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<th>Symposium on Safer Buildings and Housing for Earthquakes</th>
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| Organizations | Building Research Institute  
Hyogo Prefectural Government Building Guidance Division |
| Speakers | 独立行政法人建築研究所 理事長 山内 泰之  
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| Report | Building Research Institute(BRI),Hyogo Prefectural Government ,professional associations in housing/building sector co-organized a symposium which consists of sessions listed below ,intended for users/owners of housing/buildings ,architects,officials of municipal government, and so on.  
1 presentation on significance and benefits of seismic reinforcement ,introduction of various kinds of designs of seismic reinforcement ,a risk-management approach for earthquakes and several examples of its application  
2 reports on policies and strategies of Hyogo Prefectural Government and BRI  
3 a panel discussion by several experts |
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