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The 15th Annual Conference of Japan Health Economics Association

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Chair of the Conference

1st Announcement of The 15th Annual Conference of Japan Health Economics Association (JHEA)

We are pleased to release the 1st announcement of the 15th JHEA Annual Conference cosponsored by Hitotsubashi University as follows:

I. 15th Annual Conference

Date: Saturday, September 5, 2020

Site: Hitotsubashi University Chiyoda campus, Hitotsubashi Hall

Address: 2-1-2 Hitotsubashi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 101-8439

Conference Registration fee:

JHEA Member: JPY 5,000 (EARLY), JPY 6,000 (ON SITE)

JHEA Student member: Free

Non-member: JPY 10,000 (EARLY), JPY 11,000 (ON SITE)

* Early registration fee is available from late July until 25 August 2020.

II. JHEA members meeting

General meeting of JHEA will be held at the site on the day.

III. Application guidelines for General Presentation

At this Annual Conference, we intend to have a wide range of the presentation about health economics. Acceptance decision of the presentation should be entrusted with the program committee.

Eligibility for applicants

- Presenters must be JHEA members. Membership application will be required if you are not a member of JHEA when the application.

Schedule for application

- Start of application: Monday, February 17, 2020
- Application deadline: Friday, May 22, 2020
- Announcement of acceptance decision: Late June, 2020

Only for adopter of application

- Complete article submission deadline: Wednesday, August 5, 2020
 - ✓ The article must be sent to the Secretariat by the above deadline for reviewing by designated discussant.
 - ✓ Submitted article will not be published.
 - ✓ If you are receiving research grant, please state clearly in the acknowledgment fund source (name of public institution or private enterprise, title of the research subject, etc.).
- Submission of presentation file (PowerPoint or PDF): Saturday, September 5, 2020 (On site)

Application procedure

Please fill in the application form for General Presentation via [the association's website](#), and attach abstract of the presentation (English or Japanese).

Abstract format

Please be sure to use the specified format and keep the number of words prescribed below.

- In English without figure or table, no longer than 400 words including the title, the author name(s) and affiliation(s)/title(s). One figure or table can be attached. In such the case, no longer than 300 words.

Notice for applicant

- Presentation will be given orally with power point slides or as poster session.
- For general presentation, one person cannot submit multiple subjects as the first authors. However, there is no limit of submission as a co-author.
- Please enter two names of preferred discussants on the application form. As discussion with designated discussant is planned after your presentation. Please note that appointment of discussant will be made by the Program Committee.
- Basically, designated discussant should be a member of JHEA.
- When the presenter and co-authors are all students of graduate school, recommendation from the teacher will be required.
- Duplicate/Multiple submissions are prohibited.

IV. Application guidelines for Mini Symposium and Program Session

For the 15th Annual Conference, besides asking for General Presentation, we are also making an appeal for Mini Symposiums and Program Sessions. These will involve discussions of 2-4 research papers with a focus on specific topics related to health economics collected into a single session (of 120 minutes). Acceptance decision of the presentation should be entrusted with the program committee.

Eligibility for applicants

- Have the program supervisor submit the application as the representative. In general, the program supervisor and presenters are limited to members of JHEA. Membership application will be required if you are not a member of JHEA when the application.

Schedule for application

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Application procedure

In addition to applicants applying for Mini Symposium or Program Session filling out the necessary items on the online application form via [the association's website](#), attach the items listed below in either Japanese or English to the application.

- When applying, collect and attach to the proposal the name of the session, the aim of the Mini Symposium or Program Session (about 400 characters in Japanese, or 200 words in English), the names of those involved (chairman candidate, person expected to give the report, planned assigned discussants, expected panelists, etc.), the affiliation, and email address (within 1 sheet of an A4 size paper, in a free format).
- In the case of wanting to do a transfer to General Presentation based on rejection of the application, when submitting it, also send the application form and abstract for the General Presentation to the JHEA Secretariat by E-mail.
- For all those involved in the planned Mini Symposium or Program Session, the program supervisor will obtain their informal consent by the time of the application. Additionally, JHEA will not provide funds for entrance fees, traveling expenses, and hotel charges, so bear that in mind beforehand.
- Based on the applied proposal, the program committee will decide whether to adopt or reject the program. Due to the organization of the program, not all mini symposium or program sessions that have been applied for will be held. Only concerning subjects for sessions that you wish to transfer to General Presentation that were unselected at the time of the application, it will be decided whether to adopt or reject them for General Presentation.
- For anything else to keep in mind, they are the same as when asking for General Presentation.

V. Chair of the 15th Annual Conference

- Masako Ii
Professor, School of International and Public Policy, Hitotsubashi University

Program Committee <Member List >

- Michio Yuda, Chair of the Program Committee
Associate Professor, Graduate School of Economics and Management, Tohoku University
- Yukiko Ito
Professor, Department of Policy Studies, Tsuda University
- Yoshihiko Kadoya
Professor, Department of Economics, Hiroshima University
- Naoki Kondo
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Assistant Professor, Graduate School of Economics, Nagoya City University

VI. Others

About the day-care facility

There are plans to use an external day-care facility. The details will be given at a later date. Anyone using their services will pay a day-care fee of ¥3,000.

About car parking space

There is no car parking space for general participants. Please use public transportation.

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