

## Dr. Shukuro Manabe received Crafoord Prize in Geosciences

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The Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences officially announced that [the 2018 Crafoord Prize in Geosciences would be awarded to Dr. Shukuro Manabe](#). He is one of JAMSTEC research fellows, and a senior meteorologist at Princeton University. According to the Academy, he was recognized "for fundamental contributions to understanding the role of atmospheric trace gases in Earth's climate system."

[The Crafoord Prize](#) was established in 1980 by Dr. Holger Crafoord, who designed the first artificial kidney, and his wife, Ms. Anna-Greta Crafoord. The prize is awarded in partnership between the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences and the Crafoord Foundation.

The prize is intended to complement the disciplines for which the Nobel Prizes are awarded, and therefore, the disciplines chosen are Mathematics and Astronomy; Geosciences; Biosciences; and Polyarthrititis. (According to the Academy, the prize in polyarthrititis is awarded only when "scientific progress in this field has been such that an award is justified.")

The following is the upcoming schedule.

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| May 22, 2018 | Prize lecture at Lund University  |
| May 23, 2018 | Prize symposium in Stockholm  |
| May 24, 2018 | Prize ceremony at Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences in Stockholm, in the presence of the King and Queen of Sweden |



Dr. Shukuro Manabe, JAMSTEC's research fellow, speaking in the special lecture meeting titled "Chikyu Ondanka to Kaiyo (Global warning and ocean)\*"  
The picture was taken on October 31, 2017, and provided by the Sasakawa Peace Foundation.

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