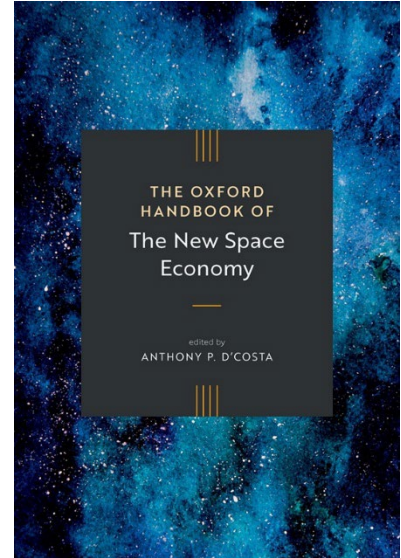


Academic Lecture Commemorating the Publication of
The Oxford Handbook of The New Space Economy

“Industrial Life Cycles, Innovations, and the Emergent New Space Economy”

In January 2026, the Oxford Handbook of The New Space Economy was published by Oxford University Press. Comprising 42 chapters and featuring contributors from across the globe, this handbook presents the first comprehensive analysis of the modern space economy. With the support of “Mirai Creation Fund” from the Tohoku University Graduate School of Economics and Management, we are pleased to invite **the editor, Anthony P. D’Costa** (Honorary Professorial Fellow, University of Melbourne), for a special lecture on this work. We welcome all who are interested in the opportunities and challenges the space economy brings to Japan and the world, as well as its implications for corporate strategies and public sector policy.



- **Date & Time:** October 13 (Tue), 2026 | 15:00 – 17:00
- **Venue:** Lecture Room 3 (第3講義室), Graduate School of Economics and Management, Tohoku University (27-1 Kawauchi, Aoba-ku, Sendai).
- **Speaker:** Anthony P. D’Costa, Honorary Professorial Fellow, University of Melbourne
- **Lecture Title:** Industrial Life Cycles, Innovations, and the Emergent New Space Economy
- **Language:** English
- **Admission:** Free (Capacity: 150 people on-site; online participation also available)
- **Organizers:** Nozomu Kawabata, Michi Fukushima, Ayano Fujiwara, Atsushi Akiike, Nguyen Chi Nghia, Nguyen Kim Ngan (Faculty members of the Graduate School of Economics and Management).
- **Registration:** Please register via the following link by October 5 (Mon), 2026: (<https://forms.gle/VMyoa5WiDD9KqCtn7>)
- **Inquiries:** nozomu.kawabata.b1#tohoku.ac.jp (Prof. Nozomu Kawabata. Please replace # with @)
- **Access:** The venue is located on the 2nd floor of the Intermediate Lecture Building (C18) on the campus map. https://www.tohoku.ac.jp/map/ja/?f=KW_C18



Two lucky on-site participants will be selected by lottery to **receive** a copy of *The Oxford Handbook of the New Space Economy* signed by Professor D’Costa!