

Research & Development Centers

Algae Biomass and Energy System R&D Center

The world's first comprehensive R&D Center
of Algae Biomass Energy System



PMC

Research and
Development Center for
Precision Medicine



R&D Center for Precision Medicine

With the aim of the first 1000 dollar genome analysis base
in Japan

R&D Center for Sports Innovation

Japan's first social experiment base of the national university
Athletic Department (AD)



R&D Center for Strategic Frontiers Social Planning

Center for sustainable social infrastructure of future community

R&D Center for Health Services

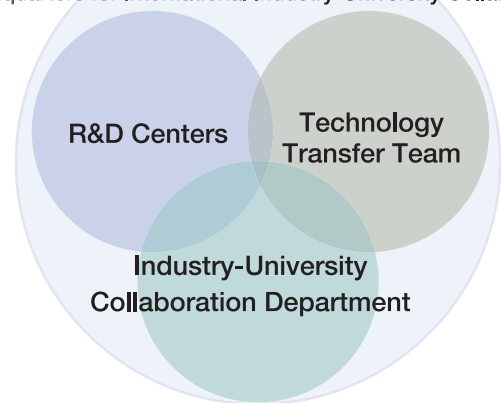
Japan's first center of specializing in the discipline
of services that bring health & happiness



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THE
FUTURE.

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Organization of Headquarters for International Industry-University Collaboration



About the R&D Centers

Since July 1, 2015, the R&D centers have been sequentially founded under the Headquarters for International Industry-University Collaboration. They are founded for promoting joint research and development in academic fields of high social demands, and organizing a cooperative research system. Their operation cost only comes from an external fund such as a collaborative or sponsored research with private sectors. As the mission of a national university, we are responsible for education, research and social contribution. And the R&D centers are the new body which undertake a role of social contribution.

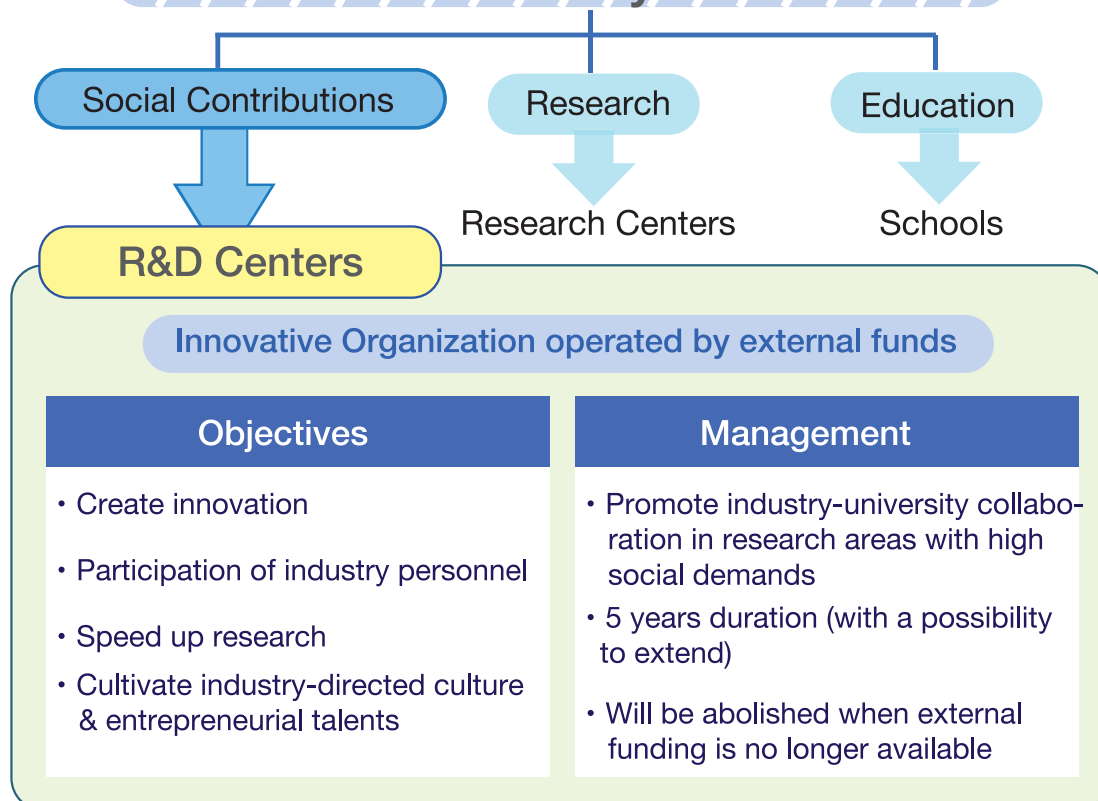
We are continuously supporting their centers and developing more R&D centers of other fields in the future.



Yasunori Kanaho

Director General of Headquarters for International Industry-University Collaboration and Vice President (Industry-University Collaboration), University of Tsukuba

Mission of University of Tsukuba





Algae Biomass and Energy System R&D Center

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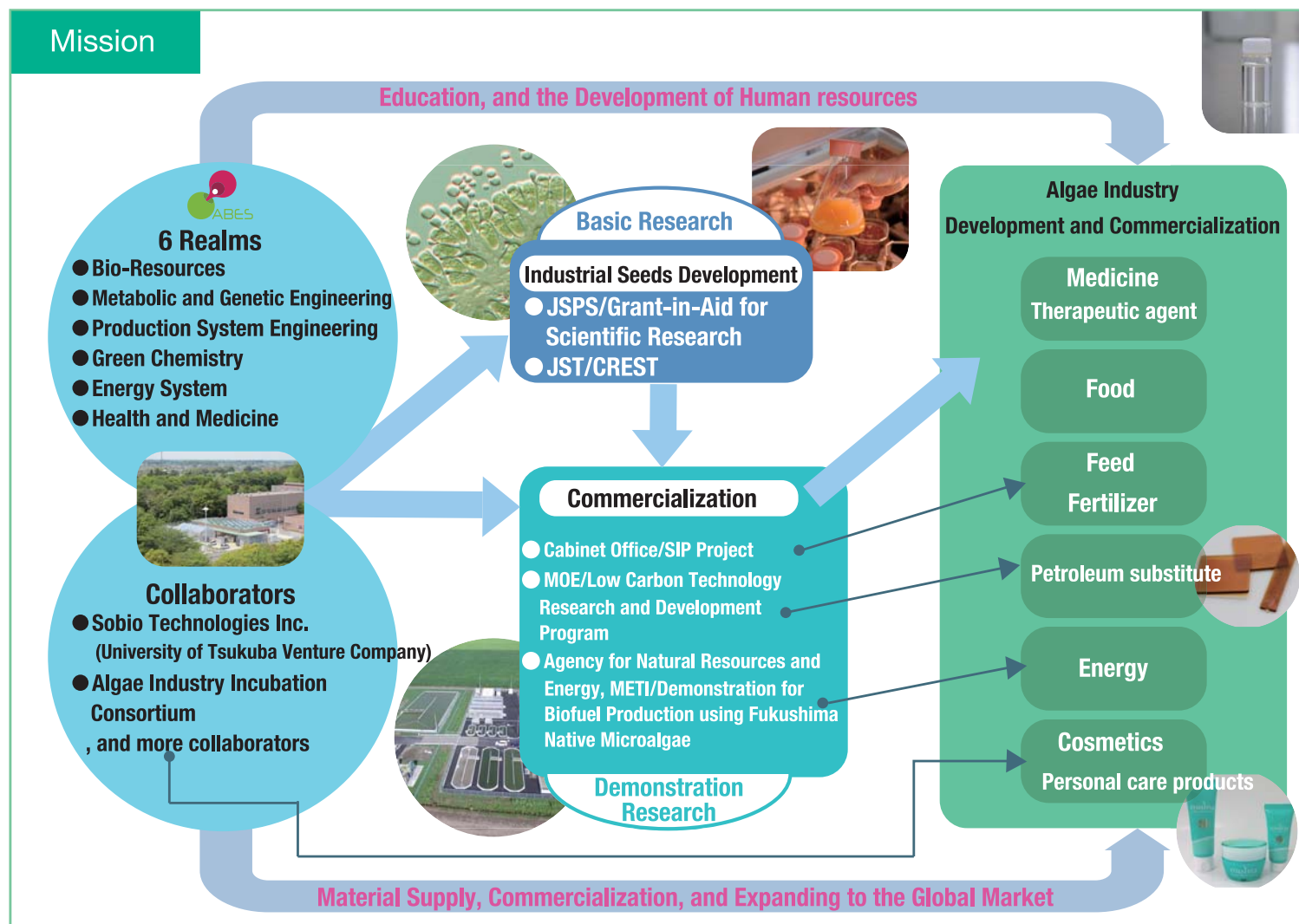
Algae Biomass and Energy System R&D Center (ABES) was established in July 2015 as the first R&D Center in the University of Tsukuba. The center consists 6 realms (Bioresources, Metabolic and Genetic Engineering, Production System Engineering, Green Chemistry, Energy System, and Health and Medicine) with participants of more than 50 researchers. Taking advantage of this multidisciplinary research fields and promoting various collaborations, (4C : Academic Collaboration, Industry-University Collaboration, Social Collaboration, International Collaboration), we are developing worldwide algae industries.



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Mission



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R&D Center for Precision Medicine

Since January 1st, 2017

With the aim of the first 1000 dollar genome analysis for Japan

The Research and Development Center for Precision Medicine (PMC) was established as Japan's first omics analysis center aiming to develop a \$1000 genome sequencing technology. Using state-of-the-art technologies in genome sequencing and mass spectrometry, the Center aims to provide analytic and translational approaches to provide precise diagnosis of cancers and various diseases in a data-driven/evidence-based approach. The Center has been working with the Tsukuba Preventive Medicine Research Center, which offers a comprehensive medical examination utilizing the function of initiative prevention of medical research. In order to promote collaborations with leading domestic and international research institutions, the PMC is also active in cross-border multidisciplinary networking. The Center aims to establish a research infrastructure for the implementation and realization of Precision Medicine, to improve/determine the best course of treatment for each individual.



Taka-Aki Sato, Ph.D.
Director, R&D Center
for Precision Medicine

Mission

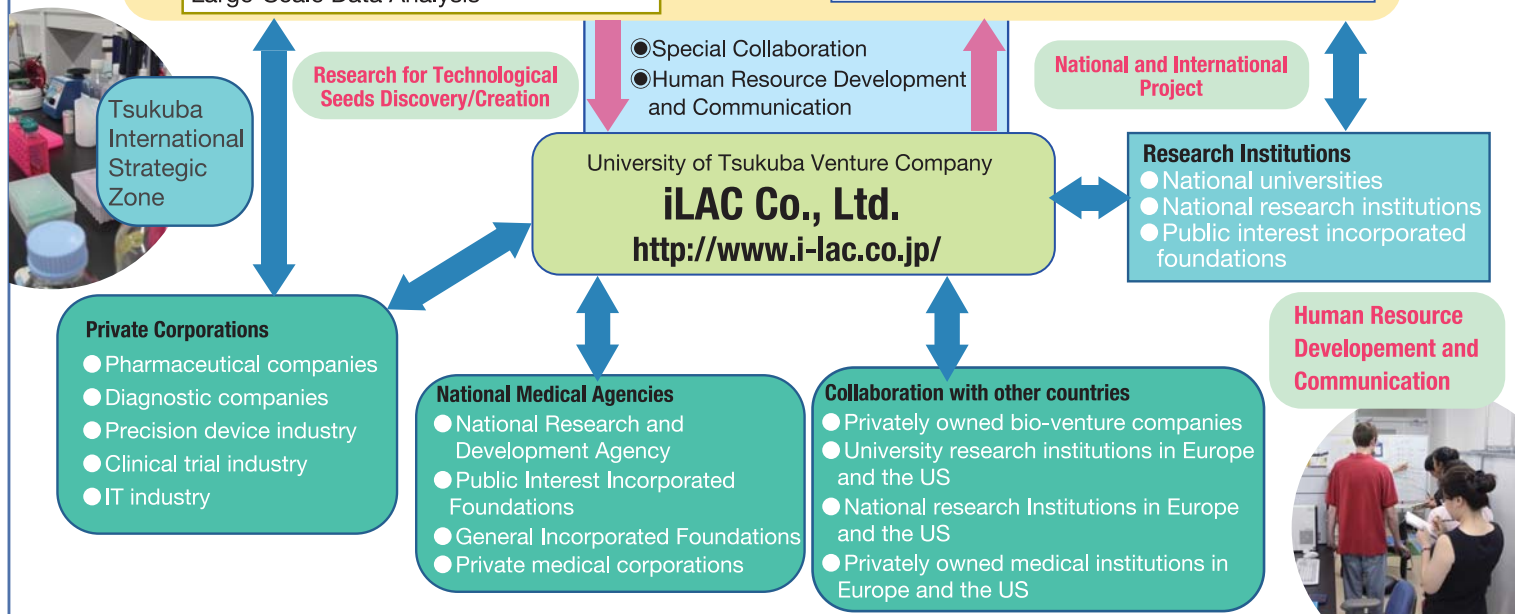
Introduce the next-generation high-throughput human whole-genome sequencing system in the University of Tsukuba.
Form a platform for Precision Medicine by building partnerships across industry, academia, and government.

7 Core Laboratories

- Medical Genomics
- Cancer Genomics and Epigenomics
- Congenital Metabolic Diseases
- Neurological and Immunological Diseases
- Food and Healthcare
- Agri Bio (Agricultural Biotechnology)
- Large-Scale Data Analysis



Next Generation High-Throughput Human Whole-Genome Sequencing



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R&D Center for Sports Innovation

Since April 1st, 2017

Aim for establishment of AD (Athletic Department)

R&D Center for Sport Innovation aims to establish and promote Athletic Department (AD) within the University of Tsukuba. To accomplish our mission, it is essential for us to designate the philosophy of Athletic Department, clarify the roles and the job descriptions between athletic director and sports administrator, and cultivate human resources that is still uncommon in Japan.

Furthermore, we need to have a discussion in order to strengthen the relationship between university and community. Meanwhile, we will prepare for the establishment of the Japanese version of NCAA in cooperation with other universities. Therefore, we are sure it leads to fulfill student support, enhance collaboration with the community and improve the value of the University.



Yukio Yamada, Ph.D.

Director, R&D Center for Sports Innovation

AD: Department of the governance of students' sports activities under the direct supervision of the President

Mission

Research

Study the achievements and improvements of AD establishment and lead the college sports in Japan

HR development

Training world-class sports administrators

International Interaction

Provide various educational research opportunities through collaborative research and education with American universities

Cooperation with business enterprises

Promote reforms on the sports industry in collaboration with companies with a common philosophy



University Branding

- Increasing a royalty towards the University
- Promote positive impressions to donators and prospective students

- Sports as an entrance to the Univ.
- "Watch" "Play" "Support" College Sports
- Sales for goods and tickets

Commercialization of College Sports

- Strong bonds of royalties and pride towards Univ.
- More research funds, and securing talented athletes

Activation and Growth of the University

Promotion of Sports

- Strengthen facilities, sports trainers, and PR
- Better performance and enjoyable community
- Customer Experience

Community Development

- University Sports as an entertainment
- Contribute to community
- Strengthen collaboration between university and community



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R&D Center for Strategic Frontiers Social Planning

Since April 1st, 2017

Creating sustainable social infrastructure of regional future

R&D Center for Strategic Frontiers Social Planning (as known as F-MIRAI) is a base for research and development into social infrastructure for communities of the future, and organizes open laboratory system with Industry-University collaboration. Based on social engineering, academic ability of the University of Tsukuba and advanced technology by multiple companies and local governments. We will promote theoretical policy recommendations and social implementation to solve regional economic and social problems through demonstration experiments. One such experiment explores the social image of the regional future, where symbiosis of people, society and nature coexist and all regions shares different strategic methodologies. The most pivotal research to be undertaken analyses next-generation vehicle development and its service platform that allows people to move without implications to individual differences and realize a lively life. As a center for research, we are convinced that a proactively advance cooperation among Industry-University and several local governments will produce groundbreaking efforts in the area of social engineering.

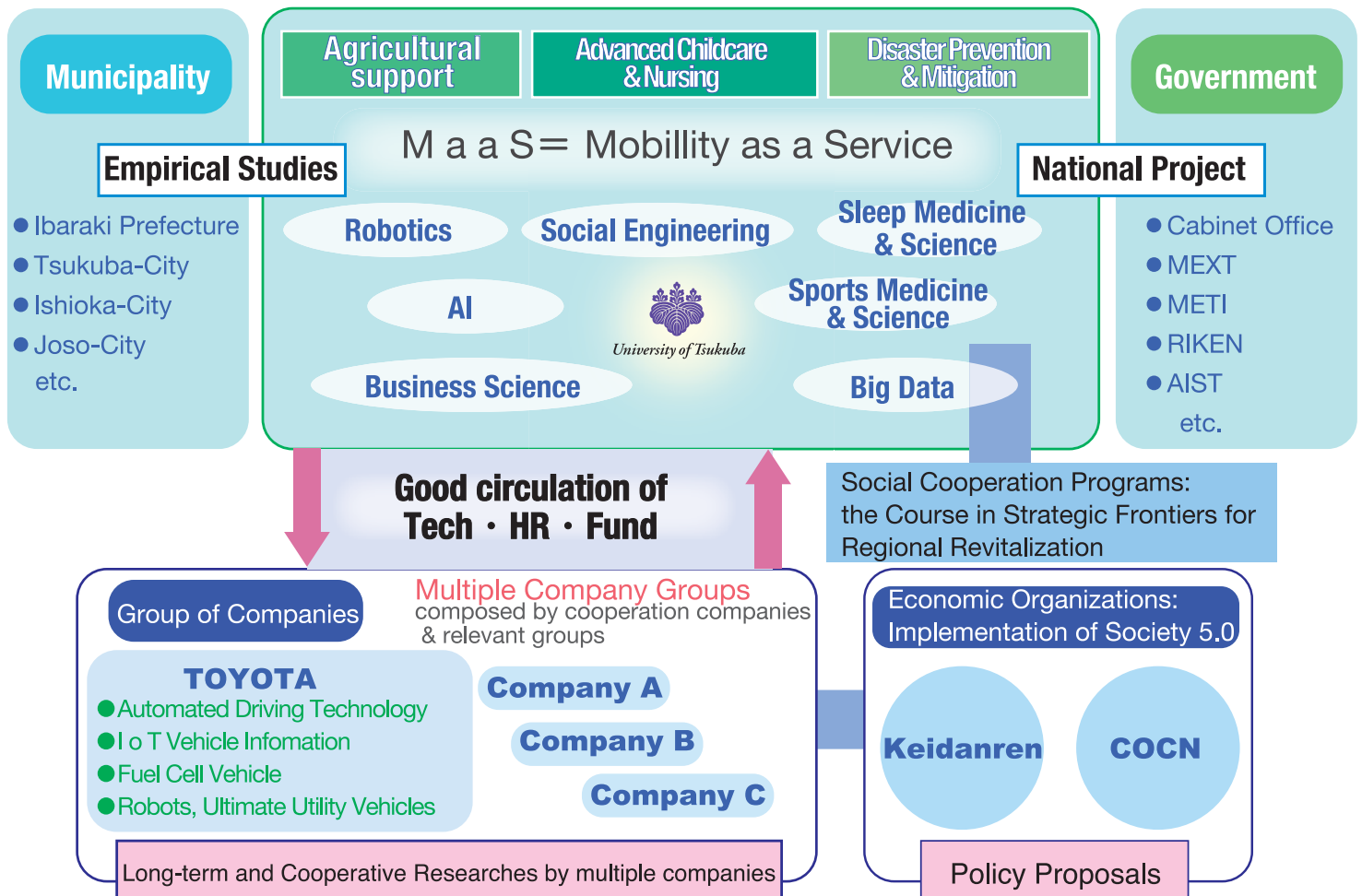


Isamu Takahara, Ph.D.

Director, R&D Center for Strategic Frontiers Social Planning

Mission

Aim for creating sustainable social infrastructure of regional future, construct technology services for next generation vehicles.



R&D Center for Health Services

Since July 1st, 2017

Towards health services in harmony with life

Health Services Research & Development Center was established on July 1, 2017. The center is specialized in a health services research (HSR) which is Japan's first academic research field. Through the data analysis of nationwide or district region, we investigate and research considering "how to effectively deliver care services that bring the health and well-being to people who need them". By focusing on its continuity of the services from preventive care to nursing care, the outcome improves the quality of the sequence of the healthcare services at each stage in our society. We hope this newly created center would follow the openness to society that our university, the University of Tsukuba, represents, so that we could imagine the future together.



Nanako Tamiya, Ph.D.
Director, R&D Center
for Health Services

Mission

To research how we can effectively contribute to provide services that bring good health & happiness to people in the declining birthrate and aging of the population society.

Cooperation with Government

Policy proposal
Clinical Evidence

Gov't

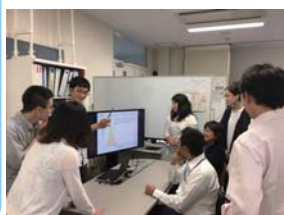
Public Fund

R&D Ctr. For Health Services

Promote academic research and social contribution by making effective use of 2D data.



Medicine
Hospital
Health and Sport
Sciences
Human Sciences



Dept. of Secondary Data Infrastructure
Dept. of Regional inclusive care research/implementation
Dept. of Local Preventive Medicine
Dept. of Clinical Medicine
Dept. of Global Aging
Dept. of Comprehensive Family Policy

Academic
Cooperation

International
Cooperation

Without using taxes, we support an aging society!

Cooperation with Industries

Medical Providers



Acute Care Hospital

Sompo Holdings, Inc.

Japan Medical Data Center Co., Ltd.

Institute of Global Medical and Sports Science, Ltd.

SMS Co., LTD.



Convalescent Hospital



Home care Services

Care Service Providers



Nursing Home
Health Ctr. for
elderly

Cooperation with community

Municipals

- Senior Club
- Resident's Association
- Volunteers
- N P O, etc.

Life Support

Nursing Prevention

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