan)
  - 6. Korea Energy Economics Institute (KEEI) (Republic of Korea)
  - 7. RAND Corporation (United States)
  - 8. Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) (United States)
  - 9. Center for Energy and Environmental Policy Research (CEEPR) (United States)
- 10. Center on Environment, Energy and Resource Policy (CEERP) (China)
- 11. Centre for Energy Policy and Economics (CEPE) (Switzerland)
- 12. American Enterprise Institute for Public Policy Research (AEI) (United States)
- 13. Center for Economic and Social Development (CESD) (Azerbaijan)
- 14. Centre de Recherche en economie de l'Environnement, de l'Agroalimentaire, des Transports et de l'Energie (CREATE) (Canada)
- 15. Resources for the Future (RFF) (United States)
- 16. Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS) (Belgium)
- 17. European Centre for Energy and Resource Security (EUCERS) (United Kingdom)
- 18. Brookings Institution (United States))
- 19. Centre for Energy Environment Resources Development (CEERD) (Thailand)
  - 20. Energy Policy Research Group (EPRG) (United Kingdom)
  - 21. Center for International Energy Security Studies (China)
  - 22. Global Energy Studies (United Kingdom)
  - 23. Center on Global Energy Policy (CGEP) (United States)
- 24. Center for Development Research (ZEF) (Germany)
- 25. Centre for Population and Environmental Development (CPED) (Nigeria)
- 26. Atlantic Council (United States)
- 27. Kazakhstan Institute for Strategic Studies (KazISS) (Kazakhstan)
  - 28. Emirates Center for Strategic Studies and Research (ECSSR) (United Arab Emirates)
- 29. Institute for Sustainable Energy Policies (ISEP) (Japan)
  - 30. Center for International Energy Security Studies (China)
- 31. Energy Institute (United States)
- 32. Institute for the Analysis of Global Security (IAGS) (United States)
- 33. Arab Institute for Security Studies (ACSIS)(Jordan)
  - 34. Center for Energy Economics (United States)
- 35. Centre for Science and Environment (CSE) (India)
- 36. Centro de Investigación para el Desarrollo, A.C. (CIDAC) (Mexico)
- 37. Council on Energy, Environment and Water (CEEW) (India)
  - 38. Danish Institute for International Studies (DIIS) (Denmark)
  - 39. Environmental Economics Unit (EEU) (Sweden)
  - 40. Frontier Centre for Public Policy (FCPP) (Canada)
  - 41. International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA) (Austria)
- 42. International Institute for Energy Conservation (IIEC) (United States)
- 43. International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD) (Canada)
- 44. Hague Centre for Strategic Studies (HCSS) (Netherlands)
- 45. Observer Research Foundation (ORF) (India)
- 46. OCP Policy Center (Morocco)
- 47. Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research (REKK) (Hungary)