

Curriculum Vitae



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Short Biography Professor Nagase is a disability studies scholar, who was the inaugural executive director of Japan Society for Disability Studies, established in 2003 and currently serves as an editor of “Disability & Society”, leading international journal on disability studies. He is an inaugural board member of Japan Association on Disability Law. For the upcoming East Asian Disability Studies Forum 2019, Wuhan, China in October, he serves as a co-chair.

Prof. Nagase is also a very active member of the civil society and disabled people’s organizations at the international and national level. He serves as the chair of the Membership Committee of Inclusion International as well as the vice-chair of the CRPD Committee of Japan Disability Forum. He also serves as an inaugural board member of Disability Equality Training Forum in Tokyo.

His long career includes development volunteer in Kenya, official secretary to a member of parliament with disabilities in Japan, Asia Pacific programme officer of Disabled Peoples International (DPI), Junior Professional Officer/Associate Expert with the disability programme of U.N. Secretariat in Austria and U.S., U.N. peace keeper in Cambodia, election monitor in Palestine, associate professor at the University of Tokyo.

His current priority lies with the CRPD. He has given presentations and led workshops on CRPD in Bhutan, China, Colombia, Hong Kong/China, Ireland, Lao PDR, Lithuania, Malaysia, Mongolia, Paraguay, Singapore, South Korea, Taiwan and U.S. Prof. Nagase served as the chair of the International Review Committee for the independent CRPD monitoring for ROC (Taiwan) in 2017.