

FY2025 Expert Exchange Meeting

- Date: Tuesday, February 17, 2026, 13:30–17:30

(Networking and business card exchange until approx. 18:30 for on-site participants)

- Venue: AP Tokyo Marunouchi, Meeting Rooms E+F+H (with WebEx)

- Speakers and Presentation Topics:

Manabu Eto (Hitotsubashi University)

“Business Utilization of Rule-Making and Standardization”

Akiko Nagae (Biwakogakuen Kusatsu Medical and Welfare Center for Disabilities)

“Implementation of ISO 80369-3 (Small-Bore Connectors for Enteral Nutrition) and Semi-Solid Nutrition in Japan: My Involvement with ISO / From a Physician’s Perspective”

- Participants:

87 participants from 13 TCs (ISO/TC76, 84, 106, 121, 150, 172, 194, 198, 210, 272, 276, IEC/TC62, TC87) and JFMDA, MHLW, METI, PMDA, and others

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Speaker:
Manabu Eto



Speaker:
Akiko Nagae

- ✓ Knowledge and experience sharing by speakers
- ✓ Small group discussions
- ✓ Plenary discussion
- ✓ Networking and business card exchange



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【Discussion Topics】

- Methods for recruiting personnel for standardization activities
 - Methods for promoting healthcare professional involvement
 - Effective methods for educating and developing young professionals
 - Government support requested and necessary government involvement
 - Know-how for enhancing Japan's presence
 - Importance of organizational leadership understanding standardization, and approaches to gaining their support
 - Methods for promoting standardization achievements within organizations
 - Challenges in securing budgets for standardization activities
 - Standardization policies in other countries
- etc.

【Outcomes】

- 87 participants including members from 13 ISO/IEC Technical Committees
- Enhanced participants' knowledge and expertise through speaker presentations
- Facilitated sharing of common challenges, exploration of solutions, and strengthened collaboration through participant discussions

Post-Event Survey (Summary of Results)

- Response rate: 64%
- Satisfaction rate: 98% (respondents rating "somewhat satisfied" or higher)
- Interest in continued events and participation: 98%
- Respondents who gained something from the meeting: 100%

(Examples of Feedback Received)

- Would like to continue discussing measures to deepen organizational understanding of standardization and the discovery and development of standardization talent
- It would also be useful to have focused discussions on recognized challenges

(Regarding Next Year's Event)

- Planning content that better meets participants' needs (focused discussions, outcome-oriented discussions, etc.)
- Setting high-interest presentation and discussion themes (business-related, standardization success stories, etc.)