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23-26 August 2005 – Okayama, Japan

The main theme of the conference is EAST MEETS WEST - Job Stress Prevention in a Global Perspective. The aspects covered will encompass strategies and methods of assessing, preventing and controlling job-related stress and its effects on health in different settings all over the world.

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  - Predictive assessment of hazards and risks in health care
  - Safety management of clinical training program
- The safety and quality of health care as public health agenda
  Key note address; “The policy and initiatives on quality assurance of health care in Sweden and European countries” by Dr. Michael BERGSTRÖM, the change agent in the Federation of the County Councils, Sweden

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