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Season's Greetings

Happy New Year!

The new coronavirus infection (COVID-19) is still not under control, and both individuals and companies are facing a very unstable future. In such a situation, we need to aim for further development and build a sustainable future, and to do so, we need to develop innovative technologies and products.

To do this, engineers and researchers should not rely on trial and error, but use scientific and creative thinking methods to efficiently develop breakthrough products and systems.

The most powerful method for this purpose is TRIZ, and we will continue to promote its spread and deployment.

We will continue to promote the spread and deployment of TRIZ, one of which is the Japan TRIZ Symposium, which we have been presiding over since the days of our predecessor, the Japan TRIZ Association.

This year, we will hold the 18th Japan TRIZ Symposium on September 1-2 with the theme of "**Create a Sustainable Future with TRIZ**", focusing on On-Line.

We would like to invite many people to present their experiences and research results, and to participate in the discussions, so that we can learn from each other. For this purpose, we will actively call for the participation and cooperation of related academic societies.

We will also analyze the research contents of the past TRIZ Symposiums and make them widely available to the public so that they may be useful for the use of TRIZ.

In addition, we have been holding "TRIZ social gathering" inviting authorities in related fields for the purpose of spreading and expanding the use of TRIZ.

In addition, we are planning to organize study group activities, seminars, and publish TRIZ materials to understand and learn TRIZ. In addition, we are preparing to publish an academic journal focusing on TRIZ.

We hope that not only members of the Japan TRIZ Society but also many people who are not yet members of the Society will participate in these meetings and discuss together to contribute to building the future of enterprises and, eventually, the future of sustainable Japan by making full use of TRIZ.

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