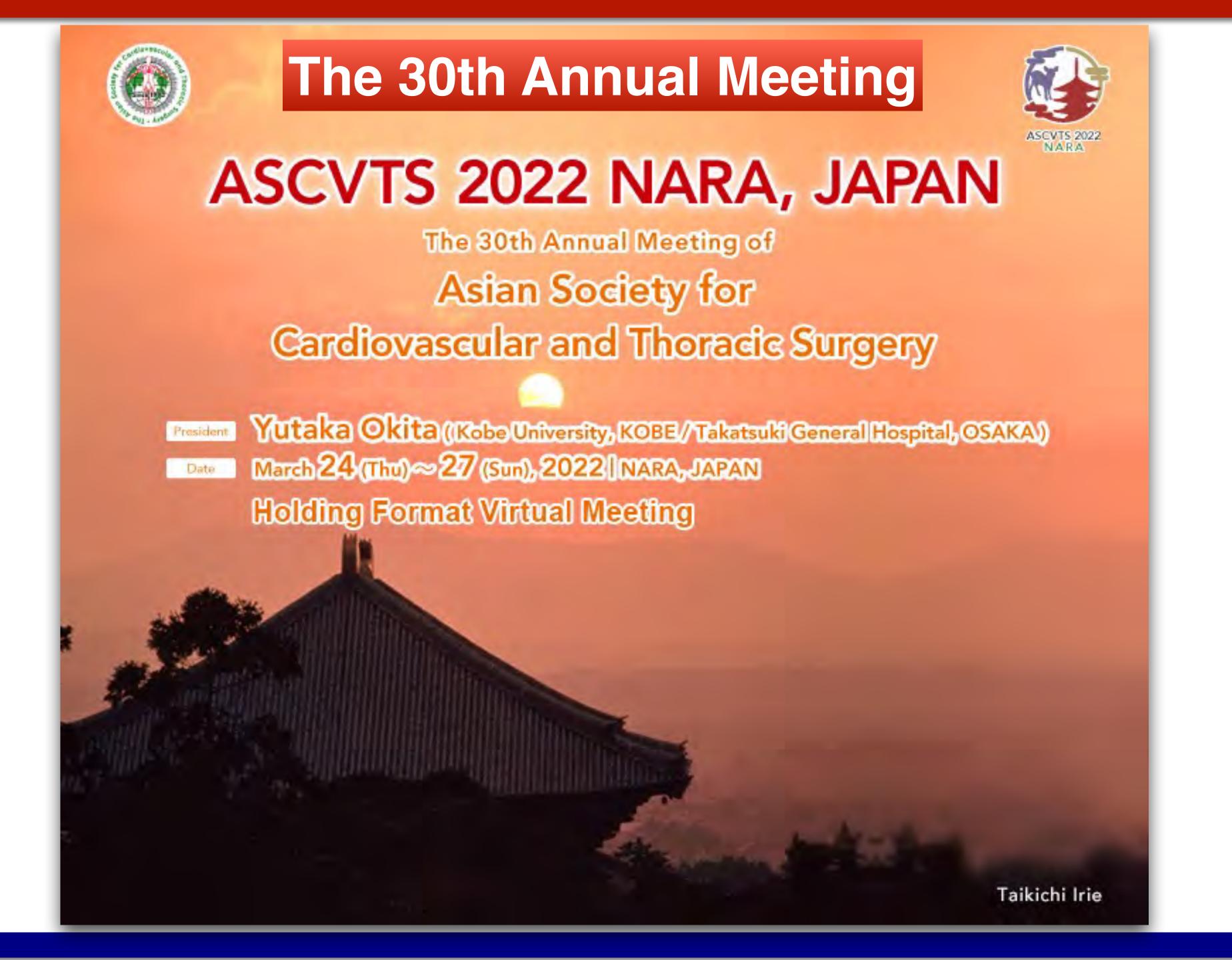
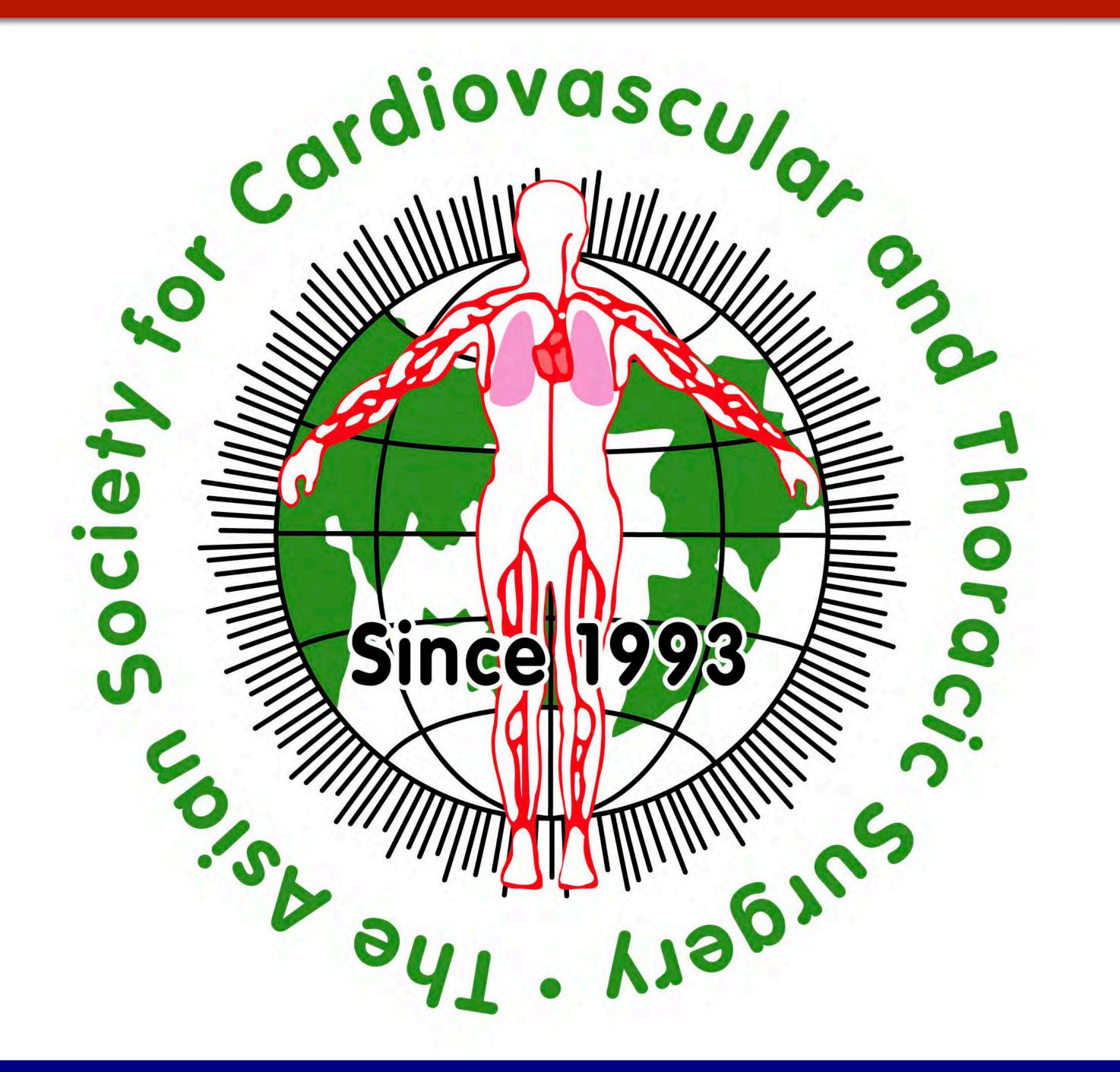


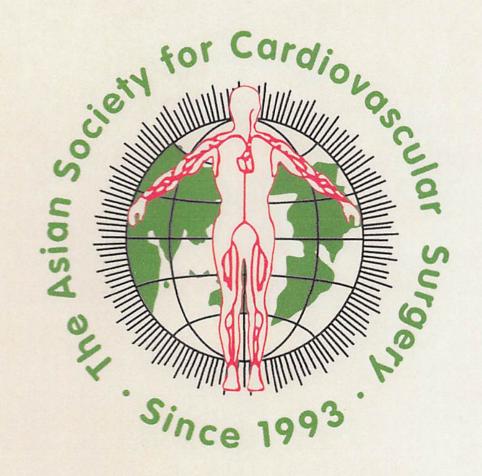
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### Report from Secretary-General

Yuichi UEDA, MD







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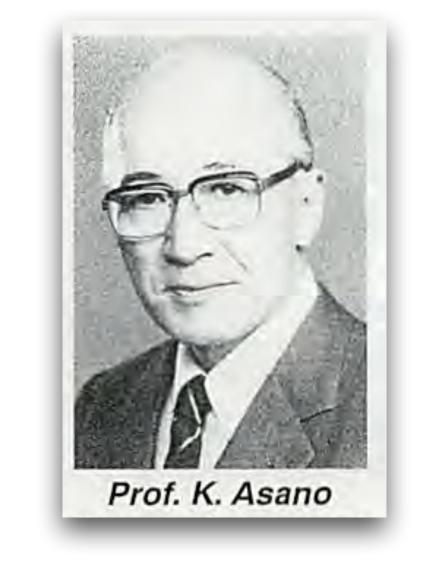
## History

- ASCVS was originally started in 1973 as the Asian Chapter of ISCVS, the International Society for Cardiovascular Surgery, which was been founded by Drs. DeBakey, Haimovici and other eminent cardiovascular surgeons.
- In 1992 ASCVS started between Korea, Taiwan and Japan.
- The first annual meeting was held in Fukuoka, Japan in 1993.
- In 2004 ASCVS became independent from ISCVS, because ISCVS became ISVS, the society for only vascular surgeons.
- In 2008 ASCVS added the thoracic surgery domain and became **ASCVTS** (The Asian Society for Cardiovascular and Thoracic Surgery).
- ASCVTS includes 30 countries with more than 1000 members.

### Presidents of ASCVTS

The 1st President: Prof. Ken-ichi Asano

1993~1997



The 2nd President: Prof. Akira Furuse

1998~2009



## Past Annual Meetings

	Date	Place	Congress President
1st	1993.3.2	Fukuoka, Japan	Kiroku Ohishi
2nd	1994.2.11	Nagoya, Japan	Minoru Kusagawa
3rd	1995.2.14	Yokohama, Japan	Masahiko Washio
4th	1996.5.1517	Seoul, Korea	Kyung Phill Suh
5th	1997.1.1013	Taipei, Taiwan	Hung Chi Ren
6th	1998.2.1820	Tokyo, Japan	Toshio Mitsui
7th	1999.5.256.1	Singapore, Singapore	Chuen Neng Lee
8th	2000.9.68	Fukuoka, Japan	Hisataka Yasui
9th	2001.3.2830	Nagoya, Japan	Shuichiro Sugimura
10th	2002.4.1719	Jeju Island, Korea	Cho Bum Koo



## Past Annual Meetings

	Date	Place	Congress President
11th	2003.2.1215	Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	Mohd Azhari Yakub
12th	2004.4.1822	Istanbul, Turkey	Omar Isik
13th	2005.2.58	Chiang Mai, Thailand	Prinya Sakiyalak
14th	2006.6.13	Osaka, Japan	Soichiro Kitamura
15th	2007.5.1720	Beijing, China	Qing Yu Wu
16th	2008.3.1316	Singapore, Singapore	Chuen Neng Lee
17th	2009.3.58	Taipei, Taiwan	Tarng Jenn Yu
18th	2010.2.273.1	New Delhi, India	A. Sampath Kumar
19th	2011.5.2629	Phuket, Thailand	Pradistchai Chaiseri
20th	2012.3.811	Nusa-Dua Bali, Indonesia	Tarmizi Hakim



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The 3rd President:

Prof. Chuen Neng Lee

2010~2015

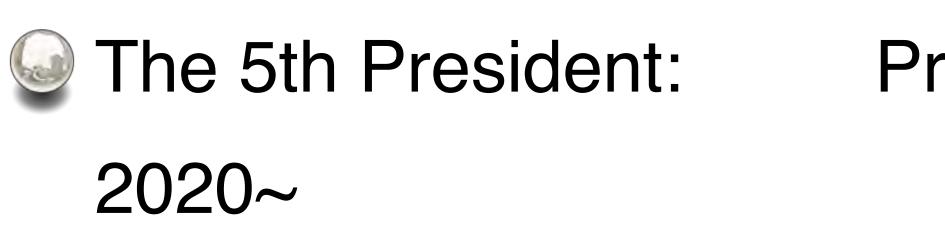


The 4th President:

Prof. Shin-ichi Takamoto

2016~2019

Prof. Sanghoon Jheon



## Past Annual Meetings

	Date	Place	Congress President
21st	2013.4.47	Kobe, Japan	Shinichi Takamoto
22nd	2014.4.36	Istanbul, Turkey	Sertac Mehmet Cicek
23rd	2015.5.1114	Hong Kong, China	Song Wan
24th	2016.4.610	Taipei, Taiwan	Shoei-Shen Wang
25th	2017.3.2326	Seoul, Korea	Hyuk Ahn
26th	2018.5.2427	Moscow, Russia	Leo Bockeria
27th	2019.2.2124	Chennai, India	Rajan Santosham
28th	2020.2.710	Chiang Mai, Thailand	Taweesak Chotivatanapong
29th	2021.6.47	on-line meeting, Seoul	Sanghoon Jheon



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## AATS Presidents at 16th ASCVTS March 14, 2008. Singapore



### ASCVS met AATS Presidents 2008

Richard A. Jonas 86th President 2006

Irving Kron
91st President
2011

©Craig R. Smith 92nd President 2012

Wind the Hartzell V. Schaff
93rd President
2013

**ASCVS** Councilors

Akira Furuse
President

©Chuen Neng Lee 16th Congress President 2008

Tarng Jenn Yu
17th Congress President 2009

Shin-ichi Takamoto Secretary-General, 4th President

Yuichi Ueda
Treasurer

Noboru Motomura
Assistant Secretary

# AATS postgraduate Course in ASCVTS Annual Meeting

AATS postgraduate course on the first day of Annual Meeting started since 2009.

#### ASCVTS Furuse Award and AATS Foundation Award

ASCVTS Furuse Award had been delivered to the best presentation at the ASCVTS annual meeting for the whole field since 2011.

In 2016, the American Society for Thoracic Surgery (AATS) started the AATS Foundation Award at the 24th annual meeting of the ASCVTS held in Taipei.

The AATS Foundation Award was delivered to the best presentation for general thoracic domain and the Furuse Award was delivered the best one for Cardiac domain.

Thereafter, the ASCVTS decided to exchange the domain of the two awards each year.

### 2021-2023 ASCVTS Officer and Councilor



Society President, immediate past 2021Congress President Sanghoon JHEON Area:Seoul



Secretary General,
STS coordinator chair
Yuichi UEDA
Area:Nara



2022 Congress President, Editor in chief Yutaka OKITA Area:Kobe



Treasurer,
HP committee chair
Jun NAKAJIMA
Area:Tokyo



Assistant SG in Tokyo,
Scientific committee chair,
Adult cardiac domain chair
Minoru ONO
Area:Tokyo



Assistant SG in Seoul,
Aortic domain chair,
Elected 2023 Congress President
Kay Hyun PARK
Area:Seoul

Councilor, AATS coordinator chair, STS coordinator



Song WAN Area:Hong Kong

Councilor, ASCVTS database chair



Noboru MOTOMURA Area:Chiba

Councilor



Chuen Neng LEE Area:Singapore

Councilor



Sertac M. CICEK Area:West Virginia

Councilor



Leo BOCKERIA Area:Moscow

Councilor



Taweesak CHOTIVATANAPONG Area:Bangkok

Councilor, AATS coordinator



Hiroshi DATE Area:Kyoto

Councilor, AATS coordinator



Shunji SANO Area:San Francisco

Councilor, Pediatric cardiac domain chair



Young Hwan PARK Area:Seoul

Councilor, STS coordinator



Hani NAJM Area:Cleveland

Councilor



Asit Baran ADHIKARY Area:Dhaka

Councilor, General thoracic domain chair

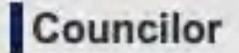


Jang Ming LEE Area:Taipei

Councilor



Rajan SETHURATNAM Area:Chennai





Chunsheng WANG Area:Shanghai

Councilor



Nianguo DONG Area:Wuhan

Councilor, EACTS coordinator, STS coordinator



Alan SIHOE Area:Hong Kong

Councilor, Education committee chair



Theodoros KOFIDIS
Area:Singapore

Council, Asian-African committee



Akif TURNA Area:Istanbul

### List of Chair in each domain

Adult cardiac domain chair Dr. Minoru ONO

Aortic domain chair Dr. Kay Hyun PARK

Pediatric cardiac domain chair Dr. Young Swan PARK

General Thoracic domain chair Dr. Jang Ming LEE

Scientific committee chair Dr. Minoru ONO

**Education committee chair**Dr. Theodoros KOFIDIS