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Embassy of France in Japan

## French-Japanese Meeting

Thursday 20 and Friday 21 September 2012  
Embassy of France in Japan, Tokyo, Main Conference Room  
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### *Immune Defenses in Humans and in Model Organisms*

#### THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 20<sup>TH</sup>

- 9:00** *Doors open*
- 9:30** Welcoming Addresses
- 9:45** Keynote Lecture : Pr. Tadamitsu Kishimoto  
*“Pathogenesis and treatment of IL-6 dependant autoimmune diseases”*
- 10:30-11:15** Pr. Tasuku Honjo  
*“Evolution of Immune Diversity from Genome Instability”*
- 11:15-11:45** *Coffee break*
- 11:45-12:30** Pr. Jean-Claude Weill  
*“B-cell Depletion in Immune Thrombocytopenia Reveals Splenic Long-Lived Plasma Cells with Unique Characteristics”*
- 12:30-13:30** *Lunch break*
- 13:30-14:15** Pr. Jules Hoffmann  
*“Drosophila Defenses Against Bacteria, Fungi and Viruses”*
- 14:15-15:00** Pr. Jean-François Bach  
*“Induction of Tolerance to Auto-Antigens and Allo-Antigens”*
- 15:00-15:30** *Coffee break*
- 15:30-16:15** Pr. Tadatsugu Taniguchi  
*“At the Interface of Innate and Adaptive Immunity : Signal Transduction and Gene Expression by and for Cytokines”*
- 16:15-17:00** Pr. Sebastian Amigorena  
T.B.A.
- 17:30-19:30** *Reception at the French Ambassador's Residence*

**FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 21<sup>TH</sup> 2012**

**9:00**

***Doors open***

**9:30-10:15**

Pr. Shimon Sakaguchi  
*“Genetic Control of Regulatory T Cell Development and Function”*

**10:15-11:00**

Pr. Bernard Malissen  
*“Toward and Integrative Biology of T Cells and Dendritic Cells”*

**11:00-11:30**

***Coffee break***

**11:30-12:15**

Pr. Alain Fischer  
*“Inherited Disorders of the Human System, from Pathophysiology to Gene Therapy”*

**12:15-13:30**

***Lunch break***

**13:30-14:15**

Pr. Shigekazu Nagata  
*“Apoptosis and Its Failure”*

**14:15-15:00**

Pr. Shizuo Akira  
*“Innate Immunity and Inflammatory Responses”*

**15:00-15:30**

***Coffee break***

**15:30-16:15**

Pr. Kensuke Miyake  
*“Toll-like Receptor Logistics by Unc93b1 as a Mechanism Regulating autoimmunity”*

**16:15-17:30**

Concluding remarks : Prs. Bach & Taniguchi

**17:30**

***End of Meeting***