

Dr. Takayuki Miyahara wins The Best Clinical Innovation Award

Dr. Takayuki Miyahara, 3rd prize winner at the 10th Annual JDA / DENTSPLY Student Clinician Program held in 2004, has received The Best Clinical Innovation Award at [Academy of Osseointegration](#) (AO) [25th Anniversary Meeting](#) for his presentation titled; “Novel GBR Membrane Consisting of Cholesterol-bearing Pullulan Nanogel.” Dr. Miyahara conducts his research in [GCOE](#) (Global Center of Excellence) Program at [Tokyo Medical and Dental University](#).

Dr. Miyahara’s report is outlined below:

The 25th Anniversary Meeting of the Academy of Osseointegration was held in the Walt Disney World® Dolphin Resort in Orlando FL, USA from March 4-6, 2010.

“Prof. Kasugai and I arrived and got an overview of what the next few days of the conference would bring. Researchers from all over the world had come to present their work. It was a great opportunity to see other related research and gather new ideas and techniques. There were many posters that were directly and indirectly related to my research. I attended the session of Clinical Innovation Presentation and presented an oral session. Twenty people were selected. It was the first time for me to present in English.

The presentation time was 7 minutes. As a result, I received the award of “The Best Clinical Innovations Award”. I felt happy and blessed to be able to do my PhD in Tokyo Medical and Dental University and also to be a part of the GCOE program. Also, SCRP gave me the chance to study as an undergraduate student. I deeply appreciate SCRP.

