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Professor and Chairman

Department of Urology, Yamaguchi University Graduate School of Medicine

Education

1995 M.D., Yamaguchi University School of Medicine, Japan

2001 Ph.D., Graduate School of Medicine, Yamaguchi University, Japan

Academic Appointments

2008–2017 Assistant Professor (2008–2013) and Lecturer (2013–2017), Department of Urology, Yamaguchi University Graduate School of Medicine, Japan

2017–2022 Associate Professor, Department of Urology, Yamaguchi University Graduate School of Medicine, Japan

2022–Present Professor and Chair, Department of Urology, Yamaguchi University Graduate School of Medicine, Japan

2025–Present Vice Director, Yamaguchi University Hospital, Japan

International Experience

2004–2007 Postdoctoral Scholar, Department of Pharmacology, University of Iowa, USA

2013 AUA/JUA Exchange Scholar, Cornell University and Rush University, USA

Board Certifications and Professional Qualifications

Board-Certified Urologist (JUA, 2000); Certified Supervising Urologist (JUA, 2005); Board-Certified Specialist in Reproductive Medicine (2008); Certified Laparoscopic Urologic Surgeon (2011); Board-Certified Specialist in Sexual Medicine (2012); Board-Certified Endoscopic Surgeon in Urology (2012); Board-Certified Specialist in Endocrine and Thyroid Surgery (2013); Board-Certified Specialist in Pediatric Urology (2013); Certified Robotic Surgery Proctor for Radical Prostatectomy and Partial Nephrectomy (2020); Board-Certified Endocrinologist (2020); da Vinci S and Xi Training Programs (2013, 2017).

Selected Honors and Awards

Dean's Award, Yamaguchi University (2001); EJ Outstanding Paper Award, Japan Endocrine Society (2004); Young Investigator Award, Japan Society of Reproductive Endocrinology (2007); Organon Andrology Research Award (2008); Academic Award, Japanese Urological Association (2010); Shirai Award, Japanese Society for Sexual Medicine (2013); Academic Award, Japanese Society of Pediatric Urology (2013); Young Investigator Award, Japan Society for Reproductive Medicine (2013); Reviewer of the Year, *International Journal of Urology* (2013, 2015, 2016); Young Investigator Award, Japan Endocrine Society (2016); Annual Meeting Award, Japanese Urological Association (2021); Outstanding Research Award, Yamaguchi University (2025); Named among the World's Top 2% Scientists (Stanford University/Elsevier), 2026.