

### Overview

This is a unique global forum that provides the opportunity for professionals from around the world to share scientific and technical knowledge on Friction Stir Welding. This event has been kindly sponsored and supported by the Joining and Welding Research Institute, Osaka University and will also combine as the Third International Joint Symposium on Joining and Welding. The event will be hosted on Kyoto, one of Japan's great destinations.







# Venue, location and travel information

The event will be held at Kyoto International Conference Centre. It includes three days of technical presentations with opportunities to network. Over eighty papers are scheduled to be presented in both plenary and parallel sessions. Papers will discuss new developments in science, technology, applications, industrialisation, performance, quality, design or any other topic relevant to the advancement of Friction Stir Welding.



The location and travel information can be found **here**.



## Social Event

A Japanese banquet will be held in the Banquet Hall Sakura on the evening of 27 May. Delegates will have the opportunity to network and socialise whilst experiencing traditional Japanese food and entertainment surrounded by a beautiful, traditional Japanese garden. This will be hosted by the International Conference Centre.



## Registration Fees

#### Registration fees include

- Refreshments and lunches
- Symposium social dinner
- Set of proceedings
- Industrial visit
- Early bird registration fee for delegates is £525
- Early bird registration fee for authors is £500 (one author discount per paper)
- The fees for all registrations received after <u>Friday 17 April</u> 2020 will be £550 per delegate/author.
- There will be a limited number of low-cost registrations (£350) for research students who orally present original work at the Symposium
- Student delegates will qualify for a discounted fee of £400

Early registration is strongly advised.

Registration will open on 20 January 2020



# Accommodation

The Kyoto area has about 18,000 hotel rooms, ranging from worldwide luxury brands to budget hotels. Kyoto is a compact city and the subway and other public transportation methods are very convenient.

A recommended list of hotels will be given at the time of registration.



# **Exhibition Space**

Limited exhibition space will be available for a small fee. Space can be reserved through the Symposium website once registration opens on 20 January 2020.



# **Industrial Visit**

An industrial visit has been organised by the Joining and Welding Research Institute on the morning of 29 May 2020. More details will be published closer to the date of the event.

