2006 Japan Chapter Scientific Meeting

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Dear Colleague,

As Governor of the ACP Japan Chapter, I invite you and your colleagues to join me at the upcoming Scientific/Business Meeting and Buffet Reception of the Japan Chapter of the American College of Physicians, being held on April 15, 2006, from 1:30–8:00 p.m. at the Pacifico Yokohama Conference Center, Yokohama.

This meeting is not just for ACP members. I particularly want to invite nonmembers to join us for these important clinical updates and to learn about the benefits of membership at the same time. Dr. C. Anderson Hedberg, MD, FACP, President of the ACP will attend this meeting to discuss College-related issues and to give a lecture. This is a good opportunity to make your voice heard by ACP leadership.

By attending this meeting, you will:

• Gain insight into recent medical advances.
• Discuss local and national issues affecting the practice and teaching of internal medicine.
• Greet old friends, meet new friends, and develop a network of colleagues in your area.
• Take some time for yourself or with your family to relax and enjoy the sights around Yokohama.

Registration is free for the Scientific/Business Meeting. Members are invited to attend the Buffet Reception (fee: 5,000 yen), which will be held right after the Scientific/Business Meeting. To ensure your place at this invaluable meeting, please complete the registration form at the back of this brochure and send it in today via fax to the Japan Chapter Office (+81-3-3818-1556). The opportunities available at this meeting will help you meet not only your needs as a physician but also the needs of the patients your serve.

I look forward to seeing you in Yokohama.

Sincerely,

Kiyoshi Kurokawa, MD, MACP
ACP Governor, Japan Chapter
## Scientific Program and Special Events

**Saturday, April 15, 2006**
Pacifico Yokohama Conference Center, Rooms 301/302

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Faculty

Ellen M. Cosgrove, MD, FACP
Professor of Internal Medicine, Senior Associate Dean, Education, University of New Mexico School of Medicine, Albuquerque, New Mexico, USA; Visiting Professor, International Research Center for Medical Education, The University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan

David H. Gremillion, MD, FACP, Director, Rotating Residency, Kameda Medical Center, Kamogawa, Chiba, Japan

C. Anderson Hedberg, MD, FACP, President, American College of Physicians; Associate Professor of Medicine, Rush University Medical College, Chicago, Illinois, USA

Masashi Shirahama, MD, ACP Member; Director, Saga City Mitsuse Clinic; Clinical Professor, Saga Medical School, Saga, Japan

Katsuhiko Takabayashi, MD, FACP, Professor, Department of Information and Management, Chiba University Hospital, Chiba, Japan

Yoshiko Tsujimoto, Director, Consumer Organization for Medicine and Law (COML), Osaka, Japan

Shunji Yamazaki, MD, Chief, Health and Welfare Bureau, Higashimatsudo Hospital, Matsudo, Chiba, Japan

Scientific Program Committee

Shotai Kobayashi, MD, FACP, Chair
Hiroshi Bando, MD, FACP
Kazuomi Kario, MD, FACP
Yasuki Kihara, MD, FACP
Shunichi Miyazaki, MD, FACP
Yuko Takeda, MD, FACP
Yukio Ueno, MD, FACP

Pathways to Fellowship

Attendance at chapter meetings can help all ACP members in meeting the qualifications for advancement to Fellowship. It is especially important for those applying under the pathway that calls for 5 years of ACP activity as a Member.

Who Should Attend

- General Internists
- Subspecialty Internists
- Family Practitioners
- Fellows in Subspecialty Training
- Allied Health Practitioners
- Residents (Internists in Training)
- Medical Students Interested in Internal Medicine
How To Register

• Registration is FREE for the Chapter Scientific/Business Meeting. Registration for the Buffet Reception is 5000 yen (up to 250 persons). Please complete the attached registration form and return it by mail or FAX to:

ACP Japan Chapter
Attn: Haruko Miyamoto
c/o The Japanese Society of Internal Medicine
3-28-8, Hongo, Bunkyo-ku,
Tokyo 113-8433 Japan
FAX: 03-3818-1556

Priority deadline for ACP members: Friday, March 24, 2006
Deadline for nonmembers: Friday, March 31, 2006

• The fee of 5,000 yen for the Buffet Reception must be paid IN ADVANCE by Friday, March 31, 2006, to the Japan Chapter Bank Account:

Treasurer, Katsuhiko Takabayashi
ACP Japan Chapter
Ordinary Deposit Account No. 2480354
Hongo Branch, Mizuho Bank

• Confirmations
Confirmations will be sent by e-mail or fax once your registration has been processed. Reception fees must be paid in advance to finalize your registration. If you do not receive your confirmation, please contact the Japan Chapter Office by e-mail, acp@naika.or.jp, or by telephone, at 03-3813-5991.

Cancellation/Refund Policy

Notice of registration cancellation for the Buffet Reception must be in writing via mail, fax, or e-mail. Cancellations will not be accepted by telephone. Postmark, fax, or e-mail date will determine the amount of refund according to the following schedule:

Before March 31, 2006 Full Refund
After April 1, 2006 No Refund

• If you need more information about the meeting, please contact Haruko Miyamoto by e-mail, acp@naika.or.jp, or by telephone, 03-3813-5991.

• To access our online meeting information, go to www.icim2002.org.

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This form may be photocopied.

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Address
City/Pref./Zip Code
Daytime Phone
Fax
E-mail

Please check here to indicate a permanent change to your preferred address for all College mailings.

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(Please check)               ______ Buffet Reception
                                      (5,000 yen–up to 250 persons)

TOTAL _________yen

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Questions? Please contact Haruko Miyamoto by e-mail, acp@naika.or.jp, or by telephone, 03-3813-5991.

We encourage participation by all individuals. Check here if you are disabled and require assistance. Advance notification is essential in order for us to serve you better. Please notify the Japan Chapter in writing at the above address at least 30 days before the meeting. We’ll be glad to help.