

# Standing Committee Nomination Form 2024

First Nomination       Nomination for re-election

This nomination is for:  
(tick one box only) PLEASE USE **ONE FORM PER NOMINATION**

Membership Liaison and Support Committee       Dental Practice Committee  
 Education Committee       Science Committee  
 Public Health Committee

## DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED

**Written presentation from the Nominee in English** (Maximum 350 words for Standing Committees)

Included

**Curriculum Vitae (CV) / personal record in English in a Word format**

Included

## NOMINEE'S INFORMATION

Title:  Teaching Professor, Institute of Education, Tokyo Medical and Dental University  Department Chair, Department of Educational System in Dentistry, Graduate school of Medical and Dental Sciences, Tokyo Medical and Dental University
Name: Jun TSURUTA
Address: 6-3-4, Honfujisawa Fujisawa City, Kanagawa, Japan, 251-0875
Member Association: Japan Dental Association

The nominee declares that he/she is willing to serve in this position

Yes

Signature



### NOMINATING ASSOCIATION/ORGANIZATION'S INFORMATION

Name of the Association/Organization  
Japan Dental Association

Name of Official representing this Association/Organisation (President/NLO/President-elect). The Nominee may not nominate himself/herself.  
Dr. Hideto Takahashi

Position of Official  
President, Japan Dental Association

Signature  
*Hideto Takahashi*

To be eligible for election to a standing committee, nominees should meet the specific criteria for each committee listed below. Please tick the boxes below if the corresponding criteria are met.

#### Membership Liaison and Support Committee

- Able to communicate effectively in English, verbally and in documents
- Documented knowledge and experience of working within a national or international organization
- Documented knowledge and experience in promotion of health policies of writing, printing and/or publishing
- Networking and communication skills
- A successful candidate evaluation results (only in case of nomination for re-elections)

#### Dental Practice Committee

- Able to communicate effectively in English, verbally and in writing
- Documented knowledge and experience of clinical dental practice
- Experience in the management of projects related to dental practice
- Knowledge in areas relevant to the practice of dentistry, such as dental and

professional legislation, ethics, practice management, working within a dental team, education, community oral health, etc...

- Experience in policy formulation, management and advocacy in the field of dental practice
- A successful candidate evaluation results (in case of nomination for re-elections)

### Education Committee

- Able to communicate effectively in English, verbally and in writing
- Documented knowledge and experience in organising continuing education programmes for dental practitioners, lecturing experience, and knowledge of educational and training methods
- A record of attendance/participation of international dental congresses
- Contacts (network) of internationally renowned dental scientists and speakers
- A successful candidate evaluation results (in case of nomination for re-elections)

**Science Committee Note:** *for Science Committee, a mix of members with expertise from different areas is important. There is currently a requirement for candidates with experience in the fields of oral pathology / oral medicine, gerodontology / general dentistry and periodontology.*

- Able to communicate effectively in English verbally and in writing
- Post-graduate scientific qualifications
- A substantial record of publications in scientific journals especially dental
- Experience in the management of scientific projects
- Knowledge of the principles and practice of evidence-based dentistry
- Contacts (network) of internationally renowned dental scientists
- A successful candidate evaluation results (in case of nomination for re-elections)

### Public Health Committee

**A post-graduate** academic qualification in dental public health or preventive and community dentistry is **an asset**. Please tick this box if applicable

- Able to communicate effectively in English, verbally and in writing
- Documented knowledge and work experience in dental public health c.q. oral health promotion and disease prevention
- In depth knowledge and documented experience relevant to areas of dental public health, such as disease prevention, fluorides, oral cancer, tobacco, nutrition, disease risk factors and health promoting behavioural aspects, community oral health etc.
- Documented experience in aspects of oral health development projects, such as developing, implementing, managing and evaluating these projects

- Experience in the development, implementation and evaluation of community-based projects and programs, including awareness, education and promotion, for different types of population.
- Experience in policy formulation and advocacy at highest levels in the field of (dental) public health and/or in high level decision making in international or national (dental) organisation
- Experience in epidemiology or public health research
- Contacts (network) of internationally renowned dental scientists or key health decision makers
- A successful candidate evaluation results (in case of nomination for re-elections)

**CLOSING DATES FOR NOMINATIONS FOR STANDING COMMITTEES: 3 June 2024**

This form must be signed and returned **preferably by email** to:

Ms Djerdana (Gina) Ivosevic at [divosevic@fdiworlddental.org](mailto:divosevic@fdiworlddental.org)  
with copy to Ms Maria Kramarenko [mkramarenko@fdiworlddental.org](mailto:mkramarenko@fdiworlddental.org)  
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Candidate

Member of the Education Committee

Jun TSURUTA, D.D.S., Ph.D.

I have worked in Dental Education for more than 20 years as an educator, researcher, and dentist. Currently, I work for Tokyo Medical and Dental University (TMDU) as an expert for education, Teaching Professor. I manage the curriculum for School of Dentistry and several nationwide committees for Dental Education. The environment at TMDU, which holds the 4th position in the QS World University Rankings for Dentistry 2024, the 1st in Japan, enables me to promote various kinds of Dental Education, especially Inter-Professional Education (IPE) among world-leading researchers and clinicians in medical and dental fields. I also serve as the Director of the Japanese Dental Education Association (JDEA) and the Chair of the Educational Internationalization Promotion Committee of JDEA. In the past, I helped the JDEA to establish organizational relationships with the Association for Dental Education in Europe (ADEE), the American Dental Education Association, and the South East Asia Association. My experience as part of the DentEd project in the ADEE in the 2000s inspired me to work toward further international collaboration in the field of dentistry.

Within Dental Education, undergraduate education for foundation and Continuing Professional Development for improving expertise, have a huge impact on quality assurance for the public. Regarding development of dental professionals that each country faces, sharing best practice of educational contents and methods from other countries and effective support to enable to design program are both required, and it would be possible in the FDI activities. For example, sharing our experience in Japan for the Geriatric dentistry and IPE will directly contribute to improving the quality of dental education at the global level.

I believe the Education Committee plays a key role in helping each FDI member individually to update their knowledge by learning new techniques as well as ethics and values. I am happy to become a nominee from the Japan Dental Association (JDA), and I would be honored to dedicate my knowledge, expertise, and experience to serving other FDI members and pursuing the FDI vision “to lead the world to optimal oral health.”



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May 31, 2024

Mr. Enzo Bondioni  
Executive Director, FDI World Dental Federation

Dear Mr. Bondioni,

On behalf of Japan Dental Association, I am pleased to submit the documents required for FDI election 2024.

Please find the attached documents, the Nomination and Eligibility form, the CV and the written presentation of Dr. Jun Tsuruta, the nominee of FDI Education Committee.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Hideto Takahashi".

Dr. Hideto Takahashi  
President, Japan Dental Association

## CURRICULUM VITAE

### < Personally identifiable Information >

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### < Education and Professional Experience/ Research Experience >

#### < Education >

March 1997 D.D.S., School of Dentistry, Faculty of Dentistry, Tokyo Medical and Dental University

March 2001 Ph.D., Fixed Prosthodontics, Graduate School of Dentistry, Tokyo Medical and Dental University

#### < Professional Position >

April 2001 Resident, Dental Hospital, Tokyo Medical and Dental University

November 2001 Assistant Professor, Medical and Dental Education Development section,  
Graduate School of Medical and Dental Sciences, Tokyo Medical and Dental University

April 2003-March 2004

MEXT Fellowship Program for Japanese Scholars and Researchers to Study Abroad  
(School of Dentistry, University of Liverpool, UK)

December 2006 Lecturer, Dental Education Development section, Graduate School of Medical and Dental  
Sciences, Tokyo Medical and Dental University

April 2013 Associate Professor, Center for Interprofessional Education, Tokyo Medical and Dental  
University

April 2016-Current

Associate Professor, Institute of Education, Tokyo Medical and Dental University

July 2021-Current

Department Chair, Department of Educational System in Dentistry, Graduate School of  
Medical and Dental Sciences, Tokyo Medical and Dental University

June 2023-Current

Teaching Professor, Institute of Education, Tokyo Medical and Dental University

#### < License >

April 1997 Registration to Japanese Dental Licensure (License No.131860 )

< Certificate >

2018-2028 Certified Medical Education Specialist, the Japan Society for Medical Education

2019-2024 Certified Dentist, the Japan Society of Dental Practice Administration

< Membership, Academic Society >

- The American Dental Education Association
- The Japanese Dental Education Association
- The Japan Society for Medical Education
- The Japan Society of Dental Practice Administration
- The Japan Prosthodontic Society
- The Stomatological Society, Japan
- The Japanese Society of Gerodontology

< Standing Committee, Academic Society >

- Representative (Tokyo Medical and Dental University), The South East Asia Association for Dental Education
- Director, The Japan Dental Education Association
- Chair of Educational Internationalization Promotion Committee, The Japanese Dental Education Association
- Member of Educational Skills Development Committee, The Japan Dental Education Association
- Member of Educational Evaluation Committee, The Japan Dental Education Association
- Director, The Japan Society of Dental Practice Administration
- Member of Editorial Board, The Japan Society for Medical Education
- Member of Public Relations and Information Infrastructure Committee, The Japan Society for Medical Education
- Member of Editorial Board, The Japan Society of Dental Practice Administration
- Managing Director (International Relations), The Dental Alumni Association, Tokyo Medical and Dental University

< Reward >

2010 Excellent Dental Education Award, Japan Dental Education Association

2016 Poster presentation award, the 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting, South East Asia Association for Dental Education

2017 Educational System Development Award (Co-Author), Japan Dental Education Association

2017 JSP Education Award (Co-Author), Japanese Society of Periodontology

2019 Poster presentation award (2<sup>nd</sup>), the 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting, South East Asia Association for Dental Education

< Scientific Grants >

2009-2010 Grant in Aid for Scientific Research, Encouragement of Young Scientists (B), 21791884, Principal Investigator

2010-2011 Health Labour Sciences Research, 201101008B, Principal Investigator

2014-2016 Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (C), 26512004, Principal Investigator

2017-2019 Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (C), 17K01073, Co-Investigator



2018-2019 Health Labour Sciences Research, 201922004B, Co-Investigator  
2019-2023 Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (A), 19H05663, Co-Investigator  
2020-2022 Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (C), 20K02178, Principal Investigator  
2020-2022 Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (C), 20K10316, Co-Investigator  
2022-2022 Joint research agreement, NISSIN DENTAL PRODUCTS INC. Principal Investigator  
2023-2025 Joint research agreement, SONY Corporation, Principal Investigator  
2024-2025 Joint research agreement, NISSIN DENTAL PRODUCTS INC. Principal Investigator

< Recent Interest of Dental Research >

\*Curriculum Development \*Interprofessional Education \*Continuing Professional Development

#### List of Publications

< Original Article (2014-2023) >

1. Jun Tsuruta, Simulator education in Japanese dental education. *European journal of dental education*, 2023.12;(10.1111/eje.12983)
2. Akitaka Hattori, Ken-ichi Tonami, Jun Tsuruta, Masayuki Hideshima, Yasuyuki Kimura, Hiroshi Nitta, Kouji Araki. Effect of the haptic 3D virtual reality dental training simulator on assessment of tooth preparation. *Journal of Dental Sciences*. 2021.08; ( DOI : 10.1016/j.jds.2021.06.022 )
3. Numasawa Mitsuyuki, Nawa Nobutoshi, Funakoshi Yu, Noritake Kanako, Tsuruta Jun, Kawakami Chiharu, Nakagawa Mina, Yamaguchi Kumiko, Akita Keiichi. A mixed methods study on the readiness of dental, medical, and nursing students for interprofessional learning. *PLOS ONE*. 2021.07; 16 (7): e0255086. ( PubMed, DOI: 10.1371/journal.pone.0255086 )
4. Ohara Yuki, Uehara Hiromi, Shimatani Kazue, Tamura Kiyomi, Komori Tomoe, Okada Masako, Kodabashi Miyuki, Takei Noriko, Tsuruta Jun. Challenges at work place among new graduate and reinstatement dental hygienists - text mining analysis of challenges from a teaching dental hygienist. *The Journal of Japan Society for Dental Hygiene*. 2021.02;15(2): 53-61(Japanese)
5. Tsuruta J. Comparison of the quality assurance system of dental professionals in Japan, the EU and the ASEAN. *The Japanese dental science review*. 2019.11; 55 (1): 108-112. ( PubMed, DOI: 10.1016/j.jdsr.2019.07.001)
6. Koji Mizutani, Kanako Noritake, Jun Tsuruta, Naoko Seki, Keiko Kondo, Sayaka Katagiri, Yasuo Takeuchi, Tatsuya Akizuki, Hidehiro Shioyama, Akira Aoki, Yuichi Izumi, Takanori Iwata, Shinichi Arakawa and Kouji Araki. Clinical and educational effects of a new interprofessional program for dental students and dental hygiene students in practical clinical training. *Journal of the Japanese Society of Periodontology*. 2019. 61(3):148-156, (DOI:10.2329/ perio.61.148) (Japanese)
7. Toda Kanako, Tsuruta Jun. A Literature Survey of Current Interprofessional Work State with Dental Hygienist. *Japanese Journal of Dental Practice Administration*. 2019.06; 54(1): 67-73 (Japanese)
8. Yasuyuki Kimura, Ken-ichi Tonami, Jun Tsuruta, Kouji Araki. Rise of blood pressure value in young patients at first visit at a dental university hospital in Japan *Journal of Dental Sciences*. 2019.01; ( DOI: 10.1016/j.jds.2018.11.004)
9. Tsuruta Jun, Toda Kanako. Study for the Qualification System for Dental Specialists in Member Societies of the Japanese Association for Dental Science. *Japanese Journal of Dental Practice Administration*. 2018.06; 53(1):52-59 (Japanese)
10. Kazuki Takahashi, Jun Tsuruta, Ken-ichi Tonami, Kouji Araki. Relation between Manual Dexterity and the Accuracy of Cavity Preparation. *Annals of Oral Health and Dental Research*. 2017.12; 1 (1): 12-17.
11. Noritake Kanako, Tsuruta Jun, Tonami Ken-ichi, Umemori Sachi, Oda Shigeru, Mataka Shiro, Araki

Kouji. Development of Undergraduate Dental Student Interview and Diagnostic Skills during Clinical Practice of Medical Interviews. *The Journal of the Stomatological Society, Japan*. 2017.11;84(3):103-110 (Japanese)

12. Tsuruta Jun. The system of Continuing Professional Development and Specialist registration in Japan. *The Journal of the Japan Prosthodontic Society*.2017.01;9(1): 18-24 (Japanese)

13. R Muroga, J Tsuruta, I Morio. Disparity in perception of the working condition of dental hygienists between dentists and dental hygiene students in Japan. *Int J Dent Hyg*. 2015.08;13(3):213-21. ( DOI: 10.1111/idh.12105).