



JSID's Fellowship Shiseido Research Grant 2019 Winner

The award ceremony will be held at the 44th Annual Meeting of the Japanese Society for Investigative Dermatology.

Date and Time: 8th November 2019 (Friday) 2:50 p.m.

Venue: Hotel Aomori RoomA

The winners will present their research results at the 45th Annual Meeting of the Japanese Society for Investigative Dermatology in 2020.

Name : **Atsushi Otsuka, M.D., Ph.D.**

Affiliation: Department of Dermatology, Kyoto University

Research subject :

The role of Schwann cell in the pathogenesis of skin allergic diseases



Biography : 1997 (Apr.)-2003 (Mar.)

Shinshu University, Faculty of Medicine (M.D.)

2006 (Apr.)-2010(Mar.)

Kyoto University, Faculty of Medicine (Ph.D.)

2010 (Apr.)

Assistant Professor, Department of Dermatology, Kyoto University Hospital

2011 (Apr.)-2012(Sept.)

Research Fellow of the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science

2012 (Oct.)-2014(Sept.)

Post-Doctoral Fellow, Department of Dermatology, Zurich University Hospital

2014 (Oct.)-2017(Mar.)

Assistant Professor, Department of Dermatology, Kyoto University Hospital

2017 (Apr.)-present

Associate Professor, Translational research department for skin and brain diseases

Comments :

I am very honored to receive JSID's Fellowship Shiseido Research Grant. My research topic is about the role of Schwann cell in the pathogenesis of skin allergic diseases. We found that Schwann cell produces some chemokines and may play a role in the initiation of dermatitis. This year, we will investigate the mechanism of this cutaneous reaction in detail.