

# 2nd Global Startup Campus Workshop

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**Date:** 10:00–11:30am, Wed, June 4, 2025 \*Zoom webinar entry at 9:50

**Format:** Online (Zoom, pre-registration required, free of charge)

**Language:** English and Japanese (simultaneous interpretation available)

**Registration:** Please register [here](#).

**Organizer:** Cabinet Secretariat Global Startup Campus Initiative

## **Theme: Developing deeptech startup ecosystem**

A discussion between Reid Hoffman and Joi Ito on how to develop deeptech startup ecosystems, with a focus on nurturing globally-scaled startups and developing PhD-CEOs and VC managers.

## **Program: Panel Discussion**

① **Panelists:** Reid Hoffman Entrepreneur, venture capitalist, author, co-founder of LinkedIn, and Microsoft board member  
Joichi Ito Executive Advisor for GSC Initiative, President of Chiba Institute of Technology

② **Q&A and open discussion** (questions accepted in advance)

## **Reid Hoffman**



**Co-founder** - LinkedIn, PayPal, InflectionAI, ManasAI

**Earliest funder** - Zynga, Airbnb, OpenAI

**Boards** - Microsoft, Aurora (and formerly: Airbnb, Paypal, LinkedIn, Mozilla, OpenAI, Zynga)

**Co-author** - SuperAgency, Impromptu, Masters of Scale, Blitzscaling, Alliance, Startup of You

**Venture capitalist** - Greylock