

ILTS International Symposium on Low Temperature Science

30 November – 2 December 2015

Auditorium, Institute of Low Temperature Science (ILTS), Hokkaido University

Information for Participants

Venue

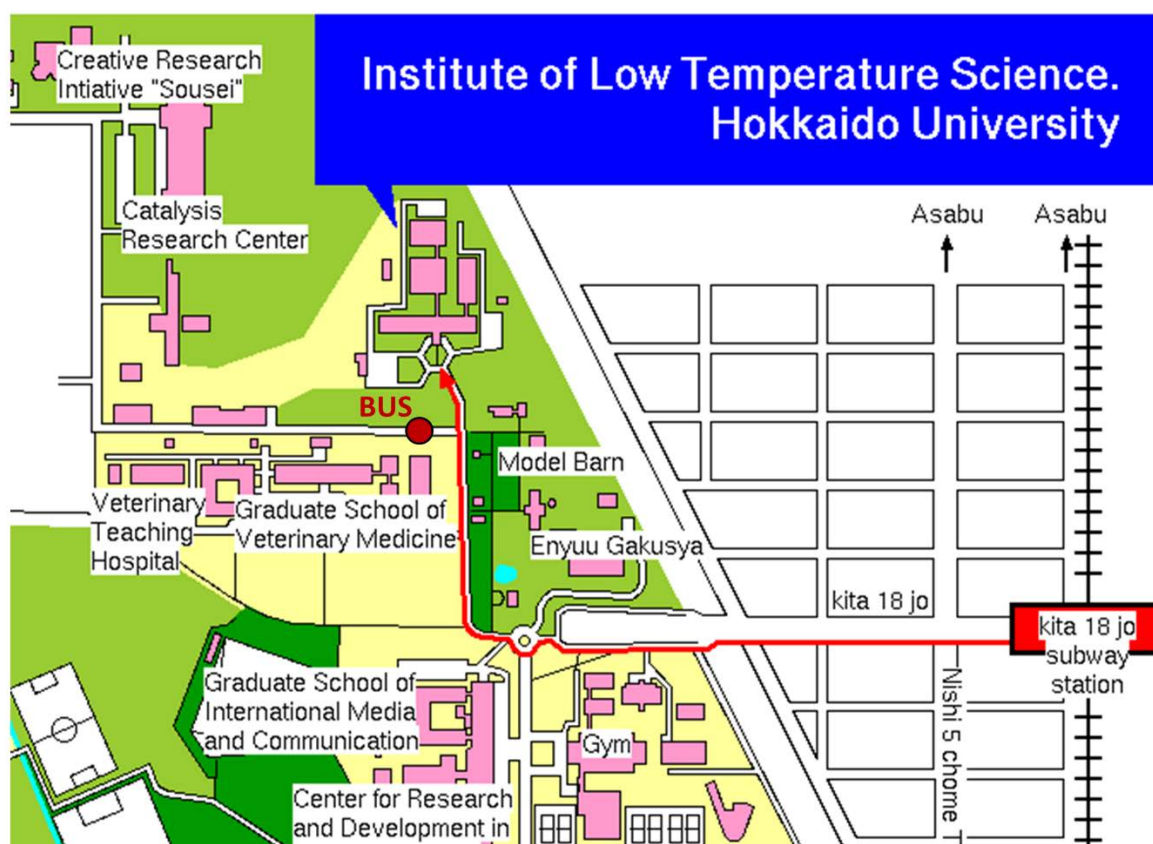
Institute of Low Temperature Science (ILTS)
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Sapporo 060-0819, Japan

The auditorium is located on the 3rd floor, room number N302.

Access

Please see <http://www.lowtem.hokudai.ac.jp/en/access.html>

Map:



Campus bus

Enter the university through the Main Gate in the south-east of the campus near the JR Sapporo station (<http://www.oia.hokudai.ac.jp/maps/?p=sapporo>) ...



... turn right immediately ...



... go to the bus stop and board the bus (might be a different type):



The bus departs 8:20 – 9:30 every 10 minutes, and then 9:45 – 16:15 every 15 minutes. After about five minutes, it will pass a bar, followed by a roundabout:



After the roundabout, press one of the orange buttons in the bus or, if not available (depends on the bus type), say to the driver “Tsugi onegai-shimas” (next, please). He will then stop at the stop next to ILTS indicated on the map on page 1. From there, it is only about 50 m to the entrance of ILTS.

Return service from ILTS to the Main Gate is available 8:33 – 9:43 (every 10 minutes), 9:58 – 17:13 (every 15 minutes) and 17:23 – 20:43 (every 10 minutes). Note that, after 16:15, the terminal stop near the Main Gate is located a bit further inside the campus, on the back side of the administration building.

The campus bus is free of charge; however, its use is limited to university staff etc. Normally the drivers don’t check this, but if so, please say that you are attending a symposium at the university.

Weather

For a climate diagram of Sapporo please see <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sapporo#Climate>

Weather forecast: <http://www.jma.go.jp/en/yoho/306.html> (“Ishikari Chiho” is relevant for Sapporo).

In late November/early December it can be anything from nice and sunny late-autumn weather to rough and snowy early-winter weather. Slight frost is likely (at least at night), blizzards are a possibility, while severe cold is highly unlikely.

A particular danger of Sapporo is that the streets can become very icy and slippery. Under such conditions, please walk carefully and concentrated. The website <http://tsurutsuru.jp> has good tips for walking safely on icy roads.

Oral presentations

If possible, please bring your own laptop computer for running your presentation. However, we will also provide a laptop computer with Windows 7, PowerPoint 2013, LibreOffice Impress 4.4 and Adobe Acrobat XI Pro.

Poster presentations

The poster boards are 87 cm wide x 173 cm high, so that they can accommodate posters in portrait A0 size. The boards will be in place by Monday (30 November) afternoon, so that you can put your posters up on Monday after the sessions or on Tuesday morning. Please remove the posters no later than Wednesday afternoon (after the conference).

Wireless internet

Wifi is available in the auditorium and the lobby in front of it via the eduroam system. We will provide guest accounts for participants who do not have their own eduroam account.

Symposium reception

The symposium reception will be held in the ILTS Lecture Room 215 on Tuesday (1 December) evening 18:00-20:00, right after the poster session. It will be an informal social with drinks and snacks (sushi etc.). The event is open for all registered participants of the symposium (with or without presentation) and free of charge.