



AMP & Q-AOS symposium

Progress and prospects in Asian Microbiome Project toward understanding the gut microbiota as an interface between food and health

Date: March 18 (Wed), 2026

Place: Room 325/ZOOM, Faculty of Agriculture, Kyushu University

Organized by:

Asian Microbiome Project of Asian Federation of the Society for Lactic Acid Bacteria
Kyushu University Institute for Asian and Oceanian Studies

Organizer: Jiro Nakayama (Faculty of Agriculture, Kyushu University)

Program (TBD):

13:00 – 13:40 Recent progress and outcomes of Asian Microbiome Project:

Lessons from metagenomic sequencing and Functional insight at the food-health interface

Jiro Nakayama / Faculty of Agriculture, Kyushu Univ

13:40 – 14:05 Association of Gut Microbiota with Childhood Obesity Across Urban and Rural Communities in Leyte, Philippines

Flyndon Dagalea / College of Medicine, UP Manila

14:05 – 14:30 The Gut Microbiota-Metabolome Axis in Obese School-Aged Children of Northern Thailand

Phatthanaphong Therdtatha / Faculty of Agro-Industry, Chiang Mai University

14:30 – 15:05 Traditional Mongolian Dairy Consumption and Its Relationship with the Gut Microbiota

Akari Shinoda-Tsukamoto / Graduate School of Environmental Studies, Nagoya University

Break

15:30 – 16:05 D-Amino acids in fermented foods (TBD)

Kenji Hamase / Faculty of Pharmacy, Kyushu Univ

16:05 – 16:40 Strategic discovery of novel prebiotics and microbial interaction mechanisms

Hiroki Negishi / Meiji Holding Co. LTD.

16:40 – 17:15 Lactic acid bacteria in sourdough (TBD)

Mugihito Oshiro / Faculty of Agriculture Kyushu Univ