



International Conference on Science and Technology for Sustainability 2025

Strengthening research capability and promoting international talent mobility and circulation: a focus on early career researchers who will lead the academia of the future

February 11^{WED} → 12^{THU}, 2026

Hybrid (In-Person Venue: Auditorium of Science Council of Japan, Online: ZOOM Webinar)

[Language] Japanese/English (Simultaneous interpretation) **[Capacity]** In-Person: 200 Attendees / Online 600 Attendees

[Organizer] Science Council of Japan (International Conference on Science and Technology for Sustainability 2025 Sub-Committee)

[Supported] Secretariat of Science, Technology and Innovation Policy, Cabinet Office, Government of Japan / Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology

In order for Japan to demonstrate competitive research capability at an international level, this conference will feature leading researchers at world-class universities and institutions overseas as role models to share the knowledge acquired from prior engagement and proposals based on that knowledge to deepen discussions. Furthermore, it will also highlight strategic measures such as the strategic dispatch and acceptance of research personnel, taking into account Japan's circumstances and trends in international talent mobility and circulation.

Day 1: 2.11^{WED}

PROGRAM

10:00-11:55 ▶ **Opening Ceremony**

Keynote Speech 1

Wilfred VAN DER WIEL

Professor at the MESA+ Institute for Nanotechnology, University of Twente, The Netherlands
Director of the BRAINS Center (Brain-Inspired Nano Systems)

Program
Details



Keynote Speech 2

FUKAMI Tadashi

Professor, Department of Biology and Department of Earth System Science, Stanford University
Visiting Senior Researcher, Center for Advanced Science and Technology, The University of Tokyo
Invited Professor, Institute of Advanced Interdisciplinary Research, Yokohama National University

13:30-17:25 ▶ **Panel Discussion 1**

"Strengthening the research capability of early career researchers who will lead the future of science"

Day 2: 2.12^{THU}

9:20-13:00 ▶ **Panel Discussion 2**

"Promoting international talent mobility and circulation"

14:00-15:30 ▶ **Integrate Session**

15:30-15:50 ▶ **Closing Ceremony**

Admission
FREE

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