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The Significance of the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons (TPNW): Hiroshima in the age to come, and Japanese Role



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<Profile>

Mr. Akira Kawasaki graduated from the University of Tokyo in 1993 (Bachelor of Law). Since 2008, he has been coordinating "Global Voyage for a Nuclear-Free World: Peace Boat Hibakusha Project". He has tirelessly assisted the atomic-bomb survivors to share their testimonies around the world and to raise public awareness on nuclear danger. In 2009-2010, he served as an NGO Advisor to Co-Chairs of the International Commission on Nuclear Non-Proliferation and Disarmament (ICNND) that was led by Australian and Japanese governments. He joined International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons (ICAN) as a Vice Chair in 2010, and then served as a Co-chair of its International Steering Group (ISG) from 2012 to 2014. As an ICAN representative in Japan, he has promoted dialogue between Japanese government and civil society organizations on nuclear policies. Mr. Kawasaki continues to serve as an ISG member of the ICAN for Peace Boat to date.

Let's think about Hiroshima's future Dr. Mitsuo OCHI, President of Hiroshima University

As an expert of knee surgery, ligament reconstruction, and sports medicine, Dr. Ochi is a leading figure in the field of regenerative medicine for the treatment of cartilage defects. He was awarded the Shiju Hosho (medal of honor with a purple ribbon) in 2015.



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