

Masayuki Imagawa was appointed the acting Chief Executive of the Japanese Association of Vaccine Industries (JAVI) in June 2020. He has been Head, Japan Vaccine Business Unit, Global Vaccine Business Unit, Takeda Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. since Oct 1st in 2020 after working for it for ten years. He also serves as acting board member of the Public Foundation of the Vaccine Research Center since June 2018 and the Japan Antibiotics Research Association since June 2020. In addition, he has joined the Resilience Japan Initiative (WG15) and also the Advisory Board for introducing an International Solidarity Levy to Japan. He holds a Bachelor degree and a Master's degree in Pharmaceutical Sciences from the Osaka University of Pharmaceutical Sciences and the Tokushima University respectively, along with an MBA from Kobe University. Outside of work, Masayuki enjoys jogging, watching variety of sports, e.g., baseball, football, and spending time with his wife, and two kids and one puppy"