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# Japan Update: How Will US-Japan Relations Change in 2017

A panel discussion followed by sushi and sake reception

*with*

*His Excellency Ambassador Ichiro Fujisaki*

Tuesday, February 21, 2017

4:30-5:00—Member-Only Tour of Novus

5:00 to 8:30 pm—Program

Novus International

20 Research Park Drive

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**Ambassador Ichiro Fujisaki** serves as President of the America-Japan Society in Japan and as Chairman of International Strategies at Sophia University in Tokyo. He was Ambassador of Japan to the United States from 2008-2012 and to the United Nations and World Trade Organization in Geneva prior to that.



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