

[Press Release]

H.E. Mr. Xanana Gusmao teaches importance of peace to Japanese young people

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H.E. Mr. Xanana Gusmao, Minister of Planning and Strategic Investment, will visit Japan from October 4-7, 2016 under the invitation of the Government of Japan.

During the visit, based on his experience during the struggle for independence and his efforts to peace building and conflict prevention in the international society, H.E. Mr. Gusmao will make a lecture on importance of peace to Japanese young people at Waseda University, a prominent private university in Japan. H.E. Mr. Gusmao will also receive honorary doctorate from Waseda University to be honored for his distinguished contribution in the field of conflict prevention and peacebuilding in international society.

H.E. Mr. Xanana also will have a meeting with Japanese business community in order to encourage Japanese companies to invest in Timor-Leste, which is currently moving forward to full-fledged economic development. H.E. Mr. Xanana also will meet Japanese political figures.

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