The Joint PI Meeting of JAXA Earth Observation Missions FY2023 INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

November 6 (Mon) – 10 (Fri) 2023 Tokyo, Japan

MEETING VENUE

TKP Shimbashi Conference Center

1-3-1, Uchisaiwaicho, Chiyoda-ku, Tōkyō-to, Japan. 100-0011

Floors 14-15 (Reception Desk: Floor 15, Room 15B)



*The TKP Shimbashi Conference Center is on Hibiya Dori Street, **a few minutes from Uchisaiwaicho Station** (Exit A5, Mita subway line) or **7 minutes from Shimbashi station** (Hibiyaguchi Exit, JR lines, Ginza and Asakusa subway line).

The Reception Desk is on the 15th Floor, Room 15B Open at 12:00 PM on 6th November.

TRANSPORTATION BETWEEN AIRPORTS AND SHIMBASHI

Narita Airport ⇔ Shimbashi

<u>Airport LIMOUSINE BUS (Narita Airport → Daiichi Hotel Bus Stop [close to venue])</u>



Purchase tickets **online** or at the **Airport Limousine Bus ticket counter** in the airport arrival lobby.

COST: **3,600 Japanese yen** TIME: Approx. **120 minutes**

ARRIVAL: Dailchi Hotel Bus Stop (This bus stop is located in the Shimbashi

area, close to the venue).

Airport Limousine Reservation Website: https://webservice.limousinebus.co.jp/web/en/Top.aspx

Airport LIMOUSINE BUS (Daiichi Hotel Bus Stop [close to venue] → Narita Airport)

Purchase tickets online or at front desk or bell desk on Ground Floor in Daiichi Hotel.

Daiichi Hotel Shimbashi Information

Address: 1-2-6 Shimbashi, Minato-ku, Tokyo. 105-8621

Tell: 03-3501-4411

https://www.hankyu-hotel.com/en/hotel/dh/dhtokyo

Airport Limousine Reservation Website: https://webservice.limousinebus.co.jp/web/en/Top.aspx

TRAIN (Narita Airport ⇔ Shimbashi)

There are multiple options to travel between the airport and Shimbashi station. "Keisei Skyliner" and "Narita Express" offer the quickest and most convenient transportation from Narita Airport to central Tokyo, however transfer is required to reach Shimbashi. Please refer to the URL below to search the timetable and calculate fares.



Narita Airport route search: https://access.narita-airport.jp/en/index.html

SUBWAY (Narita Airport ⇔ **Shimbashi)**

The subway line "Toei Asakusa Line" is not a high-speed railway, but it provides direct access to Shimbashi from the airport. Please refer to the URL for timetable and more details.

https://www.kotsu.metro.tokyo.jp/eng/services/subway/timetable/asakusa/A10ND.html

Haneda Airport ⇔ Shimbashi

TRAIN (Haneda Airport ⇔ Shimbashi)

KEIKYU LINE between Haneda Airport International Terminal and Shimbashi Station

Cost: 510 Japanese yen Travel Time: Approx. 20~30 minutes

Please find more details following URL below https://www.haneda-tokyo-access.com/en/ride/fares.html https://tokyo-haneda.com/en/access/train/index.html

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https://www.kotsu.metro.tokyo.jp/eng/services/subway/timetable/asakusa/A10SD.html

RESTAURANT INFORMATION

Vegetarian/Halal

① Chaya Macrobiotics - Shiodome < Vegetarian, Macrobiotic Food>

1-6-3 Higashishimbashi , Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan

TEL: 03-3573-3616

Open: 11:00~21:00 (Closed on Tuesdays)

HP: https://chayam.co.jp/english/

② Chandrama <Halal Indian Restaurant>

New Shimbashi Building, 4F, 2-16-1 Shimbashi, Minato-ku, Tokyo

TEL: 03-6268-8339 Credit card available Open: 11:00~23:00 (Closed on Sundays) **HP:** https://chandrama.jp/en/index.html

③ KHAN KEBAB BIRYANI

<Halal Indian Restaurant>

Ginza-Hakuhinkan 6F, 8-8-11, Ginza, Chuo-ku, Tokyo.

TEL: 05055703116, Credit card available

Lunch: 11:00~14:30 (L.O 14:00) Dinner: 17:00~22:00 (L.O 21:30)

HP: https://loco.yahoo.co.jp/place/g-vcAbCaOYS8E/

④ Vegetarian Shimbashi Honten <Juice bar, Sandwich>

New Shimbashi Building, 1F, 2-16-1 Shimbashi, Minato-ku, Tokyo

TEL: 03-3591-8676

Open: Weekdays only 11:30~19:00

HP: https://tabelog.com/tokyo/A1301/A130103/13042894/

Restaurants for no-dietary restrictions

① FUKOKU Seimei Building

Restaurants on B2 Floor. [Japanese, Chinese, cafes etc.]

2-2-2 Uchisaiwaicho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo.

HP: http://fukoku-bldg.jp/shop/restaurant/

2Hibiya City

Restaurants on B1 and B2 Floors. [Ramen, Sushi, Japanese, Chinese, Korean, cafes etc.] 2-2-3 Uchisaiwaicho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo.

HP: http://www.hibiyacity.com/shop_info/index.html

3Nishi Shimbashi Square Building

Restaurants on 1st and 2nd Floors. [salad bar, Japanese, Chinese etc.]

1-3-1 Shimbashi, Minato-ku Tokyo

HP: http://ns-square.tokyo/shop/index.html

Restaurant Map



RECEPTION

The reception desk will open at 12 pm on 6 November. Please go up the elevator to the 15th floor of TKP Shimbashi Conference center for the reception (Room 15B). We suggest for you to come little earlier because it may take time to catch an elevator if other workers are coming in.

We will provide your name badge in Room 15B at the reception desk. For security reasons, please wear it during the whole period of the meeting while you are inside of the TKP Shimbashi Conference center.

OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION

<Weather>

The average temperature in Tokyo in November is between 9°C to 15°C (48°F to 59°F), and average temperature is about 12°C (54°F). It is cool and dry. We suggest wearing layers such as light jackets and sweaters. You may want to bring a folding umbrella in case of rain.

<Time Zone>

Japan standard time (JST), uniform throughout the country, is 9 hours ahead of GMT.

<Currency and Rate of Exchange>

USD\$1.00 = JPY ¥ 149.65 (as of October 13, 2023)

< Telephone country code>

The country phone code to reach Japan is +81

<Electricity>

Electricity service throughout Japan is 100 Volts AC. There are two frequencies in use: 50 Hz in northeastern regions (including Kanagawa and Tokyo) and 60 Hz in the southwestern regions (including Kyoto and Osaka). The plugs used in Japan have two straight pins (**A2 plug**). Participants are advised to check the voltage before using appliances. Some participants may need to bring converters or adapters. (see photo for the Japanese plug)

<Emergencies>

Dial 119 to call an ambulance or fire engine in case of sudden illness or injury, or in case of fire. Dial 110 to call police in case of traffic accident or crime.

<Tipping>

There is no tipping system in Japan.

<Useful information >

"Time Out Tokyo" is a good resource for searching the information.

https://www.timeout.com/tokyo

Tokyo's top vegetarian restaurants

https://www.timeout.com/tokyo/restaurants/tokyo-top-vegetarian-restaurants

Halal Gourmet Japan

http://www.halalgourmet.jp/



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