



10th international conference on "Topics in Astroparticle and Underground Physics"
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Research Center for Neutrino Science of Tohoku University, host of this Conference, welcome you to TAUP 2007 and to the City of Sendai.

Scientific issues

Because of the large number of submitted contributions, the afternoon Workshop Sessions have been scheduled in Parallel Sessions.

The final Scientific Program, as well as a tentative time schedule for the contributed papers submitted to the work shop Sessions, are enclosed in your bag. Due to the large number of speakers, the Organizers strongly request them to strictly stick to the time they have been allocated (which includes 5 minutes for questions), and thereby contribute to the smooth progress of the Conference. Any question concerning the Scientific Program and Workshop Sessions may be addressed to the Organizing Committee, as well as to the Conveners of the Session.

Information for invited Review Lecturers, Speakers and Contributors to the Workshop Sessions

With the purpose of keeping an updated webpage with the talks delivered at the Conference, **invited Speakers and contributors are kindly asked to provide their presentation with an electronic data file to the secretariat.** It is warranted that **no talk will be uploaded will prepare windows PC and Macintosh computers with PowerPoint, Acrobat and Keynote softwares.** Those planning to use their own computer are strongly advised **to check functioning in advance.** To get assistance in this sense, please contact the Conference Secretariat. **(See a cutaway Section about the position of the Secretariat that is going to be given to you at current day)**

Conference Proceedings

The TAUP Proceedings will be published in IOP ; Conference Series, and freely available online. A print copy of the volume will sent to all participants. The manuscripts will have to be submitted by the contributors (invited lectures, oral contributions and posters) to the TAUP Secretariat by November 15,2007. All instructions for the preparation of the manuscripts will be given in the course of the conference.

TAUP2007 Secretariat

From September 10 from 5:30 pm. till the end of the Conference, the Secretariat address will be:

TAUP2007 Secretariat	Phone: 022-722-7040
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During the Conference, Participants may use this address and numbers as their contacting data.



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The Secretariat will open for Registration on Monday, September 10 from 15:00 to 19 : 30 at Sendai Civic Auditorium. During the conference itself, the Secretariat will be open from 8:30 19:00. (Except August 10th – open from 17:30 to 20:00)

The managing staff, Dr. Tadao Mitsui will be assisting you during the Conference.

Sendai Tourism & Convention Bureau

The information desk of Sendai Tourism & Convention Bureau will open temporary at the Conference site from 9:00am to 18:00am. The managing staff also will be assisting you during the Conference about venue of Sendai for your sightseeing and so on.

If you turn in the enclosed questionnaire in the conference bag to them, They will give you a small decoration of Tanabata Festival as a token of their appreciation (Except Japanese).

Conference Site

Registration Desk: September 10 from 15:30-19:30 (basement floor)

September 11 – 15 (1st floor)

Morning Sessions: Main Hall “Main Auditorium”(1st floor and 2nd floor)

Parallel Sessions: Room A “Small Auditorium” (basement floor)

Room B “Exhibition hall” (basement floor)

Room C “Conference Room 6” (2nd floor)

Room D “Conference Room 4” (2nd floor)

Poster exhibition: Room B “Exhibition hall” (basement floor)

E-mail facilities: Terminal room “Conference Room 3” (2nd floor)

Main Hall , Room A~D

Reception: Room B “Exhibition” (basement floor)

Conference Secretariat: Near the Registration Desk in front of Main Hall

(See accompanying table of Inside of the Conference Site)

Coffee Service: Passage (2nd floor)



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Registration and Conference Fee

Participants are kindly requested to register, at their arrival, on Monday September 10, at the TAUP 2007 Secretariat (Sendai Civic Auditorium), which Open from 15:30 to 19:00. From 18:00 onwards, an informal welcome party will be offered while registration. On Tuesday, the Registration Desk will be open from 8:30.

For those who are going to pay the Conference Fee (40,000 Yen) upon arrival, we only accept cash in Yen. Please, make note that **no personal cheques nor credit cards will be accepted.**

Social Program

Thursday, September 13 (**habits of punctuality ; Because of tight schedule**)

Dinner Cruise of Matsushima Bay and Conference Dinner at "Matsushima Taikanso"

16:30~16:45 Buses is going to leave from the Conference site

17:30 The excursion ship is going to leave from Shiogama pier to Matsushima pier.

18:35 Buses will leave from Matsushima pier to Matsushima Taikanso .(arrival time: ~18:30) Buses will return participants to each hotel of TAUP2007 recommended and the conference site at the end of the banquet.

Notice: Conference Dinner of buffet-style is going to be held in sit-down dinner without formal dress codes.

Please do not forget to bring each tickets (for buses, the excursion ship, and Conference Dinner) which is enclosed with the envelope in the conference bag.

Sunday, September 16 : 14:00~16:30

Public Lecture by A. Suzuki, and M. Koshihara (Nobel laureate) in Japanese at Sendai mediatheque.

The correspondence procedure from the Secretariat

See the sign board by the side of the registration desk about the information during this conference.

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