6 th Korea-Taiwan-Japan Health Economics Associations Joint Conference in Tokyo

Theme:

Ageing society and sustainability of the healthcare systems in East Asia

Venue: Medical Library 3rd Floor Auditorium room 333 Hongo Campus, the University of Tokyo <u>http://www.u-tokyo.ac.jp/campusmap/cam01_02_01_j.html</u>

Date: 7th September Sunday, 2014

Schedule

- 8:30- Registration
- 8:40- Opening remarks by Hisao Endo (President JHEA)
- 8:45-1st session Life and health in ageing society (Chair: Chae-Yeol Yang)
- Korea: "Does copayment ceiling provide better financial protection in the Korean National Health Insurance?" by Tae-Jin Lee Counter discussant: Tsai-Ching Liu
- Taiwan: "Retirement and Health" by Yu-I Peng and Tsai-Ching Liu Counter discussant: Hideki Hashimoto
- Japan: "Retirement and cognitive function; evidence from JSTAR" by Hideki Hashimoto Counter discussant: Wankyo Chung
- 20 minutes presentation followed by 10 min comments and 10 min discussion
- 10:45-11:00 coffee break
- 11:00- 2nd session Efficiency and equity in health care (Chair:Chin-Shyan Chen)
- Korea: "The Effect of Expanded Benefit Coverage for Cancer Patients on Income
 - Related Inequality in the Use of Tertiary Care Hospitals in Korea" by Soonman Kwon and Sujin Kim

Counter discussant:Rei Goto

- Taiwan:"Equity in health care uses among the elderly in Taiwan" by Juifen Rachel Lu Counter discussant: Fumiaki Yasukawa
- Japan: "Patient Cost Sharing and Medical Expenditures in the Elderly"
 - by Toshiaki Iizuka

Counter discussant:Yen-ju Lin

13:00-13:05 Concluding remarks by Naoki Ikegami

Participant list:

Korea:

- 1. Tae-Jin Lee, MPH, PhD Professor, Department of Health Policy and Management, Seoul National University Graduate School of Public Health, ROK
- 2. Soonman Kwon, MPH, PhD Professor, Department of Health Policy and Management, Seoul National University Graduate School of Public Health, ROK
- 3. Wankyo Chung, PhD (discussant) Professor, Hallym University, College of Business, Institute of Ageing, ROK
- Chae-Yeol Yang, PhD President, Korean Health Economics Association Professor, College of Business Administration, Chonnam National University, ROK

Taiwan:

- Juifen Rachel Lu, PhD Vice President, Taiwan Society of Health Economics Professor, Department of Health Care Management, Chang Gung University, Taiwan
- 2. Yu-I Peng, PhD Assistant Professor, Department of Public Finance, National Taipei University, Taiwan
- Tsai-Ching Liu, PhD (discussant) Professor, Department of Public Finance, National Taipei University, Taiwan
- 4. Yen-ju Lin, PhD (discussant) Deputy Secretary General, Taiwan Society of Health Economics Associate Professor, Department of Public Finance and Taxation, National Taichung University of Science and Technology
- Chin-Shyan Chen, PhD President, Taiwan Society of Health Economics Professor, Department of Economics, National Taipei University, Taiwan

Japan:

- 1. Hideki Hashimoto, MD DPH Professor, the University of Tokyo School of Public Health
- 2. Toshiaki Iizuka, PhD Professor, Graduate School of Economics, the University of Tokyo
- Fumiaki Yasukawa, PhD (discussant) Chair of the program committee for the 9th JHEA meeting Professor, Graduate School of International Management, Yokoyama City University

- 4. Rei Goto, MD, PhD (discussant) Associate Professor in the Hakubi Project Center, Kyoto University
- 5. Hisao Endo, PhD President, Japanese Health Economics Association Professor, Graduate School of Economics, Gakushuin University
- 6. Naoki Ikegami, MD PhD Former president, Japanese Health Economics Association Professor, Graduate School of Medicine, Keio University