



## **Japan Clean Air Association**

# Sponsored Lunch Symposium

at the APSR Congress 2019, Hanoi, Vietnam

# Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in the Asia-Pacific region with the collaboration of academia, pharmaceutical industry and government office



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Room 205
National Convention Center of Vietnam

#### What is JCAA?

JCAA was founded in 2016 with the aim to broaden the knowledge about air pollution-associated health problems, and encourage and support activities to reduce air pollution levels in collaboration with academia, pharmaceutical industry and government office.

#### Chairperson



Shu Hashimoto MD, PhD Chairman, Japan Clean Air Association

Dr. Shu Hashimoto is Professor at the Shonan University School of Medical Sciences. He is the former Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Japanese Respiratory Society (JRS) and act as the President of the 2020 Congress of the Asia-Pacific Society of Respirology (APSR) in Kyoto.

#### **Speaker**



#### Kiyoshi Kurokawa MD

Professor Emeritus, The University of Tokyo, Tokai University and National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, Chairman, Health and Global Policy Institute

Dr. Kiyoshi Kurokawa has held important posts at both domestic and foreign institutions, such as UCLA Professor of Medicine, Honorary Professor at the University of Tokyo, President of the Science Council of Japan and special adviser to the Cabinet. He has been participating in the Japanese medical policy beyond the framework of medical sciences and propagates that information over the world.

### **Symposium Description**

At the United Nations Sustainable Development Summit in 2015, the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and 169 targets were adapted to aim at ending poverty, hunger and inequality, take action on climate change and the environment, improve access to health and education, build strong institutions and partnerships and more. The global environment is an important issue where we live. Approximately 90% of the world population has health problems caused by air pollution. Nearly 7 million people die from lung cancer and respiratory diseases. In the Asia-Pacific region, we face outdoor and indoor environmental pollution and sanitary problems with the increase of population growth and the progress of development. In Japan, we have the experience on how to overcome serious environmental pollution issues in the face of rapid economic growth. During the APSR 2019 in Hanoi, we will give a lecture mainly on actions (technology and system, preventive literacy) taken in Japan.

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