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## Nomination to IHPBA Early Career Surgeons' Group

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Wed, Oct 9, 2019 at 7:50 PM

Dear Prof Norihiro Kokudo,

During the recent IHPBA/A-PHPBA executives' meeting, it was noted that IHPBA would like to engage younger surgeons for the future development of the Association. A new committee - Early Career Surgeons' Group will be established for attracting and retaining young members who have great ideas and enthusiasm. The Group will be implemented at the 2020 World Congress, which should have an ex-officio seat on IHPBA Council and links to its working committees.

A-PHPBA has been asked to help identifying two young surgeons within the region to join the Group. Our Executive Committee has decided that one nomination should come from each of the 'big four' National Chapters - i.e. China, India, Japan and South Korea. The Executive Committee will then discuss and select the appropriate candidates. Given our relative size, we could ask the IHPBA to consider increasing our allocation.

As you are the President of Japan National Chapter, we would like to invite you to nominate a candidate from your country. The applicant should have fresh insights and perspectives with age under 40, who can take up leadership position in the Group as well as joining various IHPBA committees. Please also provide the applicant's c.v. to our Executive Committee for consideration.

Thank you and best wishes,

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