

2025 INTERNATIONAL

SPORTS SCIENCE SYMPOSIUM

Refining the Ecosystem of Kinesiology and Sports
: From Academia to Professional Practice

2025.12.19(Fri) - 20(Sat)
Seoul Olympic Parktel

12.19(Fri) Keynote speakers



Dr. Yoshimasa Suda
(Keio University)



Dr. Nicole Rogers
(Wichita State University)



Dr. Tien-chin Tan
(National Taiwan
Normal University)



Dr. Jatin Prafull Ambegaonkar
(George Mason University)

12.20(Sat) Invited speakers



Dr. Toru Kawai
(Ritsumeikan University)



Dr. Shruti Ambegaonkar
(George Mason University)



Dr. Steriani Elavsky
(University of Ostrava)



Dr. Jae Woo Chung
(Yonsei University)



Dr. Takanori Ishii
(NPO Sports Coaching Academia)



Dr. Hyunwoo Lee
(Texas A&M University)



Dr. Michael E. Rogers
(Wichita State University)



Dr. Jatin Prafull Ambegaonkar
(George Mason University)



Dr. Hyung Pil Jun
(Dong-A University)



Dr. Kyu Hwan Lee
(WADA)



Dr. Kazuo Funato
(Kokushikan University)



Dr. Yongchul Chung
(Sogang University)



Hoseok Kang
(Association of National
Team Coaches of Korea)



Junghwa Seo
(YK Attorneys at Law)



Junhyeok Choi
(Coalition of
Parents of Athletes)

Day 1 (December 19)

Master of Ceremonies: Dr. Jaewoo Park & Dr. Miryang Kim
(Hanyang University & Soonchunhyang University)

Kwan-Yong Choi, President, KAHPERD

Hwi-Yong Choi, Ministry of Culture, Sports and Tourism

14:00 ~ 14:20

Opening Ceremony

Hyung-Joo Ha, Chairman, Korea Sports Promotion Foundation

Seung-Min Yoo, President, Korean Sport & Olympic Committee

Jin-Wan Jung, President, Korean Paralympic Committee

Session Chair: Dr. Sae Yong Lee (Yonsei University)

Session 1. University collegiate and National Elite Sport Development Systems

14:20 ~ 15:00

Featured presentation 1.

The Role of University Sports in Shaping Holistic Student Development: Insights from Keio University



Dr. Yoshimasa Suda (Keio University, Japan)

15:00 ~ 15:10

Discussion

15:10 ~ 15:40



Featured presentation 2.

Eighteen Years of Impact: Lessons, Insights, and Outcomes of WellREP, a Community-Based Exercise Program for Older Adults

Dr. Nicole Rogers (Wichita State University, USA)

15:40 ~ 15:50

Discussion

Session 2. Sport Policy, Behavioral Approaches, and Athletic Development

15:50 ~ 16:20

Featured presentation 3.

China's Elite Sport Policy: The Path to Olympic Glory



Dr. Tien-chin Tan (National Taiwan Normal University, Taiwan)

16:20 ~ 16:30

Discussion

16:30 ~ 17:00



Featured presentation 4.

Innovative Dance Education: Building Sustainable Bodies and Futures that Last

Dr. Jatin Prafull Ambegaonkar (George Mason University, USA)

17:00 ~ 17:10

Discussion

Day 2 (December 20)

Session 1. Innovation in Sport Science Ecosystems and Its Application to Athletic Support

Session Chair: Dr. Chae-Hee Park (Korea National Sport University)

Organizational Learning in Higher Education, Specifically Its Integration With Elite Sports Student Training

Dr. Toru Kawai (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)

Three Nations, One Goal: Building World-Class Allied Health Ecosystems for Elite Athletes

Dr. Shruti Ambegaonkar (George Mason University, USA)

10:00
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11:20

Session 2. Performance, Health, and its Integrity to Sport

Session Chair: Dr. Ji-Hang Lee (Sungkyunkwan University)

Promoting Psychological Well-being and Behavior Change With Physical Activity Interventions

Dr. Steriani Elavsky (University of Ostrava, Czechia)

Neural Foundations of Human Movement: Optimizing Performance and Health Through Movement Science

Dr. Jae Woo Chung (Yonsei University, Korea)

Session 3. The Future Direction of Elite Sports in Korea

Session Chair: Dr. Jae-Hyeon Park (Korea National Sport University)

Sports Policy and Its Application: Insights from Supporting the Japan National Judo Team

Dr. Takanori Ishii (NPO Sports Coaching Academia, Japan)

11:20 ~ 12:30

Lunch Break

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Kinesiology's Scientific Turn: From Pedagogical Roots to Precision Sport Science Ecosystem

Dr. Hyunwoo Lee (Texas A&M University, USA)

Building a Fall-Prevention Framework for Older Adults: Integrating Research and Programs Across Practice Settings

Dr. Michael E. Rogers (Wichita State University, USA)

Protect Clean Athletes and Strengthen Integrity of Sports by Understanding the World Anti-Doping Code - 11 Types of Anti-Doping Rule Violations and What Will Be Changed in the 2027 Code

Dr. Kyu Hwan Lee (WADA, Japan)

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Session Chair: Dr. Ji-Hang Lee (Sungkyunkwan University)

Athletic Artistry in Motion: Injury Prevention and Care for Dancers

Dr. Jatin Prafull Ambegaonkar (George Mason University, USA)

12:30
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15:00

Innovational Approach to Analyze Dance Motion to Prevent Injury

Dr. Hyung Pil Jun (Dong-A University, Korea)

Health-Related Kinanthropometric Research With Special Interests in MRI and 3D Body Scanning Methods

Dr. Kazuo Funato (Kokushikan University, Japan)

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Decision to Leave: Candid Advice for the Future of Korean Elite Sports

Dr. Yongchul Chung (Sogang University, Korea)

Elite Sports in Korea: Challenges and Future Directions from the Coach's Perspective

Hoseok Kang (Association of National Team Coaches of Korea, Korea)

Academic Rights and Athlete Development Reform as the Foundation for Korea's Sustainable Sports Development

Junghwa Seo (YK Attorneys at Law, Korea)

Ensuring Athlete Protection and Sociological Safety: A Parent's View

Junhyeok Choi (Coalition of Parents of Athletes, Korea)