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## **Seminar on Brazil and Mexico**

On April 25, 2016, Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd. (JCR) held a seminar entitled “Economic Outlook of Brazil and Mexico” in Tokyo. In this seminar, analysts from JCR’s International Department, General Manager Atsushi Masuda and Analyst Sakura Yamamoto, explained the impact of both external economic and domestic political developments on the two largest economies in Latin America, namely Brazil and Mexico. They particularly focused on how the two countries are affected by low commodity prices, slowdown of Chinese economy, the US’ economic recovery and the interest rate hike on their economies, and shared JCR’s views on their economic outlook.

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