



Society for Asian Medical Decision Science

## Announcement of SAMDS Contribution

### Award Recipients

April 29, 2026

The Society for Asian Medical Decision Science (SAMDS) is pleased to announce the recipients of the SAMDS Contribution Award, presented in recognition of outstanding dedication, leadership, and long-term contributions to the advancement of medical decision science and the development of the Society.

Following careful review and deliberation by the Award Committee, the following individuals were selected as awardees:

#### Awardees

1. Prof. Tetsuya Sakurai, University of Tsukuba, Japan
2. Prof. Tin-Chih Toly Chen, National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University, Taiwan

These awardees are recognized for their exceptional commitment to academic exchange, international collaboration, research development, and sustained support for the mission and growth of SAMDS.

Society extends its warmest congratulations and sincere appreciation to the awardees for their invaluable contributions. Their dedication and achievements continue to establish sustainable networks for sharing excellence in medical decision science.

The awards will be formally presented during the 10th International Conference on Medical and Health Informatics (ICMHI 2026) in Kyoto, Japan, on May 16, 2026.

Sincerely,

**Prof. Taka-Aki SATO**  
Chair, Award Committee  
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**Prof. Dilaver Tengilimoğlu**  
Co-Chair, Award Committee  
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