

Profile

Key Note Speakers

Mr. Johan De Leeuw

Director General, Food and Consumer Products Safety Authority in the Netherlands

(Please refer to the attached document from the Netherlands' Embassy)

Mr. Roel Bol

Director, Trade and Industry, Ministry of Agriculture, Nature and Food Quality

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Panelists

Dr. Masaaki Terada -Coordinator-

Chairman, Food Safety Commission

Dr. Terada holds a Doctor of Medical Science degree from graduate School of Medicine of Kyoto University. Dr. Terada served president of National Cancer Center from 1999 to 2002. Before beginning doing research at National Cancer Center in 1978 Dr. Terada has been an assistant professor of Columbia University for 4 years.

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Dr. Jos Goebbels -Technical assist-

Director, Enforcement and Auditing, Food and Consumer Products Safety Authority

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Ms. Rieko Ozawa

Manager, Consumer Information Section, Japanese Consumers' Co-operative Union

Ms. Ozawa leads the research on consumers' life and products at Japanese Consumers' Co-operative Union (JCCU). Ms. Ozawa has been involved in co-operative activities from 1971 at JCCU. Ms. Ozawa has a B.S. degree in Literature from Hokkaido University.

Dr. Kiyotoshi Kaneko

Director, National Institute of Neuroscience, National Center of Neurology and Psychiatry

Dr. Kaneko started his career as a neurologist, but in these 11 years, Dr. Kaneko has been actively working on prion protein. During the research career, Dr. Kaneko experienced an assistant professor of Neurology of University of California, San Francisco for 3 years (Dr. Stanley Prusiner's lab). Dr. Kaneko holds a Doctor of Medicine from Niigata University, School of Medicine.

Dr. Jun Sekizawa

**Professor, the Faculty of the Integrated Arts and Sciences, the Tokushima University
Chairman, Risk Communication Expert Committee, Food Safety Commission**

Dr. Sekizawa's specialized field is risk assessment and communication of chemical matter, environment and food. Dr. Sekizawa holds a PhD. degree from the University of Tokyo. Dr. Sekizawa was a researcher for National Institute of Health Sciences from 1981 to 2002.

Mr. Yasuhiko Nakamura

Visiting Professor of Meiji University

Mr. Nakamura served senior commentator at NHK, Japan Broadcasting Corporation for many years. As a journalist Mr. Nakamura has followed a lot of food related issues including BSE case and false food labeling cases. Mr. Nakamura has been serving as a member of Food Safety Commission. Mr. Nakamura has a B.S. degree in Literature from Tohoku University.

Mr. Hiroki Yamamoto

Executive Officer, General Manager, Quality Assurance Division,

NICHIREI CORPORATION

Mr. Yamamoto has more than 30 years of experience with Food Quality related operation in NICHIREI, one of Japan's leading food companies, in the refrigerated warehousing and frozen food industries.

Advisers

Dr. Takashi Toguchi

Counsellor, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Health, Welfare and Labour

Mr. Takashi Himeda

Director, Consumers Information, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries