

# CT Skill-up Seminar



**Dates** October **20** Thu. - October **22** Sat., 2016

**Venue** Kobe International Exhibition Hall 1, Exhibition Hall

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**Course Details:**

Over the past decade, Heart CT has advanced to an effective tool for assessing coronary artery disease. With the ability of evaluating (1) coronary plaques characteristics, (2) severity and extent of calcified coronary artery segments and (3) coronary arteries beyond chronic total occlusions, Heart CT still holds enormous potential as a PCI supporting tool. While PCI success rates can be further improved, integrated CT information helps to stratify procedural risk and reduce complications. For this purpose, however, analyzing Heart CT by the PCI operator him/herself is essential. The present hands-on course aims to introduce the novel, user-friendly "Sliding Slab MIP" method, and to demonstrate how to take full advantage of Heart CT imaging in your daily PCI cases. Please join us to learn and experience the usefulness of Heart CT.

This year, we have shortened each session length to 60 min so as to be more accessible for you e.g. in the intervals between the PCI Live cases. Since there is a limited capacity of 12 attendees per session, it is highly recommended that you register as early as possible.

**Side Menu:**

Hands-on exhibition of all workstations (FUJIFILM, GE Healthcare, Ziosoft) is available during break time. "Sliding Slab MIP" and more other applications are demonstrated individually. We also kindly invite you to bring your own case data in DICOM format\* for analysis. One of our instructors is ready to support you anytime.

(\* In thin slice 300-400 axial data set. Please contact your workstation vendor personnel for details.)

**Lectures will be held in Japanese. English speaking assistant, however, is ready to help you in every session. Please apply for attendance from the Japanese website.**

**On-site attendance is accepted in case vacant workstation is available. The venue is always open for non-hands-on audit.**

**Fundamental Course**

The basic operation, diagnostic methods, tips and tricks of "Sliding Slab MIP" imaging will be explained.

**Advanced Course**

A seminar working with doctors who have already learned the basic operation of "Sliding Slab MIP" imaging. Discussions will be made based on your own analysis of the practical cases, by reference to the corresponding angiogram and IVUS information.

**CTO Course**

Focusing on CTO cases, where Heart CT exerts extensive significance, key points to notice, interpretation of analysis and how to utilize them for planning PCI strategies will be explained or discussed. Experienced CTO-PCI operators are welcome. Two instructors per session will present their own case of procedure. Since the contents of the 2 sessions are different, attending both sessions consecutively is also accepted.

**Schedule**

Date	Session	Time	Course	Capacity
10/20(Thu.)	A	10:30-11:30	Fundamental	12
	B	14:30-15:30	Fundamental	
	C	16:30-17:30	Advanced	
10/21(Fri.)	D	10:30-11:30	Fundamental	
	E	14:30-15:30	Advanced	
	F	16:30-17:30	Fundamental	
10/22(Sat.)	G	9:30-10:30	CTO Course A	
	H	10:30-11:30	CTO Course B	

**Pre-registration is required. For details, please visit CCT2016 website:  
<http://cct.gr.jp/2016/handson.html>**