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Professor, Department of Cancer Pathology, Faculty of Medicine Professor, Department of Surgical Pathology, Hokkaido University Hospital Fellow, Institute for Chemical Reaction Design and Discovery

Education

1984-1990 Hokkaido University School of Medicine, Sapporo, Japan

1990-1994 Hokkaido University Graduate School of Medicine, Sapporo, Japan

Academic position

1994-2000 Assistant Professor, Hokkaido University

1994-1997 Postdoctoral Fellow, The Rockefeller University, USA (Dr. Hidesaburo Hanafusa)

2000-2002 Senior Researcher, Hokkaido University2003-2007 Associate Professor, Hokkaido University

2008-present Professor, Department of Pathology, Faculty of Medicine, Hokkaido University

2019-2025 Principle Investigator, Institute for Chemical Reaction Design & Discovery (WPI-ICReDD),

2024-present Professor, Department of Surgical Pathology, Hokkaido University Hospital

2025-present Dean, Faculty of Medicine, Hokkaido University

Fellowship:

1993-1994 Special Research Fellowship of JSPS Fellowship for Research, Japan.

1994-1995 Sasagawa Medical Research Fund, Japan.

1995-1996 Charles H. Revson Fellowship in Biomedical Research, USA.

Qualification

1990 Board certification of Medical Doctor (Ministry of Health, Labour, and Welfare, Japan)

License of Autopsy (Ministry of Health, Labour, and Welfare, Japan)Board certification of Pathology (The Japanese Society of Pathology)

2002 Board of certification of Cytology (The Japanese Society of Clinical Cytology)

2019 Board of Molecular Pathology (The Japanese Society of Pathology)

Membership

The Japanese Cancer Association (Director, from 2025.3)

The Japanese Society of Pathology (Vice-president)

The Japanese Society of Brain Tumor Pathology (Director)

The Japanese Society of Neuropathology (Director)

The Japanese Association for Molecular Target Therapy of Cancer (Director)

Editorial board:

2020-present Editor-in-chief, Pathology International

2016-present Vice-Editor-in-chief, Brain Tumor Pathology

Awards:

2001 Incitement Award of The Japanese Cancer Association

2002 Research Award of The Japanese Society of Pathology

2003 Incitement Award of The Japanese Society of Pathology

2021 Hokkaido Governor's Award/Hokkaido Medical Doctor Association Award

2022 Japan Pathology Award

2024 Hokkaido University President Award