

## Japan Supports Peace and Resilience Building in Africa through UNESCO IICBA

The Government of Japan is assisting UNESCO IICBA by providing funds worth USD 2 million for the “Peace and Resilience Building and Prevention of Violent Extremism in Africa through Teacher Development” project, which began in 2017.

From 28 October to 1 November 2019, during a workshop for this project, Mr. Akira Uchida, Minister Counsellor, Deputy Chief of Mission of the Embassy of Japan to Ethiopia, delivered the opening speech of the workshop, while H.E. Mr. Fumio Shimizu, Ambassador of the Mission of Japan to the AU, gave the closing remarks. Dr. Yumiko Yokozeki, Director of UNESCO IICBA, and H.E. Dr. Samuel Kifle, State Minister for the Ministry of Science and Higher Education, also attended the workshop.



Opening Speech by Mr. Uchida



Group Photo 1



Group Photo 2



Closing Speech by H.E. Mr. Shimizu