

# APOSHO 35

## The 35th Asia-Pacific Occupational Safety and Health Conference

will be held in Tokyo, Japan

on 26 (Tue) – 29 (Fri) October, 2021

### About APOSHO

The Asia-Pacific Occupational Safety and Health Organization (APOSHO) is an international body composed of non-profit professional organizations devoted to the prevention of occupational accidents and diseases in the Asia-Pacific region. As of October, 2019, there are 29 full members from Australia, PR China, Hong Kong SAR - PR China, Chinese Taipei, India, Indonesia, Japan, Republic of Korea, Malaysia, Mauritius, Pakistan, Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand and Vietnam along with affiliate members from Germany, United Kingdom and United States etc. Japan Industrial Safety and Health Association (JISHA) is the full member from Japan (see back side).

### Concept of APOSHO 35

At the APOSHO 35, OSH organizations and companies in the Asia-Pacific region will come together to provide information, learn experience each other, share ideas, and have an international interaction in order to build mutual understanding and networks, with the goal of enhancing OSH in the region and in companies in the participating countries. It will also ensure the healthy life of people of all ages and promote welfare as proclaimed by the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) adopted by the UN Sustainable Development Summit.

**APOSHO 35 will be held concurrently with the following events:**

The National OSH Convention in Tokyo

The Green Cross Exhibition (Japan's OSH Exhibition) in Tokyo



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# Greetings



## Nobuyuki YAMAKI

President of Japan Industrial Safety and Health Association (JISHA)

JISHA has been involved in APOSHO for many years as a major OSH organization in Japan.

We are pleased to announce that the APOSHO 35 will be hosted in Tokyo, in October, 2021. The conference will be held concurrently with “the National OSH Convention/the Green Cross Exhibition (OSH Exhibition) in Tokyo” organized by JISHA .

At the conference, 39 member organizations from 21 countries and regions in the Asia-Pacific along with some Western countries will meet in one hall, and have keynote speeches and technical presentations over three days. Through these meetings, we will aim to deliver the latest information, share opinions among participating countries and regions, and create/expand networks among companies operating in the region.

In addition, we will plan to act as a “bridge” between Japan and the other Asia-Pacific countries and regions about OSH activities at the conference by concurrently holding the National OSH Convention and the Green Cross Exhibition.

JISHA will ask not only governmental organizations, academic Honorary life member, NSCA associations and affiliated organizations, academic associations and affiliated organizations involved in OSH, but also industries and companies operating in the Asia-Pacific to participate in this APOSHO annual conference in Tokyo. We are preparing for the conference, which will greatly contribute to the prevention of occupational accidents and diseases both at home and in the region.

We would really appreciate it if you could participate in the conference and support us.

## National OSH Convention



The National OSH Convention is held each year, which sees presentations on examples of OSH activities and their improvements in Japanese companies, special lectures by experts, and symposiums, in addition to various ceremonies. It is attended by over 10,000 people responsible for OSH from around the country.

## Green Cross Exhibition



Green Cross Exhibition, which is the largest exhibition for OSH in Japan, displays tools to protect safety and health, devices to make machinery fundamentally safe, devices for improving the workplace environment and working methods, and devices to promote health.



May I offer my sincere congratulations and those of the entire APOSHO membership to the Japan Industrial Safety and Health Association (JISHA) on being awarded the privilege of hosting the APOSHO Conference 35 in 2021.

The planning to host the conference has been many years in the process for JISHA and it is very pleasing that their efforts have been justly rewarded.

JISHA have been outstanding contributors to not only APOSHO but to the overall improvement of Health and Safety in the Asia Pacific region over many years to APOSHO and therefore being awarded the hosting of an APOSHO Conference is highly justified.

JISHA will be aware that the standard of the APOSHO Conference has been steadily increasing over the past number of years and the expectation is that this improvement will continue with APOSHO 35.

On behalf of the APOSHO membership I wish JISHA great success in 2021.

Kind regards



# Bernie Doyle

**Secretary General, APOSHO**

Chairman & President, NSCA  
Honorary life member, NSCA

## Schedule

The APOSHO 35 will be held from 26 (Tuesday) to 29 October (Friday). During the period, the National OSH Convention and the Green Cross Exhibitions will open at the same or neighboring places, so that the participants will be able to share the latest OSH information in Japan and promote networks with Japanese companies operating in the Asia-Pacific.

### Examples of Technical presentations' Themes

- ISO 45001 and JIS Q 45100
- Zero Accident Activities and Vision Zero
- Mental and physical health promotion
- Measures for elderly workers
- OSH education for young people
- Handling of chemical substances
- OSH measures using AI and IoT
- Measures for foreign workers
- Creation of safety culture

(In the near future, we will advertise for presentors overseas and in Japan.)

### Programme (2021)

- APOSHO Annual Conference: APOSHO
- APOSHO Member Meeting
- National OSH Convention (Tokyo): National Convention

Date /Time	AM	PM
10/26 (Tue)	Committee Meetings (For APOSHO members)	
10/27 (Wed)	[APOSHO Conference] * Opening Ceremony / Plenary Session	[National Convention] General Assembly/
	Green Cross Exhibition	Green Cross Exhibition
10/28 (Thu)	[APOSHO Conference] ** Technical presentations from overseas and Japan	[APOSHO Conference] ** Technical presentations from overseas and Japan
	[National Convention] Session, Green Cross Exhibition	[National Convention] Session, Green Cross Exhibition
10/29 (Fri)	[APOSHO Conference] ** Technical presentations from overseas and Japan	AGM (For APOSHO members)
	[National Convention] Session / Green Cross Exhibition	[National Convention] Session / Green Cross Exhibition

\* Simultaneous interpretation (English & Japanese) available  
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## List of APOSHO Members (as of 1st Nov., 2019)

### 〈Full Members〉

National Safety Council of Australia Foundation (NSCA: Australia)  
Industrial Foundation for Accident Prevention (IFAP: Australia)  
China Occupational Safety and Health Association (COSHA: China)  
China Association of Work Safety (CAWS: China)  
Sinosteel Safety and Environmental Protection Research Institute (SEPRI: China)  
Hong Kong Occupational Safety and Health Association (HKOSHA: Hong Kong)  
Occupational Safety and Health Council (HKOSHC: Hong Kong)  
Institution of Occupational Safety and Health - Hong Kong (IOSH-HK: Hong Kong)  
Chinese Taipei Industrial Safety and Health Association (ISHA: Taiwan)  
National Safety Council of India (NSCI: India)  
National Safety and Health Council of Indonesia (NSHCI: Indonesia)  
Institute for Certification of Competencies on OSH (ICCOSH: Indonesia)  
Japan Industrial Safety and Health Association (JISHA: Japan)  
Korea Occupational Safety & Health Agency (KOSHA: Republic of Korea)  
Korea Industrial Safety Association (KISA: Republic of Korea)  
Malaysian Society for Occupational Safety & Health (MSOSH: Malaysia)  
National Institute of Occupational Safety & Health (NIOSH: Malaysia)  
Malaysian Occupational Safety and Health Practitioners Association (MOSHPA: Malaysia)  
Institution of Occupational Safety and Health Management (IOSHM: Mauritius)  
Pakistan Safety Council (PSC: Pakistan)  
Safety Organization of the Philippines, Inc. (SOPI: Philippines)  
Association of Safety Practitioners of the Philippines, Inc. (ASPPI: Philippines)

Workplace Advocates on Safety in the Philippines, Inc. (WASPI: Philippines)  
National Safety Council of Singapore (NSCS: Singapore)  
Singapore Institution of Safety Officers (SISO: Singapore)  
Workplace Safety and Health Association, Sri Lanka (WSHA: Sri Lanka)  
The Safety and Health at Work Promotion Association (SHAWPAT: Thailand)  
National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (VNNIOSH: Vietnam)  
Vietnam Occupational Safety and Health Association (VOSHA: Vietnam)

### 〈Associate members〉

Authority for Building Control and Construction Industry (ABCI: Brunei)  
Labour Affairs Bureau (LAB: Macao, China)

### 〈Affiliate members〉

Germany Social Accident Insurance (DGUV: Germany)  
Society for Occupational Safety & Health and Work Environment (SOSHWE: Indonesia)  
Institute of Safety Health and Environment Management (ISHEM: Mauritius)  
The Institution of Occupational Safety & Health (IOSH: United Kingdom)  
The American Society of Safety Professionals (ASSP): United States of America)  
Board of Certified Safety Professionals (BCSP: United States of America)  
National Safety Council of America (NSC: United States of America)  
World Safety Organization (WSO: United States of America)

(Full members: 29, Associate members: 2, Affiliate members: 8)

### Latest information:

The latest information, a schedule and application will be updated on the APOSHO 35 website (<https://www.jisha.or.jp/english/>).



### APOSHO 35 Logo Mark:

The APOSHO 35 logo is modeled after Japan's national butterfly, Omurasaki, Great Purple Emperor. It symbolizes elegance in Japan and also represents harmony between nature and society. It further signifies that Japanese insights and experience in the field of occupational safety and health amassed over long years have been well utilized in various countries and regions around the world and that mutual exchange has been taking place actively.