The World Journal of Surgery Welcomes Dr. Takeo Fukagawa to the Editorial Board

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Dr. Takeo Fukagawa was born and raised in Osaka, Japan. He obtained his M.D. and PhD from Tokyo

University. He completed his surgical residency training at Tokyo University and National Cancer Center Hospital Tokyo (NCCH), where he then joined NCCH as a chief of the gastric surgery division. His current position is Professor, Department of Surgery, Teikyo University School of Medicine. His clinical interest is in gastric cancer surgery and esophagogastric junction tumors, with an emphasis on the oncological aspects. His research has focused on individual microscopic cancer cells in the blood, lymph node and intraperitoneal washings. He is a great fan of football, classical music and delicious food.

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