

# The 1st Tokyo International Hemp Conference

Main theme: “Advances of Hemp/Cannabinoid Sciences and Industries”

Program

	24 Sep, 2024 (TUE)
11:00	Reception
12:30	Opening Ceremony
13:00	<b>Session 1 “Traditional culture and industrial use of hemp”</b> Chair: Sharon Deidre Leyson (Vice President, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA), International Affairs) Speaker: Patric Collins (Professor Emeritus of Azabu University) Speaker: Weerachai Na Nakorn (Honorary Chairman, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA) ) Speaker: Patrick Chin (Chief Digital Officer, Clairvoyant Lab, Singapore) Speaker: Daisuke Matsushima (Professor, Kanazawa University Graduate School)
14:40	Break
14:50	<b>Session 2 “Japan CBD Market Place - Past, Present, and Future”</b> Chair: Kurt Hahn (Managing Director, Asian Markets, MM411 a division of Triumph Health and Wellness) Speaker: Michel Bobrove (MAJIC Representative, Japan) Speaker: Makoto Matsumaru (CEO of Elixinor, CEO of Hemp Foods Japan) Speaker: Kaoru Mfaume (Co-founder and CEO of Global Organic Group, Japan)  <b>Session 3 “Application of cannabinoids to pets”</b> Chair: Mana Iwamoto (Expert Skin Doctor, President Emeritus of Japan Cosmetic Association, Vice President of Japan Society of Aesthetic Internal Medicine) Commentator: Pornchai Padndra (TiHTA Representative, Dr CBD, Co. Ltd., CEO) Speaker: Junko Hirota, Ph.D. (Veterinarian, Alice Animal Clinic, Japan)
16:40	Break
16:50	<b>Session 4 “Legal regulations of CBD as food in Europe”</b> Chair: Hitoshi Sato (Professor, Showa University) Speaker: Lorenza Romanese (EIHA Secretary General)
17:30	End of the 1st Day's Sessions
17:30	Free Time for Exhibition Companies (The whole are of the conference hall will be open to Exhibition Companies)
18:30	End of the 1st Day

9:00	<p><b>Session 5 “Current status and outlook of the cannabis industry in the United States”</b>            Chair: Kurt Hahn (Managing Director, Asian Markets, MM411 a division of Triumph Health and Wellness)            Speaker: Jerry Millen (CEO, Greenhouse of Walled Lake)            Speaker: Patrick Atagi (President&amp;CEO – National Industrial Hemp Council Of America) (Online)            Speaker: Moris Beegle (President – We Are For Better Alternatives (WAFBA), USA) (Online)</p>
10:00	<b>Break</b>
10:10	<p><b>Session 6 “Creating a cannabinoid/hemp education system”</b>            Chair: Sharon Deidre Leyson (Vice President, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA), International Affairs)            Speaker: Kurt Hahn (Managing Director, Asian Markets, MM411 a division of Triumph Health and Wellness)            Speaker: Yuri Kondo (Executive Director of AHEP)</p>
10:50	<b>Break</b>
11:00	<p><b>Session 7 “Utilization of CBD in the sports field”</b>            Chair: Sharon Deidre Leyson (Vice President, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA), International Affairs)            Speaker: Kosuke Nishikori (Doctor of Pharmacy, Certified Sports Pharmacist)            Speaker: Bunsei Yamamoto (Doctor of Medicine, Japan Medical Association Certified Health and Sports Doctor)            Speaker: Pornchai Padndra ( TiHTA Representative, Dr CBD, Co. Ltd., CEO)            Speaker: Wittawin Vidthayanon (Vice President, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA), Product Development Affairs , Founder of Salus Bioceutical (Thailand) Co., Ltd.)</p>
12:10	<b>Lunch Break</b>
13:10	<p><b>Special Lecture “Future medical care using AI and genomic information”</b>            Chair: Naoyuki Kamatani (Director of the Medical Artificial Intelligence Research Institute, Chairman of the Gout Foundation)            Speaker: Yusuke Nakamura (Professor Emeritus of the University of Tokyo, Chairman of the National Institute of Biomedical Innovation, Health and Nutrition)</p>
14:10	<b>Break</b>
14:20	<p><b>Session 8: “Current situation of hemp industry in the Southeast Asia and its potential as a medicine”</b>            Chair: Sharon Deidre Leyson (Vice President, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA), International Affairs)            Speaker: Kwanchai Visithanon (Deputy Director - General of The Department of Thai Traditional and Alternative Medicine, Ministry of Public Health, Thailand)            Speaker: Supaporn Meelarp (Physician.Anesth.Aesthetic.Integrative, Ounjai Medical Clinic Co.,Ltd.)            Speaker: Pornchai Padndra ( TiHTA Representative, Dr CBD, Co. Ltd., CEO)            Speaker: Sornmonton Kulphaisal (Board of Director, Research Center of Methodology in Producing Active Ingredients from Cannabis and Herbs by Bioreactor (RPAH) , Chief Operation Officer, APA Industries Co., Ltd.)</p>
15:00	<b>Break</b>
15:10	<p><b>Session 9 “Water extraction and benefits of acidic cannabinoids (CBDA &amp; CBGA)”</b>            Chair: Chihiro Nozaki (Associate Professor, International Center for Science and Engineering, Faculty of Science and Engineering, Waseda University)            Speaker: Lawrence Ji (CEO, Essentia Scientific, Inc., USA)</p>
15:40	<b>Break</b>
15:50	<p><b>Session 10 “Research on the biosynthetic pathway of cannabinoids”</b>            Chair: Chihiro Nozaki (Associate Professor, International Center for Science and Engineering, Faculty of Science and Engineering, Waseda University)            Speaker: Futoshi Taura, Ph.D. (Professor, Iwate Medical University)</p>
16:40	<b>Break</b>
16:50	<p><b>Session 11 “Use of Cannabis plants as fiber materials”</b>            Chair: Sharon Deidre Leyson (Vice President, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA), International Affairs)            Speaker: Marie-Emmanuelle Belzung (General Delegate of the Alliance for European Flax-Linen &amp; Hemp)            Speaker: Manabu Kayama (Managing Director, Japan Bast Fiber Association)</p>
17:30	<b>End of the 2nd Day's Sessions</b>
17:30	<b>Free Time for Exhibition Companies (The whole are of the conference hall will be open to Exhibition Companies)</b>
18:30	<b>End of the 2nd Day</b>

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9:00	<b>Session 12 “Japan’s Pharmaceutical and Medical Devices Act, and CBD”</b> Chair: Kurt Hahn (Managing Director, Asian Markets, MM411 a division of Triumph Health and Wellness) Speaker: Kiichiro Mochida (Chairman, Association for Certification of Foods with Function Claims)
10:00	<b>Break</b>
10:10	<b>Session 13 “Cannabinoid toxicities and their neurological mechanisms”</b> Chair: Chihiro Nozaki (Associate Professor, International Center for Science and Engineering, Faculty of Science and Engineering, Waseda University) Speaker: Fumitaka Kimura (Professor, Jikei University of Medical Sciences) Speaker: Wataru Ochiai (Professor, Hoshi Pharmaceutical University)
10:50	<b>Break</b>
11:00	<b>Session 14 “Technologies for cannabinoid separation and extraction methods”</b> Chair: Chihiro Nozaki (Associate Professor, International Center for Science and Engineering, Faculty of Science and Engineering, Waseda University) Speaker: Gomathi Chan (Gilson Inc., France, Ph.D.) Speaker: Wittawin Vidthayanon (Vice President, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA), Product Development Affairs, Founder of Salus Bioceutical (Thailand) Co., Ltd.)
12:10	<b>Lunch Break</b>
13:10	<b>Session 15 “Business strategy for expanding the CBD market in Southeast Asia”</b> Chair: Sharon Deidre Leyson (Vice President, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA), International Affairs) Speaker: Pornchai Padndra (TiHTA Chairman, Dr CBD, CEO) Speaker: Johan Mohamed (Founder&President – Malaysia Hempstech Industrial Research Association (MIHRA)) Speaker: Kwanchai Visithanon (Deputy Director - General of The Department of Thai Traditional and Alternative Medicine, Ministry of Public Health, Thailand)  <b>Session 16 “Science and industry of hemp and medical applications of cannabinoids in Korea”</b> Chair: Sharon Deidre Leyson (Vice President, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA), International Affairs) Speaker: Choi Rak Won (President, Medical Cannabis Clinical Research Assosiation) Speaker: Simon Sung (Vice Director of Research institutes of Health and Nutrition, Hanaro Medical Foundation, Korea) Speaker: Yong Sook Park (Korea · Chung Ang professor)
15:10	<b>Break</b>
15:20	<b>Session 17 “Science and industry of hemp and cannabinoids in China”</b> Chair: Sharon Deidre Leyson (Vice President, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA), International Affairs) Speaker: Frank Jiang (CEO of Heilongjiang Zhongsheng Biotechnology, China)
15:50	<b>Break</b>
16:00	<b>Session 18 “CBD pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics”</b> Chair: Sharon Deidre Leyson (Vice President, Thai Industrial Hemp Trade Association (TiHTA), International Affairs) Speaker: Hitoshi Sato (Professor, Showa University School of Pharmacy)
16:40	<b>Closing Remarks for the Conference by Yoshito Niki, M.D. (Professor Emeritus, Showa University)</b>
16:50	<b>Free Time for Exhibition Companies</b> <b>(The whole are of the conference hall will be open to Exhibition Companies)</b>
18:00	<b>End of the 3rd Day's Sessions</b>
18:30	<b>Banquet</b>
20:30	<b>End of the 3rd Day</b>