

The 48<sup>th</sup> Speech & Friendship Party in 2013 will be held on

**Friday, 31<sup>th</sup> May 2013**

**at 17:30p.m. for 18:00 p.m. at Hotel New Otani Hakata 3F**

(Hotel New Otani Hakata :1-1-2 Watanabe-dori, Chuo-ku, Fukuoka Tel:(092)714-1111)

**I . General Meeting 18:00**

**II .Julia Longbottom speech 18:30**

“ Today’s UK ” (interim theme)

(Speech will be given in English.)

**III. Friendship Party 19:30**

Fee: Member : ¥2,000.- Guest : ¥3,000.- (at the venue)

\*Member can pay the annual membership fee ¥3,000.- at the venue on the day, if the payment hasn't been done in advance.

This year Ms. Julia Longbottom has kindly agreed to give a speech and join the friendship party. It is hoped that many people will be able to attend this event. Please make reservations using the form on the back of this paper or email ([fjbs.event@castle.ocn.ne.jp](mailto:fjbs.event@castle.ocn.ne.jp)) no later than Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> May 2013.

### Julia Longbottom

#### **Minister, British Embassy, Tokyo (from August 2012)**

2011 – 2012 Head of China Department, FCO, London

2009 – 2011 Head of Far Eastern Department, FCO, London

2006 – 2009 Director, Strategy and Human Resources, UK Trade & Investment (UKTI), London

2003 – 2006 Consul General, Director of Trade & Investment and Counsellor (EU/Economic), British Embassy, Warsaw

1998 – 2002 1<sup>st</sup> Secretary (EU/Political), British Embassy, The Hague

1994 – 1997 Head of Nationality and Immigration Section, Hong Kong Department, FCO, London

1989 – 1993 2<sup>nd</sup> Secretary (Political), British Embassy, Tokyo

1987 – 1988 Short attachments to UK Mission to the United Nations, New York and to European Commission, Brussels

1986: Joined FCO

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