

2022 – 2025 TAFISA Board of Directors Election

Candidate Nomination

Please return this form by **Thursday, 10th March, 2022** to:

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Date Received:

Valid Application

Invalid Application

Signed:

1 – Candidacy for the position of

Please check as applies

President
 Board Member
 President or Board Member

Candidate's name: Masanori Tamazawa

2 – Personal Details of the Candidate

Title
(e.g. Mr, Ms, Dr, Prof): Mr.

First Name: Masanori

Surname: Tamazawa

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Main Occupation: Managing Director of Sasakawa Sports Foundation (SSF)

Photo



3 – Role Within Nominating National Member of TAFISA

Name of Nominating Organisation
(TAFISA Member): TAFISA-JAPAN

Position within organisation: Board Member

Number of years in that position: 7 years

Special contributions to Sport for All in this role: Hosted 26th TAFISA World Congress in Tokyo (2019) , Hosted TAFISA Board Meeting and World Forum in Tokyo (2012) , Edited and published TAFISA Active World 2011 ~The global Almanac on Sport for All~ (2011), Completed TAFISA's Certified Leadership Course in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (2010)

4 – Other Positions, Contributions and Achievements in the Field of Sport for All and Physical Activity (Optional)

Please describe any of your further contributions and achievements in the Field of Sport for All and Physical Activity (this may include current and past positions or roles within other organisations, publications...)

As the Managing Director of the Sasakawa Sports Foundation;

- Coordinator of TAFISA World Challenge Day in Japan (Since 2009)
- Made presentations on various seminar/webinar: 23rd TAFISA World Congress in Enschede – Netherlands (2013), 13th ASFAA Congress (2014), TAFISA Webinar – Asia (2020), 7th TAFISA World Sport for All Games “Healthy Lifestyles for All - Contribution from Sport for All” (2021), TAFISA and KC Sport co-hosted webinar “It takes a Community to Raise a Physically Active Child” (2021)

Other positions;

- Member of steering committee of “Health Japan 21” (National health promotion movement promoted by Minister of Health, Labour and Welfare) (Since 2018)
- Member of International Cooperation Subcommittee of Promotion and Development Committee in Japan Rugby Football Union (Since 2016)
- Adviser of Legacy Planning Committee of Kamaishi Unosumai Memorial Stadium after Rugby World Cup 2019 (Since 2019)

5 – Command of English (working language of TAFISA)

Please check as applies

- Fluent English speaker
- Limited English speaker
- I confirm that I have the intention to improve my English within a year if elected
- I confirm that I have staff at disposal to support me carry out my BoD duties in English

Other fluently spoken languages: Japanese

6 – Attendance at Board Meetings and General Assemblies

Please confirm by checking the boxes

- I confirm my willingness to attend TAFISA Board of Directors Meetings (2 – 3 times per year) and TAFISA General Assemblies (once every two years)

- I confirm that costs associated with travel to Board Meetings and General Assemblies will be borne by the Board Member themselves or their organisation, unless otherwise stipulated by the TAFISA Board of Directors

7 – Dedication to TAFISA

Please confirm by checking the box

- I confirm that, if elected, I will be expected to actively support and contribute to TAFISA and its initiatives, including:
 - Promoting TAFISA and its initiatives locally and internationally,
 - Encouraging membership,
 - Supporting coordination of (local) events and programs, e.g. World Challenge Day, World Walking Day, World/Regional Sport for Games, World Congress, Certified Leadership Courses, etc,
 - Contributing to TAFISA publications, including newsletters, and the website,
 - Identifying and fostering relationships with potential sponsors and partners, and
 - Supporting other countries.

8 – Benefit to TAFISA

Please describe, in a few words, how you intend to support TAFISA’s growth and development if elected, as well as any special benefits that you may bring to TAFISA:

- Research and Publication: Conduct regular-basis research and survey on TAFISA’s initiatives (including TAFISA Mission 2030) with support from the Sasakawa Sports Foundation and publish the result accordingly

- Relationship with ASFAA: Coordinate and strengthen a relationship between ASFAA and TAFISA

- International Relation: Strengthen a relationship between Japanese locals and international experts

- Hosting: Consider hosting TAFISA Certified Leadership Courses in Japan

- Presentation: Willing to give presentations on various Sport for All topics to share the latest situation and issues in Japan

9 – Attachments

Please check as applies

- Official letter of support from nominating National Member of TAFISA (**Compulsory**)
- Other: Official letter of support from chairman of Nippon Foundation, Yohei Sasakawa (Jürgen Palm Awardees)
- Other: Official letter of support from Japan Sports Agency

10 – Any Other Comments

I started playing rugby at the age of 10. Since then, I have kept playing the sport through my high school and university, and even now I play it sometimes at the alumni team of my university. A rugby game is played by 30 players at total. Each team has 15 players, and I believe this is one of the most remarkable features of this sport. Because there are so many players in one team, you need to communicate with a variety of personalities, in other words, "diversity". With those unique teammates, you need to cooperate to carry one ball to the opposite goal line. For that goal, you have to not only communicate but also respect your teammates and believe them totally. Throughout my life, I learned the philosophy, "One for All, All for One" by competing in this rugby. It is still the motto for continuing my job of promoting Sport for All. I believe that I deserve the board of directors of TAFISA, which promotes Sport for All, because I have valued diversity and respect for other "team mates" throughout my life.

Please confirm by checking the box

- I hereby accept and agree that the personal information as disclosed in this form can be made public to the TAFISA Membership and available to view online via the TAFISA website.

Signature of the candidate:

王 澤 正 徳

Date: March 2nd, 2022