

FY2024 Expert Exchange Meeting

- Date/Time: January 22, 2025 (Wed.) 14:00 - 16:45

(On-site participants: networking and business card exchange until approx. 17:30)

- Venue: AP Tokyo Marunouchi, Meeting Rooms A+B+C (WebEx, hybrid)

- Speakers:

Toshio Nakamura (Olympus Corporation, Former Convenor, ISO/TC172/SC5/WG6)

(A presentation in an interactive dialogue format with the moderator, covering topics such as experience as a convenor, internal recognition within the organization, and approaches to overcoming language barriers.)

Yuki Kawase (Furukawa Electric Co., Ltd., Convenor, IEC/TC62/SC62D/MT33)

“International standardization of photodynamic therapy devices — The path toward the development of IEC 60601-2-75 —”

- Participants: 9TC(ISO/TC84,106,150,172,194,210,IEC/TC62,TC87,ISO/IEC JTC1) and JFMDA, MHLW, PMDA, and others, approx. 80 participants

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Speaker: T.
Nakamura



Speaker: Y.
Kawase

- ✓ Sharing of experiences by speakers;
messages to younger professionals
- ✓ Opinion exchange among all participants
- ✓ Networking and business card exchange



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【Discussion Topics】

- Positioning and recognition within companies
- Key points from standards proposal to development
- Status of standardization activities in various countries
- Negotiation strategies with other countries
- Succession and knowledge transfer
- Business utilization of international standardization
- Overcoming language barriers
- Role of convenors
- Approaches to hosting international meetings in Japan
- Academic involvement in international standardization activities, etc.

【Outcomes】

- 9 ISO/IEC Technical Committees, with approx. 80 participants in total
- Speakers shared experiences and provided advice to successors, enhancing knowledge
- Industry-government-academia stakeholders exchanged opinions, shared challenges, and strengthened collaboration

Post-Event Survey (Summary of Results)

- Response rate: 56.9%
- Satisfied or Very Satisfied: 87.9%(remaining 12.1% were Somewhat Satisfied; Somewhat Dissatisfied or below: 0%)
- Gained something from the meeting: 100%
- Desire for continued hosting: 100%

(Examples of feedback received)

- Would like more discussion on business utilization of international standardization activities
- Would like more discussion on gaining corporate leadership understanding of international standardization activities

(Regarding next year's event)

- Planning content that better meets participants' needs (e.g., emphasizing opinion exchange)
- Setting high-interest presentation and discussion topics (e.g., business utilization)