

# Final Circular of HPNP2015

06. Feb. 2015

Thank you very much for participating in HPNP2015:

Toyama International Workshop

"Higgs as a Probe of New Physics 2015 (HPNP2015)"

Date: 11.-15. February 2015,

Place: Tamokuteki Hall (Room B243) in the building of Science Faculty,  
the University of Toyama, located in Toyama City, Japan  
[For 13. Feb. (Fri), it is held at Kuroda Kodo, the auditorium located  
on the campus]

## [1] Workshop Webpage

The webpage of the workshop has been moved to

(NEW) <http://www3.u-toyama.ac.jp/theory/HPNP2015/>

Please use and bookmark this new URL. Please visit and check all relevant pages.

Although the old website

(OLD) <http://jodo.sci.u-toyama.ac.jp/theory/HPNP2015/index.html>

can also be available, it is not accessible from the guest account on the campus for a security reason.

## [2] Scientific Program

The finalized program is available on the website. The time of your presentation includes time for questions and discussions.

<http://www3.u-toyama.ac.jp/theory/HPNP2015/program.html>

Speakers must upload their talk files at least one day before their presentations. The method how to upload your talk slide files will be announced to all speakers in near future.

## [3] Poster Sessions

Two Poster Sessions are scheduled at the late afternoon of the second day (12. Feb.) and the fourth day (14. Feb.) of the workshop for 120 minutes for each. The latest poster program can be seen on the website:

<http://www3.u-toyama.ac.jp/theory/HPNP2015/program.html>

For Poster Presenters, we would like to ask them to prepare the poster in advance before coming to Toyama. We provide the space for the normal poster size (A0) for each presenter (direction: vertically-long). The conference will NOT provide any printing service for the poster presentation.

The poster session will take place in Kaigi-Shitsu (Room B136) on the 1st floor in the Faculty of Science Building.

Poster presenters are asked to upload their poster files at least one day before their poster sessions for the aid of poster summary speakers. The method how to upload your poster files will be announced to all poster presenters in near future.

Notice:

For Student poster presenters, the Best Poster Award is given to the best poster presentation. The poster jury chaired by Michael Peskin will judge all student's posters. The winners will be announced by the poster jury in the Summary Session at the last day (15. Feb.)

#### [4] Proceedings

The proceedings for the workshop will be published on eConf.

We would like to ask you to post your contribution directly on arXiv using the template file obtained from

<http://www3.u-toyama.ac.jp/theory/HPNP2015/procmacro.tar.gz>

then send an e-mail to "[shindou@cc.kogakuin.ac.jp](mailto:shindou@cc.kogakuin.ac.jp)"

with the subject as "[HPNP15] arXiv:xxxx.yyyy" (xxxx.yyyy should be replaced to the arXiv identifier assigned to the article).

The deadline for the submissions is 30. April, 2015.

The length of your contribution is as follows:

50 minutes talk: 8 pages

30 minutes talk: 6 pages

15 minutes talk: 4 pages

The detail can be seen on the webpage:

<http://www3.u-toyama.ac.jp/theory/HPNP2015/proceedings.html>

For a useful information, you can find the proceedings of HPNP2013 at

<http://www.slac.stanford.edu/econf/C130213.1/>

## [5] Hotels

For participants who stay at the ANA Crowne Plaza Hotel (ANA Hotel), LOC will send some information in the different mail.

For those who prefer to make their own hotel reservations:

A list of accommodations can be found:

<http://www.cap.or.jp/~tcb/en/enghotels.html>

## [6] Exchange Money

For participants who directly come from abroad and arrive in Toyama at the late time of 10. Feb, we strongly recommend them to make change money in Tokyo Airport (Narita or Haneda). The opening time of the bank inside Toyama Airport is very limited.

We only accept Japanese Yen (JPY) for the payment of participant fee at the registration at the conference site, which is early in the morning at 11. Feb., which is a bank holiday. So, please prepare JPY in advance.

There are several places where you can exchange USD for JPY; bank branches nearby the university of Toyama, those in downtown Toyama, and the front desk in ANA Hotel. At the Hokuriku Bank Headquarter, which is a 10 min walking distance from ANA Hotel, you can exchange USD, EUR, KRW, TWD, RMB for JPY.

## [7] Excursion

Excursion will be held in the afternoon, 13. Feb. (Fri). Excursion fee is included in the participant fee. For accompanying person, it costs 3,000 JPY/person.

Excursion A: Kamioka Tour (Conductor: Mayumi Aoki from LOC)

Excursion B: Gokayama Tour (Conductor: Koji Tsumura from LOC)

In the both tours, we go to mountain areas, where we expect to have much snow and low temperature. Please be prepared for your clothes and shoes/boots. See more detail in [10].

A lunch box will be served before getting on the excursion bus.

Excursion participants take it in the bus.

For insurance, you are requested to inform your birth date in the format of yyyy/mm/dd to the conference secretary.

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For details, see

<http://www3.u-toyama.ac.jp/theory/HPNP2015/events.html>

## [8] Banquet

Banquet will be held at 19:30, 14. Feb. (Sat) at the ANA Crowne Plaza Hotel. All participants who attend the banquet will go together to the hotel from the university by the conference buses.

Banquet Fee is included in the participant fee.

For accompanying persons, it costs 5,000 JPY/person.

For details, see

<http://www3.u-toyama.ac.jp/theory/HPNP2015/events.html>

## [9] Daily Lunch and Coffee Break

Daily lunches during HPNP2015 are, in principle, included in the participant fee except for the last day (15. Feb), because the scientific program is over at the last day before lunch time.

11. Feb. (Wed): Lunch Box at the conference site.
12. Feb. (Thu): We give tickets for lunch at the cafeteria on the campus.
13. Feb. (Fri): Lunch Box in the bus during excursion.  
(For participants who do not join excursion, we do not take care of their lunch. Enjoy by yourselves.)
14. Feb. (Sat): Lunch Box at the conference site.

Coffee, Tea and some Snacks are served at the small pass room in front of Tamokuteki-Hall during the breaks on 11 (Wed). 12 (Thu) , 14 (Sat), and 15 (Sun) . On Friday (13th Feb.), the workshop is held at Kuroda Kodo, and the coffee break in the morning on Friday is served at Campus Cafe “AZAMI” in front of Kuroda Kodo.

## [10] Weather in Toyama

Typically in February, we have snowy (with rainy) weather in Toyama. In spite of its location relatively being south as compared to Europe, Toyama is a famous place as a snow area. This is because of the unique geographic situation of Toyama, which is sandwiched between sea and high mountains. In Winter time, the wind coming from Siberia gains its humidity when it comes across the sea, and such humid atmosphere gives huge snow in Toyama after colliding with high mountains behind (so-called Japan Alps).

If we are not very lucky, we have 50-80 cm depth of snow in down town (a few - 10 meters in mountain area). All participants should be prepared for their clothes against snow, humidity and rain. In particular, streets are often very wet because of the melting-snow system, so that you should

take care of your shoes or boots. Please be prepared!

The daily forecast for the weather in Toyama can be seen on the website:

<http://www.jma.go.jp/en/yoho/324.html>

## [11] Public Lecture

As a part of the activity of HPNP2015, a public lecture will be held in the afternoon 15. (Sun) February at the Kuroda Kodo in the same campus of the University. Prof. Seiji Kawamura and Prof. Hitoshi Murayama will give general and introductory lectures on particle physics, cosmology and high energy experiments for public people including high school students and university students. The lectures are given in Japanese. The participants of HPNP2015 who are interested in this program can also join this public lecture. Details of the public lecture can be seen on the website: <http://www3.u-toyama.ac.jp/theory/HPNP2015lecture/index.html> (in Japanese)

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# Enjoy HPNP2015!

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