

ISAO MATSUOKA
INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

Isao Matsuoka from Kyoto, Japan, was elected to serve a two-year term as an international director of Lions Clubs International at the association's 108th international convention in Hong Kong, China, July 3 through July 7, 2026.

Director Matsuoka has 36 years of experience in the real estate industry. He is currently CEO of Matsuoka Shoji Co., Ltd. His professional experience includes collaborative projects with local government authorities and land acquisition for a FIFA World Cup soccer tournament site.

Director Matsuoka has been a Lion since 1995 and is a member of the Kyoto South Lions Club.

He has held a number of offices within the association, including club secretary, club president, district LCIF chairperson, region chairperson, district governor, council chairperson, GAT area leader and LCIF area leader, among others.

In recognition of his service to the association, Director Matsuoka has received several awards, including the Club Excellence Award, 100% Club President Award, International President's Certificate of Appreciation, LCIF Chairperson Certificate of Appreciation, Presidential Medal, Leadership Medal and LCIF Chairperson Medal. He is also a Melvin Jones Fellow.

In addition to his Lion activities, Director Matsuoka has been recognized with a certificate of appreciation upon appointment as a volunteer probation officer by the Ministry of Justice and has received numerous commendations and awards.

Director Matsuoka has three children.