



Office of Society-Academia Collaboration for Innovation

MISSIONS

- Promote and manage COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH between academia, industry and the government
- Support START-UPS created by researchers and students
- Manage and utilize the university's INTELLECTUAL PROPERTIES



NEW DIRECTOR **Hidetoshi Kotera**

Hidetoshi Kotera (Dr. Eng., Kyoto University, Japan, 1993) is Kyoto University's executive vice-president for external strategy, knowledge & technology transfer and innovation. Prior to his current appointment, he held a professorship in the Department of Micro-Engineering. He has also served as director of the President's Office (2008-2012), and vice-president (2009-2012). His main research interests are mechanical engineering, bio, micro and nanotechnology, Micro Total Analysis Systems (Micro TAS), Micro Electro-Mechanical Systems (MEMS), multi-physics numerical analysis theory and system and piezoelectric material. He is the author of 170 academic papers, over 220 papers for international conferences, and is the holder of 47 patents. He has received many awards and distinctions throughout his career, including the IBM SUR Award. In 2005 he became a fellow of the Japan Society of Mechanical Engineering.



AUTM Annual Meeting 2012 in the USA (right & left)
AUTM Asia 2012 in Singapore (middle)



AUTM Asia 2013
KYOTO

March 20-22, 2013
Kyoto International Conference Center
Kyoto Japan

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