

Invitation to Coastal Structures 2011

Second Announcement



Abstract submission on the web from September 12 to December 20, 2010

Invitation of organized session from September 12 to October 15, 2010

The Organizing Committee of **COASTAL STRUCTURES 2011** cordially invites you to participate in the 6th International Conference on Coastal Structures to be held in

Yokohama, Japan, September 5-9, 2011.

COASTAL STRUCTURES 2011 will be the sixth in a sequence of ASCE technical specialty conferences bringing together researchers and practitioners on coastal structures. The multidisciplinary Coastal Structures 2011 will be of interest to coastal engineers, ocean engineers, consultant engineers, and scientists in related fields. It should also be of relevance for coastal specialists and managers and all those interested in mitigation of coastal disasters. In Coastal Structures 2011, emphasis will be placed on

Coastal Disaster Preparedness and Ocean Utilization in a Changing Climate.

Conference Topics

The main theme of the 2011 Coastal Structures Conference will be coastal disaster preparedness and ocean utilization in a changing climate. Examples of topics, which are not exhaustive, within this theme are listed below.

1. Prevention of Storm Disaster
2. Prevention of Tsunami Disaster
3. Shore Protection
4. Port Facilities
5. Marine Recreation
6. Ocean Development / Ocean Energy
7. Coastal Environmental Problems and Marine Ecosystem Conservation / Restoration
8. Wave-Structure Interaction
9. Wave-Seabed—Structure Interaction
10. Geotechnical Design
11. Maintenance
12. Numerical Simulation
13. Integrated Design
14. Coastal Structure Projects

Key Dates

Abstract submission	
Abstract submission open on the web	September 12, 2010
Abstract submission deadline	December 20, 2010
Notification of acceptance	March 1, 2011
3rd announcement of conference	March 1, 2011
Full paper submission	
Full paper submission open on the web	March 1, 2011
Full paper submission deadline	May 28, 2011
Registration	
Registration open on the web	March 1, 2011
Registration deadline for paper presenters	June 7, 2011
Early registration fee deadline for general participants	June 28, 2011
Normal registration fee deadline	August 13, 2011
Late and On-site registration fee	from August 14, 2011
Conference	September 5-9, 2011

Conference Schedule

Monday – September 5

 Pre-conference event, Registration, Icebreaker reception

Tuesday – September 6

 Registration, Opening Ceremony, Keynote Speech, Technical Sessions

Wednesday – September 7

 Technical Sessions, Poster Session

Thursday – September 8

 Technical Sessions, Poster Session, Banquet

Friday – September 9

 Technical Visit

Technical Program

The technical program will be run in three parallel sessions. The number of sessions may be increased if the number of accepted abstracts is more than expected.

Organized sessions

We are planning to have special organized sessions. If you wish to plan one of these sessions, please contact coastalstructures@ce-ocean.sakura.ne.jp with the session title, paper titles and authors by **October 15, 2010**. Each session consists of 4-5 papers. If your proposal is accepted by the organizing committee, the abstracts will be due by **December 20, 2010**.

Special Poster Session

The poster presentation will be held as a special session of **Summary of Coastal Projects**. We invite papers related not only to recent projects, but also to major projects from the past, such as storm surge defenses, deepwater ports, offshore airports, shore protection, floating structures, and submerged tunnels, etc.

Abstract Submission

Prospective authors are invited to submit papers dealing with the Conference subjects. Each abstract is limited to two pages and should be submitted by **December 20, 2010**. Abstracts must be written in English and the contents should not have been previously published or presented. Papers for the poster session can be review papers. Papers for both oral presentation and poster session will be published in the Conference Proceedings. Abstracts must be electronically submitted, preferably in Adobe pdf format, through the Conference Web site

www.jsce.or.jp/committee/ocean/coastalstructures/

from which the MS-Word abstract template or PDF example can be downloaded. File size should not exceed 2 MB. Abstracts must include the names and email addresses of all authors. An individual may not be the first author or presenter of more than one accepted paper.

Commitment to Attend

Proposing authors must recognize that submission of an abstract is, if accepted, a commitment to attend the Conference, as well as to present and complete the paper.

Registration

Registration on the web will be opened on **March 1, 2011**. Hotel reservation will be available at the same page as the online registration.

Conference Venue

The conference will be held in Yokohama, which is the second largest city in Japan. It lies next to Tokyo in the south on the periphery of Tokyo Bay and is a major commercial hub of the Greater Tokyo Area. Yokohama has developed rapidly as Japan's prominent port city following the end of Japan's relative isolation in 1859.

The conference will be held at **Yokohama Port-Opening Memorial Hall**.



Yokohama Port



Conference Place

Technical Visit

The technical visits will be offered on September 9.

Visit 1: Tokyo port and Asakusa.

The Port of Tokyo is one of the largest ports in Japan, and has an integrated storm surge defense system. Asakusa is a traditional town in Tokyo, famous for the Senso-ji temple and many traditional small shops.



Storm Surge Defense System(Tokyo Port)



Senso-ji temple

Visit 2: Port and Airport Research Institute and Kamakura.

Kamakura was the political capital of Japan from 1185 to 1333, famous for the Great Buddha and many old temples.



Buddha in Kamakura



Tsurugaoka-hachimangu Shrine

CSt2011 Update

Details concerning fees, accommodations and tours will be published in the 3rd announcement. The Conference fee for early bird authors is tentatively set at ¥60,000. Reduced rates for students are under consideration and will be confirmed in the 3rd announcement. To access the current CSt2011 program and planning, please visit the Conference page at

<http://www.jsce.or.jp/committee/ocean/coastalstructures/>

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