The 23rd Hadron Collider Physics Symposium 2012 November 12 - 16th, 2012, Kyoto, Japan

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The Hadron Collider Physics Symposium will be held in Kyoto, Japan from November 12th to 16th. This meeting will showcase the latest results from the LHC, Tevatron, RHIC and HERA. Details and updated information are available in the conference website, http://www.icepp.s.u-tokyo.ac.jp/hcp2012/

1. Important dates

August 15th: Deadline for abstract submission (**parallel sessions**)
September 14th: Deadline for abstract submission (**poster presentations**)

September 30th: Deadline for early registration October 14th: Final deadline for registration

November 11th 17:00 JST(Japan Standard Time): Open registration desk

2. Program

The basic structure of the scientific program is given here. It consists of plenary and parallel sessions, as well as poster sessions. The parallel sessions are in the afternoon of Tuesday and Wednesday (November 12th and 13th).

Nov. 12	Nov. 13	Nov. 14	Nov. 15	Nov. 16
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Opening_1	Top_1	QCD	Electro-Weak	SUSY
coffee	coffee	coffee	coffee	coffee
Soft-QCD Heavy-lon	Exotics	Top_2	Higgs	Conclusion - Future_1
lunch	lunch	lunch	lunch	lunch
Soft-QCD Heavy-lon	Parallel	Parallel	Higgs	Conclusion - Future_2
Heavy-Flavor coffee	(a) SUSY_Exotic	(d) Higgs	coffee	
00/166	(b) Top	(e) Heavy-Flavor	Poster	
Heavy-Flavor	(c) QCD , Heavy-Ion	(f) Electro-Weak	conference dinner	

The speakers and titles are under preparation and will be updated at http://kds.kek.jp/conferenceTimeTable.py?confld=9237#all.detailed

3. Poster session

A limited number of poster presentations are planned and contributions are strongly encouraged. The posters will be displayed throughout the conference in a dedicated room. The poster session will be held on Thursday afternoon. (The maximum size of poster is A0.) To request a poster presentation, please send the title and abstract by **September 14th**, to the following address, hcp2012poster@gmail.com . The approval of your poster will be notified by September 25th.

4. Parallel session

Parallel sessions are planned in the Tuesday afternoon ((a) SUSY/Exotics, (b) Top, (c) QCD Heavy-Ion) and Wednesday afternoon ((d) Higgs, (e) Heavy Flavor, (f) Electro-Weak). All abstracts must be submitted via e-mail to hcp2012-parallel-abstract@cern.ch before **15th August 2012**. It should include, title, contents as well as a session name [(a) to (f)] to be presented. Each session conveners will review and inform which abstract is accepted.

5. Registration, Accommodation and Payments

Participants can make registration at the following URL, https://amarys-jtb.jp/hcp2012/. Detailed information about registration fee, payment, cancellation fee, dates and policy are available at the same page.

	Early Registration (On or Before September 30)	Late Registration (On or After October 1)	
Regular	JPY 30,000	JPY 35,000	
Student	JPY 20,000		
Accompanying person	JPY 10,000		

Block reservations of several nearby hotels are made for conference participants. Reservation and payment can be made using the same page, if you want. (Of course, you are free to reserve hotels by yourself, however November is the BEST season to visit Kyoto and generally it's difficult to find rooms. It is suggested to take action enough early.)

6. Conference Venue

The conference will be held at Kyoto University, Clock Tower Centennial Hall http://www.kyoto-u.ac.jp/en/clocktower

Address: Yoshida-Honmachi, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto, 606-8501

7. Travel Information

Enough detail is given at the conference web page, http://www.icepp.s.u-tokyo.ac.jp/hcp2012/ then click "Travel". A typical case would be, KIX (Kansai International Airport) -> to Kyoto station by train (Haruka, 75min.) -> to hotel / conference venue by Bus or Taxi.

8. Visa

Participants from some countries are required to travel with visas to enter Japan. Please check if it is the case to you or not well in advance. Information from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan is available at http://www.mofa.go.jp/j info/visit/visa/index.html .

In case you need documents for visa application, please send your request to hcp2012@kek.jp , as soon as possible.

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