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Dear Prof. Jun Haeng Lee,

It is our great pleasure to inform you that the 92<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of the Japanese Gastric Cancer Association will be held from Wednesday, March 4 to Friday, March 6, 2020 in Yokohama, Japan. The meeting will take place at the PACIFICO Yokohama (Yokohama Minato-Mirai) under the main theme of "Beyond the frontier -Consideration of next-gen practice of gastric cancer based on the new science-", and about 2,000 medical doctors and researchers from all fields related to gastric cancer medicine will attend the meeting.

On behalf of the organizing committee, we would like to extend our warmest wishes in inviting you as a Speaker at the lecture session. Although the date and time between March 4 and 6 when you will be asked to give a lecture are yet to be determined, we would very much appreciate if you would give us your initial confirmation of attendance by returning the Reply Form attached to congress secretariat by email (92jgca@convention.co.jp) at your earliest convenience, no later than <u>Thursday, October 31, 2019</u>.

Upon your acceptance, the organizing committee would provide you the following as our appreciation;

- (1) Honorarium of USD 1,500.
  - \*The honorarium includes the airfare and domestic transportation.

We would like to ask you to arrange your flights and airport transfers on your own end.

The honorarium will be provided after your lecture. Please kindly bring the original copy of the payment.

- (2) Hotel accommodation during congress (up to 3 nights).
- (3) Registration fee for 92JGCA will be waived.

Please refer to the second page for further session details.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the congress secretariat.

Sincerely yours,

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## Session Information

Session Session title Date and time Venue Your role	Panel Discussion New perspectives of gastric cancer screening- March 5 (Thu) 2020 8:30 – 10:00 PACIFICO Yokohama (Yokohama Minato-Mirai) Speaker
Chairs	Prof. Takushi Gotouda (Nippon University Hospital) Prof. Shouitchiro Tsugane (National Cancer Center Japan)
Invited Speakers	Prof. Katsuhiro Mabe (Hakodate National Hospital) Prof. Chisato Hamashima (Teikyo University) Prof. Jun Haeng Lee (SAMSUNG medical Center)

## Session Details

Standard chemotherapy for gastric cancer includes cytotoxic agents, HER2 targeting therapy and VEGFR2 targeting therapy. Also, immune check point inhibitors will be introduced in near future. However, efficacy of these treatments is still not sufficient without patient's enrichment and we have many negative trials with other agents. So, more efficient strategy might be necessary based on its biology. In this symposium, we would like to discuss ongoing development of newer treatments for gastric cancer.

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