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THE FUTURE OF LIFE

Nobel Prize Dialogue Tokyo 2025

Sunday, 9 March 2025

10:00-16:00 (Tentative)

Pacifico Yokohama Conference Center Main Hall

Language: English

(English-Japanese simultaneous interpretation will be provided.)

Meet and engage with a unique constellation of Nobel Prize laureates, world-leading researchers and intellectuals in a dialogue on "The Future of Life".

Join us at the Nobel Prize Dialogue Tokyo 2025!

Attending Nobel Prize laureates



Bernard Feringa
Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2016



Andrew Fire
Nobel Prize in Physiology or
Medicine 2006



William D. Phillips
Nobel Prize in Physics 1997



Svante Pääbo
Nobel Prize in Physiology or
Medicine 2022



Ada Yonath
Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2009



Yoshino Akira
Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2019

Registration



Registration opens on 18 December (First come, first served basis.)

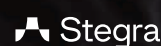
<https://www.nobelprize.org/future-of-life>

*You can also participate online. (Some sessions may not be streamed.)

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Nobel Prize Dialogue Tokyo 2025 Programme (Tentative)

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10:00	Opening remarks	
	The future	The challenge of prediction
	Life	How did we get here? What it means to be human?
	Challenge	Advancing diversity and inclusion Sustainable future Dangers ahead
Lunch break		
	Breakout session 1	Breakout session 2
	The impact of AI	Where can future genomics take us?
	The promise of quantum technology	Finding sustainable solutions
Break		
	Where are we going?	The future we want
	Nobel Prize laureates closing discussion	
16:00	Closing remarks	

Panellists (Tentative)

Asakawa Chieko

IBM Research, IBM Fellow
The National Museum of Emerging Science and Innovation (Miraikan), Chief Executive Director

Arimura Toshi H.

Professor, Faculty of Political Science and Economics
Director, Research Institute for Environmental Economics and Management, Waseda University

Joseph R Ecker

Professor and International Council Chair in Genetics,
The Salk Institute for Biological Studies
Investigator, Howard Hughes Medical Institute

Ema Arisa

Associate Professor, Tokyo College,
the University of Tokyo
Visiting Researcher, RIKEN AIP Center

Furusawa Akira

Professor, Department of Applied Physics, School of
Engineering, The University of Tokyo
Deputy Director, RIKEN Center for quantum computing

Hatano Mutsuko

Executive Vice President, Institute of Science Tokyo
Professor, School of Engineering, Institute of Science
Tokyo

Ishiguro Hiroshi

Professor, Department of Systems Innovation, Graduate
School of Engineering Science, Osaka University
Visiting Director of ATR Hiroshi Ishiguro Laboratories

Kawai Maki

President, National Institutes of Natural Sciences, Japan
Director General, Center for Research and Development
Strategy (CRDS), Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST)

Managi Shunsuke

Distinguished Professor & Director of Urban Institute
at the Kyushu University,
Managing Director of Yunus & Shiiki Social Business Research Center

Matsuo Yutaka

Professor at the University of Tokyo, Graduate School of
Engineering, Department of Technology Management for
Innovation and The Research into Artifacts, Center for Engineering

Adam Smith

Chief Scientific Officer, Nobel Prize Outreach

Takeyama Haruko

Professor, Faculty of Science and Engineering,
Waseda University

Yamagiwa Juichi

Director-General, Research Institute for Humanity
and Nature (RIHN)
Former President, Kyoto University

Juleen Zierath

Professor of Clinical Integrative Physiology at
Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm

* Programme and panellists will be updated and subject to change without prior notice.