

## ◆ Annual Meeting News

### Message from the Congress President (JSMO2023)

Greetings from JSMO2023, I am Eishi Baba, M.D., Ph.D., Congress President of 2023 the Japanese Society of Medical Oncology Annual Meeting (JSMO2023)

For the commemoration of the 20th anniversary of this meeting, the theme “Cancer, Science and Life” is selected to reflect upon the progress that has been achieved. Science-based knowledge is crucial in driving future advances in cancer care and helping patients lead satisfying and rewarding lives. We hope that this meeting will provide an opportunity to share and deepen our understanding of this commitment.

We would like to welcome as many speakers from overseas as possible to come to Fukuoka in person. However, considering that the COVID-19 situation remains unpredictable, we are taking all possible infection control measures and making adequate preparations to hold the meeting in a hybrid format. It is our hope that many of you will gather to meet face to face and exchange views on the future of cancer care and cancer pharmacotherapy in Fukuoka in March, when the cherry blossoms are in bloom.

We appreciate your warm understanding and support and look forward to welcoming you in Fukuoka.

### JSMO2023 information

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<Dates>  
March 16 (Thu) –18 (Sat), 2023

<Venues>  
Fukuoka International Congress Center, Marine Messe Fukuoka

#### <Abstract Submission>

#### **June 15 (Wed) –September 15 (Wed), 2022 (JST)**

Abstract Submission guidelines will be released around early June, 2022.  
Please check the updates on “Call for Abstracts” page of the JSMO 2023 website.

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