

Complex Cardiovascular Therapeutics 2026

CCT2026

Dates

October 29 thu. to **30** fri., 2026

Venues

Kobe International Exhibition Hall
Portopia Hotel, Kobe, Japan

Coronary



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Japan, especially CCT, has been developed its original treatment strategy for CTO lesions in contrast to other countries where “antegrade approach” which considers utilization of knuckle wire technique in primary selection of polymer jacket wire, and “retrograde approach” which uses surfing technique more than in searching connecting vessels by tip injection, have become the mainstream of treatment strategies.

As an effort to depict lesions missed by angiography, which is the essence of CTO lesions, the way to understand vascular courses using cardiac CT and IVUS has been established as a reproducible method. Furthermore, due to development of AI, you can depict perpendicular view as well as find direction of a wire as angiography by using apps. (Espelux Edu software, 3D wiring) IVUS is now useful not only to check vascular course (wire placement) but also to guide a wire properly. (Tip detection method) We would like you to learn these evolutions, current achievements and tips through various contents centered on Live Case Transmissions.

On the other hand, considering the situation in Japan, the number of ACS lesions with complex anatomy and less vascular flow reserve has increased. Even though many of these lesions are presumably treated by young doctors during nighttime, it is essential to acquire knowledge and techniques of complex PCI in order to treat these lesions at any time.

As it is already stated, there are some differences in techniques for complex PCI such as CTO lesions between Japan and foreign countries. Therefore, having discussions with doctors from all over the world in sessions such as Live Case Transmissions will lead to doubt or confirm your common sense and to expand new perspectives.

Although we have variety of live courses including online in Japan, we believe that CCT is the only course which is able to contribute from this point of view. Please participate on site actively and make full use of this opportunity for energetic exchange with domestic and international participants and expand your perspective.

In addition, we are planning to prepare a program which appeals directly to next-generation doctors' and medical staffs' motivation for participation. An exchange using SNS is a modern trend and very convenient, but a humane exchange with eye-to-eye contact on site also has character. We hope you will enhance your complex PCI through various programs.

We are looking forward to welcoming you in Kobe when autumn is in full swing.

Kazuhiro Ashida, M.D.

CCT2026 Representative Coronary Course Director

Program at a glance

*All sessions at Live Theater 1 & 2 will be broadcasted live online during CCT 2026.
*Session language will be English unless indicated.

 Japanese ↔ Chinese Simultaneous interpretation is available
 Japanese only

Thursday, October 29

	8:00	9:00	10:00	11:00	12:00	13:00	14:00	15:00	16:00	17:00	18:00	19:00
PCI Live Theater 1		PCI Live Case Transmission The Cardiovascular Institute				Luncheon Seminar	PCI Live Case Transmission The Cardiovascular Institute					
PCI Live Theater 2		PCI Live Case Transmission Seirei Yokohama Hospital					PCI Live Case Transmission Ootakanomori Hospital					
Coronary Theater 3		Scientific Session CTO			Scientific Session Calcified Lesion		Japanese only Fellow Course Complication	Coffee Break Seminar	Japanese only Fellow Course LMT Bifurcation			
Coronary Theater 4		International Joint Sessions	International Joint Sessions		International Joint Sessions		International Joint Sessions	Coffee Break Seminar	Scientific Session PCI Complication			
Coronary Theater 5		Japanese only Joint Session			Symposium		Symposium		ⓘ ⓘ Symposium			
Case presentation Theater 1		Case Competition					Case Competition					
Presentation Studio 1		Case Competition					Digital Poster Session		Case Competition			

Friday, October 30

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PCI Live Theater 1		PCI Live Case Transmission Toyohashi Heart Center LIVE					Luncheon Seminar	PCI Live Case Transmission Toyohashi Heart Center LIVE					
PCI Live Theater 2		PCI Live Case Transmission Sakurabashi Watanabe Advanced Healthcare Hospital LIVE						PCI Live Case Transmission Saiseikai Utsunomiya Hospital LIVE					
Coronary Theater 3		Japanese only Fellow Course CTO	Coffee Break Seminar		Japanese only Fellow Course Calcified Lesion	Scientific Session DCA		Coffee Break Seminar	Scientific Session DCB				
Coronary Theater 4		 Chinese Perspectives on Live Case Transmission	Coffee Break Seminar		 Chinese Perspectives on Live Case Transmission	International Joint Sessions		International Joint Sessions					
Coronary Theater 5				Joint Session		Symposium			Joint Session				
Case presentation Theater 1		Case Competition							Case Competition				
Presentation Studio 1		Case Competition							Digital Poster Session		Case Competition		

*As of July 30, 2026. This program is subject to change.

Live Case Transmissions

PCI Live Case Transmissions

We strive to provide an incomparable live demonstration course that is more challenging and ambitious every year. Operators will demonstrate outstanding techniques and strategies exciting approaches by outlining every aspect of strategy and procedural details for complex cases. We are convinced that you can learn a variety of prominent techniques founded by CCT by attending this live course.

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Registration

Pre-registration

July 8 (Wed.) - October 4 (Sun.), 2026 (JST)

Regular Registration

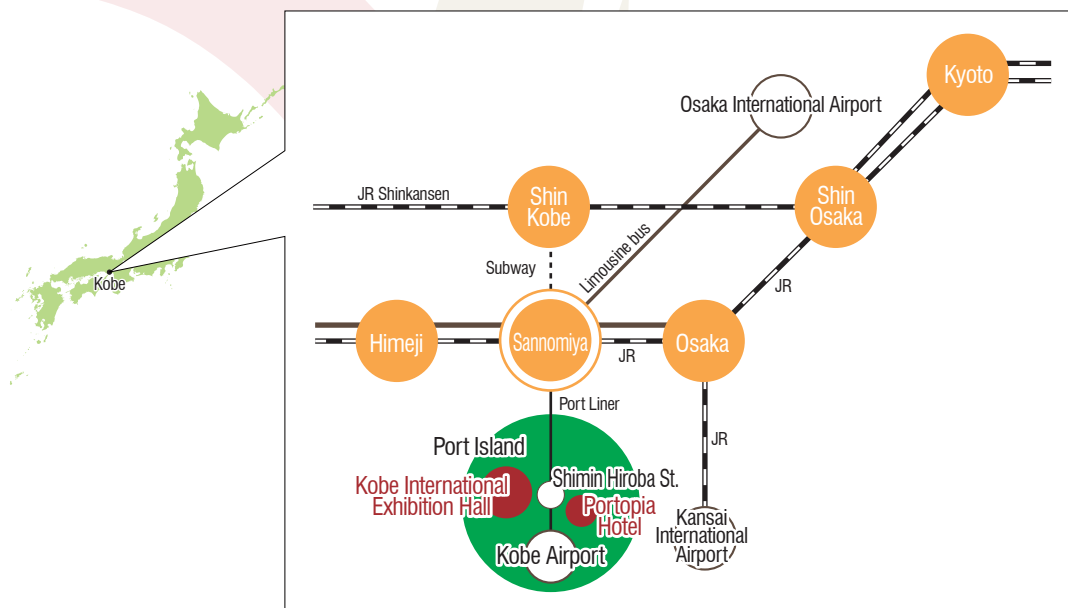
October 5 (Mon.) - October 30 (Fri.), 2026 (JST)



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