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## SPEAKER BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION FORM

### GENERAL INFORMATION

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### BRIEF/MINI BIOGRAPHY

Yoichi Matsubara is currently Director of Research Institute at National Center for Child Health and Development (Japan) and Professor Emeritus of Tohoku University (Sendai, Japan). Matsubara graduated from Tohoku University School of Medicine and received pediatric training in Japan and postdoctoral training at New York State Institute of Basic Research in Developmental Disabilities and subsequently at Yale University School of Medicine (Department of Human Genetics).

Matsubara served as professor of medical genetics at Tohoku University from 2000 to 2013. He has conducted research on various rare genetic diseases, including medium-chain acyl CoA dehydrogenase (MCAD) deficiency and Rasopathies, for more than three decades. He has been conducting a nation-wide research project on rare diseases, Initiative on Rare and Undiagnosed Diseases in Pediatrics (IRUD-P). Currently he is President of the Japan Society of Human Genetics (2015-). He also served as President of International Federation of Human Genetics Societies (2008-2012).