ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The 35th congress of the International Society for Snowsports Medicine will be held in the Ski Resort of Inawashiro, JAPAN from March 13-17, 2016.

Papers are invited on all aspects of Snowsports safety including knee injuries, injury prevention, epidemiology, rehabilitation & physical medicine, organisation of medical assistance in a ski resort, biomechanics & design of material, head & severe injuries, surgical treatment…Contributions are welcome.

For your abstract to be included in the final scientific program, it is necessary to be registered for the congress and to settle payment as soon as you receive the notification of abstract acceptance.
(For more information please contact: abstractsitemsh2016@gmail.com)

Deadline for abstract submission: Friday, Jan 29th, 2016

INFO ABOUT THE CONGRESS AND REGISTRATION AT:

www.sitemsh.org
Abstract guidelines:

- All abstracts should be submitted in English and in Microsoft Word format
- Preferred font Times New Roman size 10.
- Set all margins at 2.5 cm
- Identify the presenting author by an asterisk (*)
- The text of the abstract should be no more than 400 words and follow the format below:
  * Introduction
  * Materials/Methods
  * Results
  * Conclusions
- If results are not yet available, please state "results not yet available"
- Abstract should be submitted as an email attachment to:
  abstractsitemsh2016@gmail.com

- Please name your file “authorname.doc”, in case you submit more than one abstract, please use authorname1.doc, authorname2.doc, and so on.

PROGRAM

Sunday 13th
Arrival
18h opening ceremony

Monday 14th
Session 1: 9h-10h30 Epidemiology
Session 2: 11h-12h45 Snowsports. Less Common Activities on the Slopes
Session 3: 16h-18h Shoulder Injuries

Tuesday 15th
Session 1: 9h-11h Severe Injuries
Session 2: 11h30-13h00 Rehabilitation & Physical Medicine
Session 3: 16h-18h Free Papers

Wednesday 16th
Practical workshops

Thursday 17th
Session 1: 9h-11h Knee Injuries & Their Prevention
Session 2: 11h30-13h30 Biomechanics & Materials

20h Gala Dinner
ACCESS INFORMATION

In general, it takes about 4 hours from International airports in Tokyo (Narita airport, Haneda airport). First, please go to JR (Japan railway) Tokyo station.

1. from Haneda airport to Tokyo station.
2. from Narita airport to Tokyo station


Please go to Tokyo station by Narita Express (red line)

**Access from international airports to the venue**

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**JR Hamamatsucho Station** (JR浜松町駅)

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**JR(Japan railway) Tokyo Station** (JR東京駅)

**JR Koriyama Station** (JR蔵山駅)

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Transportation fee
8920 JPY (From Haneda Airport), 11000 JPY (From Narita Airport)

ACCOMODATION

Hotel Listel Inawashiro
As of January 5th 1€ = 127.81 JPY, 1$ = 118.95
Price (subject to change)
Per person (not per room), per night

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PARTICIPATION FEE

Price: 300€ (≒ ¥38,343)
Included: ski experience or excursion, lunch, participation to the congress
Not included: transportation fee, accommodation fee

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