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Opening Talk: An Overview

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There has been extensive challenges to achieve a gender-equal society in wide variety of fields in Japan; the field of science is no exception. Recent years we had several special sessions on this issue in our Geoscience Union Meetings, which had been successful and fruitful attempts so far. However, we have to say there still exists a long way to go to realize a true gender-equal society in our field. This opening talk gives a brief overview on the status quo of our activities on this problem.