

Organizing Committee

**Shimane university
Special appointed Professor**

Michio Hashimoto



Profile

- Born in Yura, Tottori prefecture, Japan in 1950
- Got a PhD in Shimane Medical University
- Personality : shy , Bookworm
- My childhood dream : to become a researcher
- Specialty : Tech savvy
- Hobby : Traveling, Collecting the document antiques

Work experience

- 1976-1991: Assistant of Shimane Medical University
- 1986-1987: Oversea researcher of the Japanese Ministry of Education and Culture (University of Cincinnati, School of Medicine, USA)
- 1991-2003: Assistant professor of Shimane Medical University
- 2003-2015: Associate professor of Shimane University Faculty of Medicine
- 2015-2016: Professor of Shimane University Faculty of Medicine
- 2016-present: Special appointed professor of Shimane University Faculty of Medicine

Affiliation • Officer

- Temporary lecture of University of Shimane
- Director and councilor of the Japan Society of Lipid Nutrition
- Councilor of the Physiological Society of Japan and the Japanese Pharmacological Society
- Member of the Japan Oil Chemists' Society and the Japan Society of Nutrition and Food Science

Served as ...

- **2007: A president of the 16th Annual Meeting of the Japan Society for Lipid Nutrition**

Awards

- **2001 : Lands Awards (Science Award) of Japan Society for Lipid Nutrition**
- **2015: Shimane University Research Commendation**

What motivates you in your work ?

- **Establishing methods to extend health life expectancy by “scientific evidences” and “go-en (things predetermined to happen)”.**

What do you want to achieve through this symposium?

- **Functions based on scientific evidences of rice, especially brown rice, has been clarified, and I hope that the symposium will lead to an increase in international consumption of rice.**