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**13th Asian & Oceanian Epilepsy Congress**

8-11 October 2020 | Fukuoka, Japan

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## Welcome

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

On behalf of the Scientific and Organising Committee, we warmly invite you to Fukuoka to participate in the 13th Asian & Oceanian Epilepsy Congress (AOEC) to be held from the 8 to 11 October 2020.

We are currently finalising the scientific programme which encompasses recent scientific, clinical and social developments in epilepsy with a focus on educational and interactive activities. With more sessions in parallel all delivered by international and regional experts, the congress offers an unrivalled opportunity for targeted learning.

So please block your 2020 diary now for the 13th AOEC in Fukuoka, a city where visitors can really experience Japan in various celebrated stages - the high-tech and historical, the cultural and the truly contemporary.

We look forward to welcoming you to this eclectic city for the largest epilepsy meeting throughout Asia and Oceania.

With best regards,

**Akio Ikeda and Ding Ding,**  
Co-chairs, Scientific and Organising Committee

## Scientific and Organising Committee

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Akio Ikeda (Japan)  
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## Why Fukuoka?

Fukuoka, the capital of Fukuoka Prefecture, sits on the northern shore of Japan's Kyushu Island and is said to be the oldest city in Japan. It is known for ancient temples, sea walks and modern architecture; the ideal blend of old with new. Despite being an incredibly vibrant city, Fukuoka is still good value with a great range of inexpensive accommodation. With a modern and extensive subway, Fukuoka is quick and easy to get around and Fukuoka Airport is accessible in just a few minutes from downtown Fukuoka. Fukuoka is also a culinary hotspot with many people's main reason for coming to Fukuoka simply to enjoy its' food; Hakata Ramen is a speciality.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



**Accommodation  
Ready to Book**  
December 2019



**Registration Opens**  
January 2020



**Abstract  
Submission Opens**  
January 2020



**Abstract  
Submission Closes**  
May 2020



**Early  
Registration Ends**  
July 2020  
(fees go up)



**Late  
Registration Ends**  
September 2020  
(onsite fees apply)