Preface

Observational studies of UHECRs achieved remarkable progress in the last decade. The upgrade of the Pierre Auger Observatory (AugerPrime) and the extension of the Telescope Array (TAx4) are ongoing to elucidate the origin and nature of cosmic rays at the highest energies. UHECR 2016 is the fourth conference in a series that started in Nagoya (2010), and continued at CERN (2012) and Springdale in Utah (2014). The symposium will focus on the highest energy cosmic rays as well as cosmic rays at lower energies above 1 PeV, and multi-messenger approaches, including

- Recent results from UHECR observations and upgrade/extension plans
- Reports of the Working Groups on energy spectrum, composition, anisotropy, hadron interaction models and multi-messenger
- Next-generation observatories from space and ground

UHECR2016 will be held at the Kyoto Research Park (KRP, http://www.krp.co.jp/english/). Room 1 on the second floor of the Western Zone Building #4 is the main venue, and screen view in Room 2 on the same floor is also available. The conference dinner is at the Atrium (Building #1) of KRP on Oct 12. Enjoy Japanese food, wine, whiskey, and also a traditional Kyoto Maiko’s performance.

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From Kansai International Airport to Kyoto City

- MK Skygate shuttle (3,600 JPY)
  
  This service takes you directly to your destination. A Shuttle reservation is required 2 days before your arrival date. The Meeting point (MK counter) is located next to Gate H of the airport South Exit. Traveling time is about 120 minutes. For more information: http://www.mktaxi-japan.com/

- Kansai Airport Limited Express HARUKA, by Japan Railway (JR) (2,850 JPY for non-reservation seat)
  
  Traveling time to Kyoto Station is 75 minutes. The tickets can be purchased at the station office. For more information:

- Limousine Bus, by KATE (Kansai Airport Transportation Enterprise) (2,550 JPY)
  
  This bus leaves every 30-40 minutes. Traveling time to JR Kyoto Station is about 85 minutes. The tickets can be purchased from vending machines located near the bus stops.

From JR Kyoto Station to KRP

- Taxi
  
  10 minutes (Approx. 1,000 JPY)

- JR San-in or Sagano line (Local)
  
  Please get off at the first stop, Tambaguchi Station (4 minutes, 140 JPY). 4 minutes to walk from the station to Kyoto Research Park.
Venue

Room 1 and 2, Building #4 in the Western Zone of the KRP
Information

- Conference dinner: 6-8pm On Oct 12, at Atrium (Building #1) of the KRP.
- Internet access: Wi-Fi available. Instruction will be given at the conference.
- Lunch: Not served from the conference organizer. The KRP restaurant in the Building #1 is available, and there are several restaurants in the vicinity of the KRP.