



18 of December, 2020

## PROGRAM

Moderator: **Agnė Vaitkevičienė**

09<sup>00</sup> – 09<sup>30</sup> Opening ceremony

**Prof. Rimantas Benetis**

*Rector of the Lithuanian University of Health Sciences*

**Mr. Shiro Yamasaki**

*HE Ambassador of Japan to Lithuania*

**Mr. Gediminas Varvuolis**

*HE Ambassador of Lithuania to Japan*

**Mr. Egidijus Meilūnas**

*HE Ambassador at Large of the Department of Diaspora of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Lithuania*

09<sup>30</sup> – 09<sup>45</sup> Heart failure as cardiac maladaptation to mechanical stress

**Prof. Issei Komuro**

*Department of Cardiovascular Medicine, Graduate School of Medicine, The University of Tokyo*

09<sup>45</sup> – 10<sup>00</sup> Exosomes from poly I: c-primed airway epithelium induce inflammatory response in brain

**Dr. Aistė Jekabsonė**

*Laboratory of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Lithuanian University of Health Sciences*

10<sup>00</sup> – 10<sup>15</sup> Post-transcriptional regulation of bone metabolism

**Prof. Tadayoshi Hayata**

*Faculty of Pharmaceutical Science, Department of Medical and Life Science, Tokyo University of Science*

10<sup>15</sup> – 10<sup>30</sup> Innovative biotechnologies: achievements and challenges

**Prof. Gintautas Saulis**

*Cluster Biophysics in Bionanotechnology and Medicine, Vytautas Magnus University*

10<sup>30</sup> – 10<sup>45</sup> Computational fluid dynamics of olfactory airflow

**Dr. Kenji Kondo**

*Department of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, The University of Tokyo*

10<sup>45</sup> – 11<sup>00</sup> VoiceScreen - take care of your voice through the phone

**Prof. Virgilijus Ulozas**

*Department Otorhinolaryngology, Lithuanian University of Health Sciences*

11<sup>00</sup> – 11<sup>15</sup> The role of Dectin-1 in the homeostasis of the intestinal immune system

**Prof. Yoichiro Iwakura**

*Center for Animal Disease Models, Research Institute for Biomedical Sciences, Tokyo University of Science, Chiba, Japan*

11<sup>15</sup> – 11<sup>30</sup> Extracellular tau in neurodegenerative disease

**Prof. Ramunė Morkūnienė**

*Faculty of Pharmacy, Lithuanian University of Health Sciences*

11<sup>30</sup> – 11<sup>45</sup> Application of branching kidney organoids to polycystic kidney disease

**Prof. Ryuichi Nishinakamura**

*Institute of Molecular Embryology and Genetics, Kumamoto University, Japan*

11<sup>45</sup> – 12<sup>00</sup> Closing discussion and remarks

**Prof. Vaiva Lesauskaitė, Prof. Makoto Asashima and Prof. Dainius H. Pauža**

