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## GENERAL INFO

Dr. Norimichi Hirahara is Associate Professor at School of Management, Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University, in Japan, where he focuses on entrepreneurship and operations management.

He was Associate Professor of eHealth (Digital Health & Innovation) Unit at Faculty of Medicine, University of Malaya, where he worked on clinical registry and patient-driven bigdata. Before moving to Malaysia, he was Assistant Professor of Department of Health Policy and Management at the School of Medicine, Keio University, in Japan.

After receiving his doctoral degree in Human Systems Science (Cognitive Science) at Tokyo Institute of Technology in 2011, he briefly worked as a visiting scholar at Faculty of Medicine, the University of Sheffield in UK, then moved to the Department of Healthcare Quality Assessment at the Graduate School of Medicine, the University of Tokyo as a project researcher.

Dr. Hirahara worked extensively in such fields as clinical data analysis, healthcare quality improvement, and healthcare policy-making, while being involved with various healthcare ICT projects in collaboration with global companies. Today he focuses more on organizational development, human resource management, and innovation in business.

As a cognitive psychologist by training, Dr. Hirahara also studies and teaches in the areas of medical decision-making, judgment and decision-making, reasoning, and inferences. He is also known for his public lectures about positive psychology, mindfulness meditation, and Buddhist psychology, where he illustrates evidence-based techniques for happiness and well-being to general public.

## ACADEMIC BACKGROUND & INTEREST

Organizational Development: human resource management, leadership, entrepreneurship, well-being, innovation management.

Healthcare Big-data: clinical registry, big-data analysis, healthcare ICT/patient-generated health data; innovation in healthcare.

Cognitive Psychology: decision science, medical decision-making, social psychology, positive psychology, mindfulness research.

## ACADEMIC SOCIETIES

Society for Medical Decision Making

Japan Society for Healthcare Administration

Society for Clinical Epidemiology (Certified Expert; expert certification committee member)

Japanese Society of Pediatric Surgeons (NCD liaison committee member: Senior Advisor)

## LANGUAGES

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Japanese – professional

English – professional

Japanese Association for the Study of Buddhism and Psychology  
(meditation working group: Leader)

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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12/2024 – present

Associate Professor, School of Management, Ritsumeikan Asia  
Pacific University, Japan

12/2021 – 12/2024

Associate Professor, eHealth Unit at Faculty of Medicine, University  
of Malaya, Malaysia

07/2015 - 10/2020

Assistant Professor, Department of Health Policy and Management at  
School of Medicine, Keio University, Japan

07/2015 – 03/2022

Visiting Research Fellow, Department of Healthcare Quality  
Assessment at Graduate School of Medicine, the University of Tokyo

03/2013 – 06/2015

Project Researcher, Department of Healthcare Quality Assessment at  
Graduate School of Medicine, the University of Tokyo, Japan

04/2010 – 03/2020

Part-time Researcher, the Institute of Buddhist Culture, Musashino  
University, Japan

05/2009 – 06/2009

Visiting Researcher, Academic Unit of Primary Medical Care at  
Faculty of Medicine, the University of Sheffield, UK

08/1998 – present

Founder & Chairman, RDSystems, Japan

09/1996 – 08/1997

Project Research Assistant, Mellers Decision Making Lab, University  
of California, Berkeley, USA

## EDUCATION

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2007 - 2011

Ph.D in Human Systems Science, Tokyo Institute of Technology,  
Japan

2005 - 2007

M.A. in Human Systems Science, Tokyo Institute of Technology,  
Japan

1995 - 1997

B.A. in Psychology, University of California, Berkeley, USA

## ADDITIONAL SKILLS

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Statistical operation: SPSS, R

Programming: Python, Perl, HTML

Server operation: Linux (CentOS), cPanel/WHM

## **PUBLICATIONS (books in Japanese)**

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1: Hirahara, N, Wada, C. (2016). "Patient-centered" ways of changing your hospitals: 15 chapters to boost the quality of care. Tokyo: Igaku-Shoin. (Translation of Frampton, S., Gilpin, L. and Charmel, P. (2003). Putting patients first. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.)

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5,Tamaki, Kentaro; Sakihara, Eishin; Miyata, Hiroaki; Hirahara, Norimichi; Kirichek, Oksana; Tawara, Ryosuke; Akiyama, Shoko; Katsumata, Masayuki; Haruya, Mei; Ishii, Takeo; ,Utility of self-administered questionnaires for identifying individuals at risk of COPD in Japan: the OCEAN (Okinawa COPD case finding Assessment) Study,International Journal of Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease,16,,1771,2021,Dove Press

6,Hirahara, Norimichi; Miyata, Hiroaki; Kato, Naohiro; Hirata, Yasutaka; Murakami, Arata; Motomura, Noboru; ,Development of Bayesian Mortality Categories for Congenital Cardiac Surgery in Japan,The Annals of Thoracic Surgery,112,3,839-845,2021,Elsevier

7, Shimizu, Hideyuki; Hirahara, Norimichi; Motomura, Noboru; Miyata, Hiroaki; Takamoto, Shinichi; , Status of cardiovascular surgery in Japan between 2017 and 2018: A report based on the Japan Cardiovascular Surgery Database. 4. Thoracic aortic surgery, Asian Cardiovascular and Thoracic Annals, 29, 4, 278-288, 2021, SAGE Publications Sage UK: London, England

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surgery and operative mortality after eight gastroenterological procedures, *Surgery today*, 47, 5, 611-618, 2017, Springer Japan

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