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Airport Safety and Aviation Security Division  
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## Papers to be invited for the 17th Airport Technology

### Presentation Session

~Session theme: “Airport, to support the future of Japan” ~

Civil Aviation Bureau, Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism (MLIT) will start to call for presentation papers for the 17th Airport Technology Presentation Session to be held on Thursday, 20th and Friday, 21st October 2016. JCAB will accept applications of “Theme Report” which covers improvements and management in relation to the theme “Airport, to support the future of Japan” and “General Report” which covers new technology developments, projects/constructions and research achievements in relation to airports.

The predecessor of the present session was the Airport Civil Engineering Works Reporting Session which was first held in 1966 and then renamed to the Airport Civil Engineering Technology Reporting Session which was held a total of 34 times thereafter.

In response to the sophisticated and diversified technology, the session was again renamed to the present Airport Technology Presentation Session in 2000, which has been serving as the source to transmit and share information on the comprehensive airport technology as well as achievements in the field of civil engineering, architecture and machinery. The session to be held in this fiscal year will be the 17th time since then.

Concerning the recent social situation surrounding the airports in Japan, it is a notable fact that the number of foreign tourists visiting Japan has been increasing and as a result, the number of flight departures and arrivals at the domestic airports as well as passengers has been surging, thanks to the efforts to achieve Tourism Nation under the Japan Revitalization Strategy.

In keeping with the 2020 Tokyo Olympic and Paralympic Games, the target number of foreign tourists visiting Japan has been set to twofold, namely 40million in 2020, thereby it is hoped to further enhance the functions of the airports as gateways for the world.

Because of such backgrounds, the Airport Technology Presentation Session in this fiscal year will be held with the theme “Airport, to support the future of Japan” and with an objective to contribute to a study on airport improvements to support the future growth of tourism, industries and economy in Japan.

JCAB invites persons concerned to apply for presentation of papers which are related to the above Theme Report and also General Report which covers new technology developments, projects/constructions and research achievements. For details of the presentation, please refer to “Application Guidelines” .

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## Application Guidelines

- ◆Presentation theme
  - Theme report: Improvements and management in relation to the theme “Airport, to support the future of Japan”
  - General report: New technology developments, projects/constructions and research achievements in relation to airports
  
- ◆Application conditions
  - Applicants are requested to participate and make a presentation in the session on the appointed day. Applicants are responsible for preparation of required data for the presentation and any pertinent costs including transportation expenses.
  - Dates: Thursday, 20th October, 2016 14:00~18:00 (tentative)  
Friday, 21st October, 2016 10:00~16:00 (tentative)
  - Venue: Shared Conference Room of Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism (MLIT), on 10th floor of the Central Government Building No.3, 2-1-3 Kasumigaseki, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo
  
- ◆Application method
  - Applications will be made by e-mailing of the presentation title, its summary and the name of speaker to the contact information below (free format). A call for double-checking to the person in charge will be appreciated. Speakers will be selected among applicants and the results will be informed to all applicants. The selected speakers are requested to prepare presentation papers (approx. 6 pages in A4 size) in a prescribed form and presentation materials (Power Point to be prepared) as well, and submit them to JCAB by the specified date (early October scheduled). Additional information on a prescribed form, etc. will be provided later.
  
- ◆Presentation procedures
  - Presentations are to be made using Power Point and each presentation time is 25 minutes including a question and answer session for 5 minutes.
  
- ◆Schedule
  - **Closing date for application: Friday, 19th August 2016**  
(Selection results will be advised no later than 5th September)
  - Late September 2016: Official announcement of the session including presentation topics and the detailed schedule
  - Early October: Closing of submission of presentation papers for distribution and presentation materials
  - 20th and 21st October 2016 : Holding of Airport Technology Presentation Session

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