

The 43rd Annual Meeting of the Japanese Association for Chest Surgery  
Thursday, May 14, 2026

Japanese Session English Session

		8:00	9:00	10:00	11:00	12:00	13:00	14:00	15:00	16:00	17:00	18:00	19:00
Tsukuba International Congress Center	Room 1 1F Main Convention Hall	7:50~8:00 Opening Remarks	8:00~9:00 SY1 Symposium1 Challenges of Extended Resection with Major Vascular Involvement—Innovations in Surgical Techniques and Perioperative Management— C: Yasushi Shintani Keisuke Asakura	9:10~11:10 PS1 Presidential Selection1 Succession: Rethinking Lymphadenectomy—Pursuing Precision and Defining Extent C: Isao Matsumoto Shun-ichi Watanabe		11:30~12:20 LS1 Luncheon Seminar1		13:20~14:50 PS2 Presidential Selection2 Evolution: Cutting-edge Technologies in Thoracic Surgery C: Takeshi Nagayasu Jitsuo Usuda		15:15~16:05 AS1 Afternoon Seminar1	16:10~17:00 SL Special Lecture Masashi Yanagisawa C: Yukio Sato	17:00~17:30 DL Secretary General's Report Shinichi Toyooka C: Yukio Sato	17:30~18:10 PL Presidential Lecture Yukio Sato C: Shunsuke Endo
	Room 2 3F Convention Hall 300		8:00~9:30 SY2 Symposium2 Training Thoracic Surgeons in the Era of Minimally Invasive Surgery—Applications and Perspectives of Off-the-Job Training— C: Norihiko Ikeda Yoshinori Okada	9:40~11:10 SP1 Special Program1 Does QOL Affect Survival?—Frontiers in QOL and PRO Research in Thoracic Surgery— C: Hideo Ichimura Cecilia Pompili		11:30~12:20 LS2 Luncheon Seminar2		13:20~14:50 WS1 Workshop1 Confronting Giant Tumors—Evolving Surgical Approaches and Reconstructive Innovations C: Fumihiko Tanaka Kenichi Okubo		15:15~16:05 AS2 Afternoon Seminar2			18:10~19:00 ES Evening Seminar
	Room 3 2F Convention Hall 200		8:00~9:30 VSY1 Video Symposium1 Minimally Invasive Approaches for Thymectomy—Challenges and Perspectives Beyond Median Sternotomy C: Yasushi Hoshikawa Masayoshi Inoue	9:40~11:10 PD1 Panel Discussion1 Updates in Perioperative Treatment Selection—Staging and Biomarkers C: Hiroyuki Suzuki Yasuhiro Tsutani		11:30~12:20 LS3 Luncheon Seminar3		13:20~14:50 PD2 Panel Discussion2 Preventing Recurrence after Segmentectomy—Defining Indications and Intraoperative Strategies C: Kimihiro Shimizu Satoshi Shiono		15:15~16:05 AS3 Afternoon Seminar3			
	Room 4 1F Conference Room 102		8:00~9:30 SP2 Special Program2 Work Style Reform and Diversity in Thoracic Surgery C: Masanori Tsuchida Rie Nakahara	9:40~10:40 WS2 Workshop2 Management Strategies for Superior Sulcus Tumors—Updates in Perioperative Therapy and Surgical Approaches C: Yukinori Sakao Takashi Ohtsuka	10:45~11:15 Report from the Comprehensive Board Certification System Committee	11:30~12:20 LS4 Luncheon Seminar4		13:20~14:50 VSY2 Video Symposium2 Evolution: Current Advances and Future Perspectives of RATS—Strategic Insights from Different Platforms C: Toshihiko Sato Yoshimasa Maniwa		15:15~16:05 AS4 Afternoon Seminar4	16:10~17:00 GCL Reports of Medical Insurance Committee C: Keitaro Matsumoto Junichi Maeda		
	Room 5 1F Conference Room 101		8:00~9:05 O1 Oral Session1 C: Tsutomu Tagawa Masayuki Nakao	9:05~10:10 O2 Oral Session2 C: Motohiro Yamashita Masaomi Yamane	10:10~11:15 O3 Oral Session3 C: Wataru Nishio Aritoshi Hattori	11:30~12:20 LS5 Luncheon Seminar5		13:20~14:25 O4 Oral Session4 C: Tadasu Kohno Makoto Tomoyasu	14:25~15:05 O5 Oral Session5 C: Yoshihiro Minamiya Hisashi Sahara	15:15~16:05 AS5 Afternoon Seminar5			
	Room 6 2F Conference Room 202		8:00~9:05 O6 Oral Session6 C: Tadashi Aoki Takekazu Iwata	9:05~10:10 O7 Oral Session7 C: Masafumi Hiratsuka Koji Kawaguchi	10:10~11:15 O8 Oral Session8 C: Masayuki Iwazaki Jun Suzuki	11:30~12:20 LS6 Luncheon Seminar6		13:20~14:10 O9 Oral Session9 C: Sumiko Maeda Naoko Ose	14:10~15:00 O10 Oral Session10 C: Takashi Anayama Takeshi Mimura	15:15~16:05 AS6 Afternoon Seminar6	16:10~17:00 O11 Oral Session11 C: Masahiro Mitsuoka Hirofumi Uehara		
	Room 7 2F Conference Room 201		8:00~9:05 O12 Oral Session12 C: Hajime Saito Hiromichi Niikawa	9:05~9:55 O13 Oral Session13 C: Jun Hanaoka Ryo Maeda	9:55~11:00 O14 Oral Session14 C: Toshi Menju Katsuhiko Okuda	11:30~12:20 LS7 Luncheon Seminar7		13:20~14:10 O15 Oral Session15 C: Masahiko Harada Tetsukan Woo	14:10~15:10 O16 Oral Session16 C: Koji Yamazaki Seiichiro Sugimoto	15:15~16:05 AS7 Afternoon Seminar7	16:10~17:00 O17 Oral Session17 C: Hiromitsu Takizawa Fumihiko Shoji		
	Room 8 4F Meeting Room 406		8:00~9:05 O18 Oral Session18 C: Takayuki Fukui Takahiro Homma	9:05~10:10 O19 Oral Session19 C: Takeshi Shiraishi Yui Watanabe	10:10~11:15 O20 Oral Session20 C: Hisashi Oishi Takahiro Nakajima	11:30~12:20 LS8 Luncheon Seminar8		13:20~14:25 O21 Oral Session21 C: Tatsuo Ohira Masaaki Nagano	14:25~15:05 O22 Oral Session22 C: Kentaroh Miyoshi Mitsuaki Kawashima				
	Room 9 4F Meeting Room 405		8:00~9:05 O23 Oral Session23 C: Yuko Minami Tsutomu Yoshida	9:05~10:10 O24 Oral Session24 C: Noriyoshi Sawabata Kazuhiro Imai	10:10~11:15 O25 Oral Session25 C: Mitsuhiro Takenoyama Yujin Kudo	11:30~12:20 LS9 Luncheon Seminar9		13:20~14:10 O26 Oral Session26 C: Hiroaki Harada Takuro Miyazaki	14:10~15:15 O27 Oral Session27 C: Atsushi Osoegawa Masatsugu Hamaji				
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Tsukuba International Congress Center	Room 1 1F Main Convention Hall	8:00~9:00 PS3 Presidential Selection3-1 An Unforgettable Surgical Experience C: Atsushi Watanabe Makoto Suzuki	9:10~10:10 SP3 Special Program3 Succession: Messages to the Next Generation C: Masayuki Chida	10:20~12:20 PS4 Presidential Selection4 Design the Future —Designing the Future of Thoracic Surgery in the Next Decade C: Yukio Sato Shinichi Toyooka		12:35~13:25 LS10 Luncheon Seminar10		14:30~15:20 AS8 Afternoon Seminar8	15:30~17:30 PS5 Presidential Selection5 Succession: Carinal resection C: Ichiro Yoshino Kenji Suzuki		17:30~18:10 AL JACS award	18:10~18:20 Closing Remarks		
	Room 2 3F Convention Hall 300	8:00~9:00 PS3 Presidential Selection3-2 An Unforgettable Surgical Experience C: Kichizo Kaga Hirochika Matsubara	9:10~10:40 JS JACS-ESTS Joint Session Salvage surgery C: TBD Keitaro Matsumoto		10:50~12:20 WS3 Workshop3 Pulmonary Artery Bleeding: Clinical Realities and Management C: Keitaro Matsumoto Hiroyoshi Tsubochi	12:35~13:25 LS11 Luncheon Seminar11		14:30~15:20 AS9 Afternoon Seminar9	15:30~16:30 WS4 Workshop4 Treatment Strategies for Recurrence after Segmentectomy—Diagnosis and Treatment Selection C: Hisashi Saiji Hidemi Suzuki	16:40~18:10 SP4 Special Program4 Designing the Future of Thoracic Surgery—A Joint Session of Vietnam, Taiwan, and Japan C: Chung Ping Hsu Ngo Vi Hai Masayoshi Inoue				
	Room 3 2F Convention Hall 200	8:00~9:00 PS3 Presidential Selection3-3 An Unforgettable Surgical Experience C: Takashi Suda Junji Ichinose	9:10~10:40 PD3 Panel Discussion3 Designing the Future of Lung Transplantation in Japan C: Tatsuya Kato Masaaki Sato		10:50~12:20 SP5 Special Program5 Video Contest: Mastering Right Upper Lobectomy and Mediastinal Lymph Node Dissection C: Hisashi Iwata Kenji Suzuki J: Hiroyuki Ito Hidetaka Uramoto Kimihiro Shimizu Takashi Suda Covidien Japan, Inc.	12:35~13:25 LS12 Luncheon Seminar12		14:30~15:20 AS10 Afternoon Seminar10	15:30~17:00 PD4 Panel Discussion4 Surgery after Immunotherapy for Lung Cancer—Tips and Pitfalls in Perioperative Management and Surgical Strategies C: Hiroyuki Ito Hidetaka Uramoto		17:00~18:20 NEXT Quiz Competition C: Yuichiro Ueda Hidenao Kayawake Shinji Yuhara			
	Room 4 1F Conference Room 102	8:00~9:00 PS3 Presidential Selection3-4 An Unforgettable Surgical Experience C: Yasuhisa Ohde Tomoyuki Hishida	9:10~10:10 WS5 Workshop5 Strategies for Refractory Air Leaks C: Akira Iyoda Tomohiro Murakawa	10:15~11:15 WS6 Workshop6 Approaches to Segmentectomy—VATS, RATS, or (Mini-) Thoracotomy? C: Morihito Okada Masato Kanzaki	11:20~12:20 NCD NCD Joint Seminar	12:35~13:25 LS13 Luncheon Seminar13		14:30~15:20 AS11 Afternoon Seminar11	15:30~17:00 PS6 Presidential Selection6 NCD Research—Translating Big Data into Clinical Practice C: Toyofumi F. Chen yoshikawa Hiroyuki Yamamoto			17:40~18:10 Reports of Endoscopic Safety Skill Qualification Committee		
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