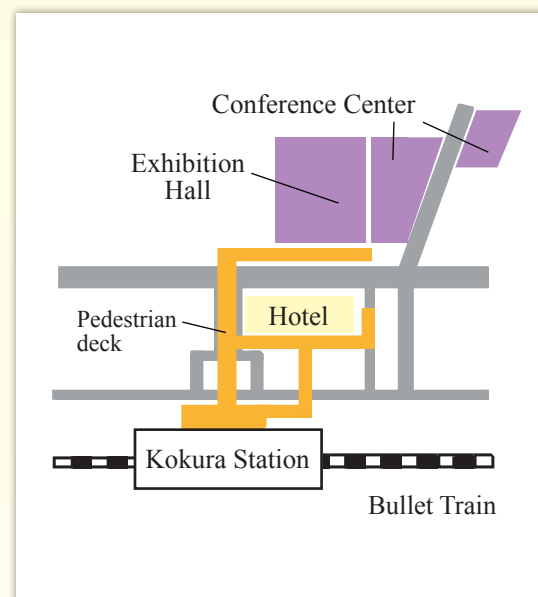
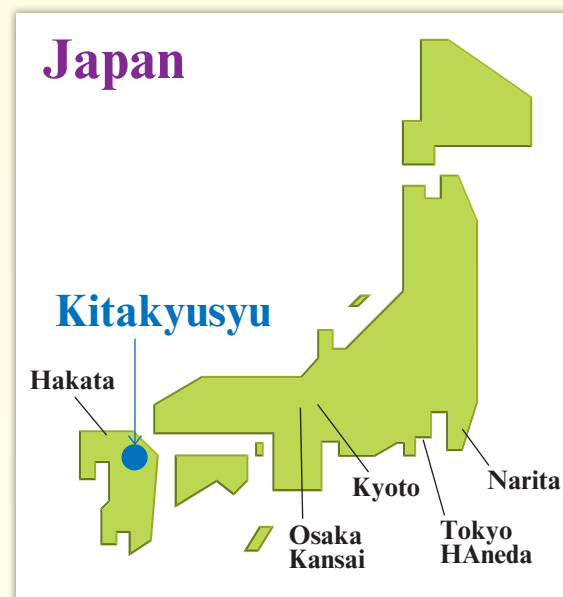


CONFERENCE VENUE

IRC2016 Kitakyushu will be held at **Kitakyushu International Conference Center**.
(URL <http://www.convention-a.jp>)

ACCESS

From JR Kokura Station ----- 5 min walk
From Kitakyushu Airport (KKJ) to Kokura Station-- about 40 min by bus
From Fukuoka Airport (FUK) to Kokura Stati ---- about 30 min by subway and Bullet Train
From Narita Airport (NRT) to FUK ----- about 130 min by air
From Haneda Airport (HND) to KKJ ----- about 110 min by air
From Kansai Airport (KIX) to FUK ----- about 75 min by air



YOUR HOST CITY, Kitakyushu

Kitakyushu is located in the western part of Japan and is a gateway to Asia. While Kitakyushu has been developed as the largest heavy-industry city in the Kyushu region, the city has many sightseeing spots.



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INVITATION

Welcome to IRC 2016 Kitakyushu

The IRC 2016 will be held in Kitakyushu, Japan on October 24 (Mon.) – 28 (Fri.), 2016 under sponsorship of the Society of Rubber Science and Technology, Japan.

The scientific program will include plenary lectures, invited lectures, contributed papers and posters.

The conference is expected to make an important contribution to the advancement of rubber science and engineering, including industrial technology. Rubber scientists and engineers throughout the world are all cordially invited to the Conference.

CONFERENCE INFORMATION

Period: October 24 (Mon.) – 28 (Fri.), 2016

Venue: Kitakyushu International Conference Center

Official Language: English

TECHNICAL EXHIBITION

A technical exhibition will be held at the meeting site, during the Conference, displaying new materials and products, manufacturing machinery, processing facilities, and testing equipments.

SOCIAL PROGRAM

The organizing committee will arrange interesting and enjoyable social programs for the participants of the IRC2016 Kitakyushu to give special memories and cultural experience during your stay in Kitakyushu.



Conference Center

Exhibition Hall

Rihga Royal Hotel Kokura

CALL FOR PAPERS

Authors are invited to submit short abstract (not exceeding 200 words) via Conference Website not later than [January 15, 2016](#).

Authors will be notified of acceptance by [February 29, 2016](#).

Abstract will be submitted via Conference Web site due by [April 30, 2016](#).

Conference Website <http://www.irc2016.com>

SPECIAL TOPICS

Novel Elastomeric Materials

Gel and Related Soft Materials

Progress in Evaluation and Testing Methods

Soft Materials in Automobile Industry

Seismic Insulator and Damping Materials

Elastomers for Medical and Human Care

Elastomers for Environment and Sustainability

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GENERAL TOPICS

Polymer Synthesis

Natural Rubber and Related Materials

Blends and TPE

Filler and Additives

Vulcanization

Adhesion

Structure, Property and Characterization

Simulation

Technology of Tire

Fatigue and Fracture

Application of Rubber

IMPORTANT DATES

January 15, 2016 Application for Presentation

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