

YOSHIYUKI SATO
INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR

Yoshiyuki Sato from Oita, Japan, was elected to serve a two-year term as a director of Lions Clubs International at the association's 98th International Convention held in Honolulu, Hawaii, June 26 through 30, 2015.

Director Sato is an architect and involved in real estate management.

A member of the Oita Lions Club since 1991, he has held many offices within the association, including club president, cabinet treasurer, district governor, district ALERT chairperson and district GLT coordinator. He is also an advisor for the Lions of Oita-Prefecture Eye and Kidney Bank Cooperation Association and facilitator for the Advanced Lions Leadership Institute.

In recognition of his service to the association, he has received numerous awards, including the Master Key Award, Club President Excellence Award, Membership Advancement Key Award and an International President's Award. He is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.

Director Sato and his wife, Noriko, also a Lion and a Melvin Jones Fellow, have one son, one daughter, three grandsons and one granddaughter.