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Dear JCS members,

We are eagerly counting down the days to the 81st Annual Scientific Meeting in Kanazawa. This promises to be a most exciting programme and we look forward to meeting with leading cardiologists from around the world.

The ESC and JCS have a unique, collaborative partnership. The ESC actively supports the annual JCS congress. And ESC Congress each year receives more abstracts from Japan than from any other country.

As part of this year's international programme, JCS will organise three joint sessions together with the European Society of Cardiology:

- Recent Advances in the Management of Aortic Diseases
- Registries and Innovation in Research
- Recent Advances in Coronary Imaging and Intervention

This is a unique opportunity to hear from eminent Japanese and European cardiologists, including the distinguished leaders from both Societies. [See the programme.](#)

To further grow this special relationship, the ESC is now offering full ESC Professional Membership to Japanese cardiologists. This is an outstanding opportunity to improve your practice and enhance your career.

During JCS 2017, the ESC will have a booth next to the JCS booth where you can become an ESC Professional Member, receive your certificate and meet personally with prominent ESC delegates.

We look forward to seeing you in Kanazawa.

Sincerely,

Prof. Issei Komuro, FESC
JCS President

Prof. Jeroen Bax, FESC
ESC President 2016-2018