# *Candidate Statement*
# *Prof. Fumio Morooka*

***WFDF Elections 2012 – candidate***

**Name of candidate:** Prof. Fumio Morooka
**Position sought:** At Large Board Member
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**Nomination endorsed by:** Japan Flying Disc Association (JPN)

## Candidate Statement

*I'm Fumio Morooka (Nick Name: MORO), Present WFDF Board Member and President of Japan Flying Disc Association. Last 32 years I have taught over 22,000 students and over 600 School P.E. Instructors Flying Disc sports as Physical Education Professor of Sophia University, Tokyo, Japan. I experienced Tournament Director for WUGC1992 Utsunomiya, Technical Delegate for World Games 2001 Akita and President for WUGC2012 Sakai, Japan.*

*Since 1994, I have attended GAISF (General Association of International Sports Federations) & IWGA (International World Games Association) General Meetings to develop Flying Disc as Recognized Sport in International Sports Society with my own expense. I worked for WFDF to become regular member of GAISF & IWGA in 1995, and to make Flying Disc Medal Sport of World Games in 2001. In 2009, I was elected as Council Member of SportAccord (GAISF changed the name). Now, World Sport Society recognizes Flying Disc as "International Sport" (www.sportaccord.com). I attended the Joint Meeting of SportAccord Council and IOC Executive Board on November 22, 2010 in Lausanne, Switzerland. I need WFDF Board member's position to keep International Sport Society network for Flying Disc.*

*I'd like to develop Disc Sports all over the world, especially in Asia next 2 years. In World Games 2009 Kaohsiung, Taiwan, Flying Disc (Ultimate) could get 27,500 spectators for 3 days. This number is more than 7- Rugby. It's a chance to develop to develop Flying Disc in Asia now. I will work to make Flying Disc Medal Sport in Asian Games.*

*Please give me a WFDF Board Member position again to use my international human network & experience that I have created in World Sport Society last 18 years.*

*Fumio Morooka*