

List of Principal Investigators

- If the number of principal investigators exceeds 10, add columns as appropriate.
- Place an asterisk(*) by the name of the investigators who are considered to be ranked among the world's top researchers.
- Give age as of 1 April 2012.
- For investigators who cannot participate in the center project from 1 April 2012, indicate the time that their participation will start in the "Notes" column.

Name	Age	Current affiliation (organization, department) and specialties	Academic degree	Notes
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2 Tadamitsu Kishimoto*	72	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Immunology)	MD, PhD	
3 Masayuki Miyasaka*	64	Graduate School of Medicine, Osaka University (Immunology)	MD, PhD	
4 Hitoshi Kikutani*	61	Research Institute for Microbial Diseases, Osaka University (Immunology)	MD, PhD	
5 Taroh Kinoshita*	60	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Immunology, Biochemistry)	PhD	
6 Atsushi Kumanogoh*	45	Graduate School of Medicine, Osaka University (Immunology)	MD, PhD	
7 Kiyoshi Takeda*	45	Graduate School of Medicine, Osaka University (Immunology)	MD, PhD	
8 Hisashi Arase*	46	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Immunology)	MD, PhD	
9 Shimon Sakaguchi*	61	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Immunology)	MD, PhD	

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10	Takashi Saito*	61	RIKEN Research Center for Allergy and Immunology (Immunology)	PhD	
11	Tomohiro Kurosaki*	56	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Immunology and Molecular Biology)	MD, PhD	
12	Fritz Melchers*	75	Max Planck Fellow (Immunology)	PhD	
13	Toshio Yanagida*	65	Graduate School of Frontier Biosciences, Osaka University (Molecular Imaging)	PhD	
14	Yoshichika Yoshioka*	58	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Biophysics)	DSc	
15	Yutaka Hata*	50	Graduate School of Engineering, University of Hyogo (Computer Engineering)	PhD	
16	Daron M. Standley	44	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Chemistry)	PhD	
17	Jun Hatazawa*	58	Graduate School of Medicine, Osaka University (Nuclear Medicine)	MD, PhD	
18	Jang Myoung Ho	43	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Mucosal Immunology)	PhD	
19	Masaru Ishii	38	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Bioimaging)	MD, PhD	
20	Kazuya Kikuchi	46	Graduate School of Engineering, Osaka University (Chemical Biology)	PhD	
21	Diego Miranda-Saavedra	36	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Molecular and Cellular Biology)	PhD	
22	Cevayir Coban	39	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Clinical Microbiology)	MD, PhD	

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23	Nicholas Isaac Smith	37	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Applied Physics)	PhD	
24	Ken Ishii*	43	National Institute of Biomedical Innovation (Immunology, Vaccine Science)	MD, PhD	
25	Tsuneyasu Kaisho*	52	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Immunology)	MD, PhD	
26	Kazuhiro Suzuki	36	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Immune Cell Dynamics)	MD, PhD	
27	Rikinari Hanayama	37	WPI Immunology Frontier Research Center, Osaka University (Cell Biology)	MD, PhD	