

# 14th Japan Symposium on Rock Mechanics

~Rock Mechanics and Frontier Research Supporting Future of Humanity~

Kobe International Conference Center

Jan. 10 - 12, 2017



## Invitation to Kobe

The Japan Symposium on Rock Mechanics has been held every three or four years since 1964. This symposium, JSRM2017, will be held in Kobe from 10 to 12 of January, 2017. In JSRM2017, we will focus on various novel technologies related to rock engineering, energy, resources, disaster prevention and infrastructures. Additionally, we will focus on the problems the humanity will be facing in future, and provide opportunities to have active discussions and share the knowledge on the new developments of researches and technologies of rock mechanics and rock engineering.

We will be pleased if all participants can obtain new useful information for the innovation in rock engineering, and strengthen the relationships between other participants from this symposium. We are sincerely looking forward to your participation.

Prof. Shinichi Akutagawa, Kobe University, Chairman of the Organizing Committee

## Registration Fees

	up to Nov. 20th	after Nov. 21st
Member of JSRM	¥12,000	¥15,000
Member of co-organized groups	¥13,000	¥16,000
Member of co-operative groups	¥14,000	¥17,000
Non-member	¥17,000	¥20,000
Students	¥3,000	¥3,000

## Host Organization

Japanese Society for Rock Mechanics (JSRM, ISRM National Group)

## Co-organized Groups

Japan Society of Civil Engineers (JSCE)  
The Japanese Geotechnical Society (JGS)  
The Mining and Materials Processing Institute of Japan (MMIJ)  
The Society of Materials Science, Japan (JSMS)

## Co-operative Groups

Society of Exploration Geophysics of Japan,  
Japan Society of Dam Engineers  
The Japan Landslide Society  
Japanese Association of Groundwater Hydrology  
Drainage and Rural Engineering  
The Japanese Society of Irrigation  
The Seismological Society of Japan  
The Geological Society of Japan  
The Geothermal Research Society of Japan, Japan Road Association  
Japan Tunnelling Association  
Japan Geotechnical Consultants Association  
Kinki Kensetsu Association  
Japan Construction Machinery and Construction Association  
The Japan Dam Foundation  
General Contractors Association of Osaka  
Japan Federation of Construction Contractors

## Venue

This symposium, JSRM2017, will be held at Kobe International Conference Center.  
<http://kobe-cc.jp/english/kaigi/index.html>



## Program at a Glance

	Jan. 10 (Tue.)	Jan. 11 (Wed.)	Jan. 12 (Thu.)	
AM	Opening ceremony	Oral sessions	Excursion	
	Keynote lecture By Prof. Satoru Yamashita (ICEPP, The Univ. of Tokyo)		Course-1	Course-2
			Oral sessions	K computer
PM	Oral sessions	Oral sessions	SPring-8	Nada Gogo
	Poster session			
	Keynote lecture By Prof. Shunsuke Sakurai (Kobe University)	Keynote lecture By Dr. Hideshi Kaieda (CRIEP)		
	Banquet	Closing ceremony		

## Excursion

### Course-1 (to SPring-8)

SPring-8 Official Website: <http://www.spring8.or.jp/en/>

### Course-2 (to K computer and Nada-Gogo)

K computer official site: <http://www.aics.riken.jp/en/k-computer/about/>

Nada Gogo information site: <https://www.jnto.go.jp/eng/spot/indutour/nadagogo.html>



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