# Conference on Cancer Research

# **MOONSHOT** - The Future of Cancer Prevention

The Embassy of Japan in the United States of America, in cooperation with the Japan Agency for Medical Research and Development, cordially invites you to participate in the US-Japan Conference on Cancer Research "Moonshot - the Future of Cancer Prevention". This year marks the 11th anniversary that the Embassy and the Agency have been hosting the annual symposium. The conference will consist of presentations and discussions led by internationally recognized experts from both the US and Japan.

September 6th, 2024 | 9:30 - 17:15 Old Ambassador's Residence. **Embassy of Japan** 

2516 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20008



Please RSVP by August 26th, 2024



#### **KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**



Dr. Kimryn Rathmell Director, NCI



Dr. Sachiko Kuno Founder, S&R Evermay

### **SPEAKERS**



Dr. Hiroyoshi Nishikawa Professor, Department of Immunology, Nagoya University Graduate School of Medicine



Dr. James Gulley Clinical Director, NCI



Dr. Philip Castle Director, Division of Cancer Prevention, NCI

### **MODERATORS**



Dr. Tomoko Ikeuchi

Dr. Naoko Takebe



Dr. Eri Otsuru



Dr. Kazuaki Takabe



Dr. Keisuke Shirai



Dr. Norihiro Yamaguchi



Dr. Ayuko Hoshino Professor, Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology, the University of Tokyo



Dr. Matthew Meyerson Charles A. Dana Chair in Human Cancer Genetics, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute



Dr. Jedd Wolchok Meyer Director, Sandra and **Edward Meyer Cancer** Center at Weill Cornell Medicine

# Program

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# **VENUE OPEN**

9:15 - 9:30 Venue Open

**Opening Remarks** 9:30 - 9:50

Welcoming Speech

Icebreaker: Dr. Naoko Takebe

# SESSION 1 - US-Japan Moonshot Collaboration: Exploring the Connection Between Cancer and Chronic Inflammation

Moderators: Dr. Norihiro Yamaguchi, Dr. Tomoko Ikeuchi

9:50 - 10:20	Dr. Hiroyoshi Nishikawa, Professor, Department of Immunology, Nagoya University Graduate School of Medicine
10:20 - 10:50	Dr. James Gulley, Clinical Director, NCI
10:50 - 11:20	Dr. Philip Castle, Director, Division of Cancer Prevention, NCI
11:20 - 11:30	Short Break
11:30 - 12:00	Discussion / Q&A
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch
13:00 - 13:30	Dr. Ayuko Hoshino, Professor, Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology, the University of Tokyo
13:30 - 14:00	Dr. Matthew Meyerson, Charles A. Dana Chair in Human Cancer Genetics, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
14:00 - 14:30	Dr. Jedd Wolchok, Meyer Director, Sandra and Edward Meyer Cancer Center at Weill Cornell Medicine
14:30 - 15:00	Discussion / Q&A
15:00 - 15:30	Short Break

## SESSION 2 - Reaching the Pinnacle: Lessons from Today's Top Leaders in Science

Moderators: Dr. Keisuke Shirai, Dr. Kazuaki Takabe, Dr. Eri Otsuru

15:30 - 16:00 Dr. Sachiko Kuno, Founder, S&R Evermay

16:00 - 16:30 Dr. Kimryn Rathmell, Director, NCI

16:30 - 17:00 Discussion / Q&A

17:00 - 17:15 Group Photo

17:30 - 19:30 Reception

### **CO-HOSTS**





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