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AEARU-Tokyo Tech Webinar

Cooperation and Collaboration among Research Universities in Asia
in a Post-COVID-19 World

Moderator



Prof. Jun-ichi TAKADA

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Friday, November 27, 2020

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. (Japan time)

- 2:00 p.m. Opening remarks by Prof. Jun-ichi Takada
Welcome message from the host university:
President Kazuya Masu, Tokyo Tech
- 2:10 p.m. Presentations by the invited speakers
- 3:00 p.m. Panel discussion including Q&A
- 3:30 p.m. Closing remarks by Prof. Jun-ichi Takada

Speakers/Panelists



Prof. King L. CHOW

Acting Dean of Students
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Prof. Kun QU

Director, Office of
International Cooperation
University of Science and
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Prof. Dongyoung NOH

Vice President for Research
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Prof. Jun-ichi IMURA

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Overview

The global spread of COVID-19 has posed unprecedented challenges to all universities that value international cooperation and collaboration. In this webinar, AEARU member university experts on graduate education explain how the pandemic has impacted the international collaboration and exchange activities in which their universities are engaged and discuss how they responded to the challenges. The panel discussion will focus on topics related to graduate education, mobility of students and researchers, and collaboration among the AEARU member universities in a “new normal.” Audience questions and comments will be welcomed.

About the Speakers

“Redefinition of an institution - a virtual educational network promoting understanding, mobility and redistribution of resources while institutional identity is maintained”

Dr. King L. Chow, Professor. Life Sci, Chem & Biol Eng, Public Policy. A molecular geneticist in training, he researches on neural development, evolution, synthetic biology. He has served to set up the various programs; Molecular Biomedical Sciences, the University Common Core, Individualized Interdisciplinary Major, and a Gifted Education Program at UST. He currently heads the Dean of Students Office promoting democratization of education, recognizing a diversity of talents, removing disciplinary boundary, and aiming to make the university an agency of changes, knowledge creation, talent development and self-discovery for individuals. To learn more about Prof. Chow, visit: <https://facultyprofiles.ust.hk/profiles.php?profile=king-lau-chow-bokchow>

“Changes and Challenges as a Higher Education Institution in the Post-Corona era”

Dr. Dongyoung Noh is an executive vice president of Seoul National University and a professor of Surgery at Seoul National University College of Medicine. Dr. Noh is one of the most active breast cancer surgeons in the world with more than 10,000 breast cancer surgeries since 1990. As well as clinical achievement, Dr. Noh also has passion for basic research. He received Ph.D. of Biochemistry in 1986 and worked as an international research fellow in Lab of Cell Signaling in NIH, USA from 1993 to 1995 as a Fogarty International Fellowship Awardee. To learn more about Prof. Noh, visit: <https://snucm.elsevierpure.com/en/persons/y-noh>

“TBD”

Dr. Kun Qu, Professor, Division of Life Science and Medicine. Professor Qu was appointed the Director of the Office of International Cooperation of the University of Science and Technology of China in 2020. As one of the youngest leaders in USTC, he endeavors to reform and streamline the work of the Office with a touch of creativity and to bring in innovations to enhance the university's international impact. He is also a professor of biology and medicine, as the principal investigator in the Division of Biological Sciences and Medicine at USTC. To learn more about Prof. Qu, visit: <http://qulab.ustc.edu.cn/>

“What Online Education Brings to the Future: From the Perspectives of Tokyo Tech Online Education”

Dr. Jun-ichi Imura, Vice President for Teaching and Learning, Professor of School of Engineering, Director of Center for Innovative Teaching and Learning, and Director of Tokyo Tech Academy for Leadership at Tokyo Institute of Technology. He received the D.E. degree in Mechanical Engineering from Kyoto University in 1995. His research interests include modeling, analysis, and control synthesis of hybrid systems, large-scale network systems, and nonlinear systems with applications to power grids, intelligent transportation systems, biological systems, industrial process systems, and so on. To learn more about Prof. Imura, visit: <http://www.cyb.mei.titech.ac.jp/members/imura.html.en>