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GENERAL INFORMATION

Further details are posted on www.isope.org.

PLACE AND DATE: Osaka, Japan, June 21–26, 2009
All ISOPE-2009 Conference’s technical events, tea breaks and registration will take place at:

Osaka International Convention Center*
5-3-51, Nakanoshima Kita-ku,
Osaka, Japan 530-0005
Fax: +81-(0)6-4803-5620; www.gco.co.jp/index.html

* Adjoined to the 5-star hotel, Rihga Royal Hotel Osaka. Use the reservation form of this hotel to get ISOPE room rates. Online booking is unavailable for ISOPE-2009 Special rate.

PARKING
The Osaka International Convention Centre (Grand Cube Osaka) has over 300 secured underground public parking stalls and charges $5.00/hour for guests, taxes included. The Rihga Royal hotel has over 840 secured underground public parking stalls at no charge for booked hotel guests and $10.00/hour for non-hotel guests, taxes included.

LANGUAGE
The language for the conference is English. No translation service will be arranged.

AIR TRAVEL
Many major airlines provide direct flights to Kansai International Airport (KIX) from centres in Asia, Europe, and North America – see www.kansai-airport.or.jp. KIX is located in South Osaka and can be easily reached by taxi or bus.

AIRPORT TO HOTEL
Kansai International Airport
After the Immigration and Customs Control, follow the Exit signs. Outside the airport you will find taxi and bus stops.

Taxi
A taxi ride is the most convenient when you carry luggage. Taxis are readily available outside both the Domestic and International terminals and charge a metered rate based on time and distance traveled. The approximate fare to downtown Osaka is $160-$170 (inclusive of all taxes) under normal conditions.

Airport Limousine
The Airport Limousine bus provides service to major hotel destinations in downtown Osaka. The Airport Limousine bus terminal is located on the 1st floor, international arrivals lobby. No reservations required with departure. Bus runs every 20 minutes from 5:30 to 21:30. Tickets may be purchased at the ticket counter near bus stops, or at the service counter on the 1st floor. Fares are $13.00 one-way. Further information on service, schedules and fares may be obtained from the Limousine bus ticket office located on the International and Domestic Arrivals levels, the website, http://www.kate.co.jp/en/index.html, or by calling +81-(0)72-461-1371. Get off the Limousine at Habis Osaka bus stop and walk across the street in front of the post office, and walk across the street on your left, towards Postoffice. Get on the shuttle to the Rihga Royal Hotel.

Train
Nankai Railway and JR West both have stations at Kansai International Airport that can be accessed from Kansai Airport Station on the second floor of the airport terminal building (1F up from International Arrivals
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If you wish to take the train, take Nankai Railways airport line from the
airport to Kansai Airport Station, and then get off at Namba station. It
leaves every 30 minutes. Then take a taxi to the Rihga Royal Hotel. Taxi
will cost around $15 to the hotel.
See http://www.kansai-airport.or.jp/en/access/train/index.html

The JR West also provides airport express service to downtown Osaka.
Guests can take Kansai Airport line from the airport to Osaka Station, and
then take a taxi to the hotel (costs about $9) or free shuttle bus. Visit:
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Osaka.

CURRENCY EXCHANGE
Cash dispensers (ATMs) that accept all major credit/debit cards can be
found at several locations in the airport, and at banks and retail areas
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TAX
Most purchases in Japan are subject to sales tax totalling 5% of the
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ACCOMODATION. Find the reservation form in this program or
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reservation form – Rihga Royal Hotel.
Reservations should be made absolutely before May 4, 2008.
This hotel is adjoined to the Osaka International Convention Center, the
official venue for the Conference. Rooms are reserved at the ISOPE
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For Rihga Nakanoshima Inn, a sister economy hote nearby, use the same
Reservation Form of other hotel choices.

CITY TRANSPORTATION
Within the city it is best to take public transportation.
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To the downtown Osaka  $2.00 approx 10 minutes
To Kyoto  $6.00 approx 60 minutes
To Nara  $9.00 approx 60 minutes
To Kobe  $8.00 approx 45 minutes

ELECTRICITY AND ADAPTER
Japanese appliances operate on 100 volts (60 Hz) in Osaka, which is
different from the U.S. voltage. A universal adaptor is required for
overseas electrical devices.

TIPPING
It is customary not to tip at anyplaces in Japan. Tips are already included
in the prices for restraints, hotels, and retails.

HOURS OF OPERATION
* Offices in Osaka are usually open from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm.
* Shops are usually open from 10:00 am to 9:00 pm.
* Pharmacies keep similar hours to offices, with a few open 24 hours.
* Banks are generally open 9:00 am to 4:00 pm Monday to Friday, with
  some banks open on Saturday.
SPOUSE PROGRAM: 1/2-Day Tour; Tuesday Afternoon, June 23
Update will be posted shortly. Sponsored by ISoPE, tickets will be issued to the spouses with ISOPE badge only, free of charge. It is first-come-first-served basis. E-mail advance reservations (Subject line “Spouse Program”) to isope-2@isope.org.

WHAT TO SEE IN THE KANSAI REGION

http://www.osaka-info.jp/jp/index.phphellobc.com; English version
http://www.osaka-info.jp/en
http://www.kyokanko.or.jp;
http://www.kyotojoho.co.jp/english/index.html;

Kansai is Japan’s tourist Mecca. There are five registered World Heritage areas. Surrounded by these areas, especially Kyoto, Nara, Kobe, Osaka is home to spectacular natural scenery and a bustling metropolitan core. These areas can be reached on half day or day trips from Osaka. Osaka is a city that has always thrived around water. It also develops as the center of trade and distribution. Osaka is referred to as the “nation’s kitchen” for delicious and distinctive Osaka style food. Another feature of Osaka is the many specialized shopping areas. Shopping areas are close to any of major railway terminals. Also, the city is full of historic places, there are many temples, and shrines. Highlights of the cities include:

**Osaka**

Osaka Castle. Osaka Castle is a symbol of Osaka, which has been handed down through dramas in the history to present day. Osaka Castle is widely known as an emblem of the power and fortune of Shogun Toyotomi Hideyoshi. It has been popular with both domestic and overseas tourists as a historic site. Also there is a park surrounding the Castle as a majestic urban Oasis, which welcomes people with changing seasonal views.

Tenjinbashi-Suji Shopping Street. A 2.6-kilometer line of small shops make up this roofed shopping street, which runs from Tenjimbashi 1 chome to 7 chome in Osaka, nearly as far as the distance between three subway stations. The street, whose high vaulted roof makes for a feeling of great spaciousness, is Japan’s longest shopping street. Numerous movie theaters and game centers will be found along it, all of them frequented by familiar old faces; this is definitely a place for everyday people. There are events held on the street almost every day.

**Kyoto**

Kinkakuji Temple (Golden Pavilion). A UNESCO World Heritage Site, Kinkakuji was built in 1397 by Shogun Ashikaga Yoshimitsu as his retirement villa. The gardens are designed as a special national historic site. The tea house, located in the garden, is famous for its staggered shelves made of bush clover wood, and its Nantan alcove pillar.

Kiyomizu-dera Temple
A UNESCO World Heritage Site. The main hall, famous for its spacious outdoor, cliff-like balcony, supported on an intricate, several story high wooden structur of pillars, is a designated National Treasure. Kiyomizu means pure water. Much of the large temple area offers outstanding views of the city.

**Nara**

Gion Shinbashi Area. This well-preserved Edo-period area, centered around Shinbashii street, is famous for its refined scenery, tea houses, and apperance of geiko (geisha in Kyoto) and maiko (apprentice geiko) walking scenery to and from work. Twilight is considered the best time to photograph geisha in this unique setting.
Todaiji Temple. The world famous Todaiji Temple, designated as a UNESCO World Heritage Site, contains various pavilions and halls, including many designated as national treasures of Japan. Among them, the ‘Daibutsuden Hall’ is the world’s largest wooden structure, and the home of the popular ‘the Great Buddha of Nara’. This gigantic statue is 15m tall and weighs approximately 25 tonnes.

Nara

Nara Park. This beautiful lawn park extends 4km east to west and 2km north to south. Groups of deer, messengers of the gods, roam freely through the park. Its beautiful landscape with half-hidden views of temple and shrine rooftops enchants visitors throughout the seasons.

Kobe

Harborland Meriken Park area. Harborland is the seaside entertainment zone, where you can enjoy shopping, amusement and gourmet spots all together. Meriken Park is a refreshing seaside park with a view of Port Tower, a Kobe landmark. Cruise ships touring the Kobe port and Akashi Kaikyo Bridge are in service, and the view of Kobe from the sea is exceptionally beautiful.

SIGHT SEEING AND TOUR PROGRAM

The program will be posted on www.isope.org > ISOPE-2009.

ADVANCE CONFERENCE REGISTRATION BY MAIL OR FAX (use the Registration Form)

Remember to send via airmail or fax the Advance Registration (and Invoice) Form in this Program (It can also be downloaded from www.isope.org)

DEADLINE: Presenting Authors: March 24.
Non-Authors, non-presenting authors and co-authors: May 22.

In case one charges to a credit card via Fax, the card number should be typed in bold face or written clearly to be readable in the transmitted Fax copy. The ISOPE Fax number is 1-650-254-2038 USA.

Forms received after May 22 will not be processed and will be returned to the senders for on-site registration with a surcharge of US$100. Registrants will not be separately invoiced.

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Conference registration badges are required for admittance to all the conference activities, including the reception and banquet.

Advance Registration Fees: Deadline for the presenting authors is March 24. US$100 surcharge applies after May 22 and for on-site registration fees.

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