

GRIPS Development Forum Seminar
April 13, 2010. 14:00-16:00

African Growth Support and Development Partnerships
—Views from the EU and Japan—

Program

- 14:00-14:05 Introduction
- 14:05-14:25 “The EU-Africa Partnership: 2½ years on – where are we now?”
by Stefano Manservigi, Director-General for Development, the European Commission
- 14:25-15:00 Japanese Perspectives
(1) “Private Sector Development in Africa”
by Go Shimada, Director, Private Sector Development Division, Industrial Development Department, JICA
(2) “East Asian Perspectives of Development Partnerships and African Growth Support”
by Izumi Ohno, Professor, GRIPS Development Forum
- 15:00-16:00 Discussions (Moderator: Professor Kenichi Ohno, GRIPS)

Profile: Mr. Stefano Manservigi

Mr. Manservigi has been Director-General for “Development” at the European Commission since 2004. He has served key positions in both the Italian government and the European Commission. During 2001-04, Mr. Manservigi was head of Cabinet to the Italian President R. PRODI.