

# The Asia-Pacific Interdisciplinary Research Conference 2011

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- + Green Science and Technology
- + Innovative Mechano-Magneto-Electronic Systems
- + Life Sciences

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# AP-IRC 2011

アジア太平洋異分野融合研究国際会議

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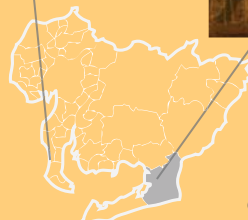
## Invited Speakers

- M. BUSS (Technische Universität München, Germany)  
*"Towards cognition-enabled technical systems"*
- M. Esashi (WPI-AIMR, Tohoku University, Japan)  
*"Firsthand experience of the Tohoku earthquake on 11 March 2011"*
- H. J. Gross (Würzburg University, Germany)  
*"The magical number four: A neurological, historical and mythical enigma"*
- J.-S. Jang (LED-IT Fusion Technology Research Center, Yeungnam University, Korea)  
*"High-performance GaN-based light-emitting diodes and lighting applications using convergence technologies"*
- Q. Pankhurst (The Royal Institution of Great Britain, UK)  
*"Mobilizing academic R&D in a rapidly changing marketplace: Experiences gained and lessons learned in the medical technology sector"*
- M. Sagawa (Intermetallics Co., Ltd., Japan)  
*"NdFeB magnet, from invention to the necessity of the sustainable society"*
- V. M. Shalaev (Purdue University, USA)  
*"Transforming light with metamaterials"*
- Y. Tozawa (Ehime University, Japan)  
*"Cell-free translation system: a tool for functional proteomics of solute transporters and ion channels"*

Toyohashi Tech Main Building



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Traditional Firework  
"Tezutsu Hanabi"



Ocean View at "Omotegama-Beach"

## NOV 17-18th 2011

Toyohashi University of Technology,  
Toyohashi, Aichi, Japan

Deadline for abstract submission: Aug 31st 2011

Organized by the following groups at Toyohashi University of Technology  
Electronics-Inspired Interdisciplinary Research Institute (EIIRIS)  
Tenure Track Program to Foster Young Researchers in Cutting-Edge Interdisciplinary Research  
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### 2nd Call for Papers

#### Objective

The world is at a major turning point. Recent changes in global economics and industrial priorities, environmental and energy policies, food production and population movements have produced formidable challenges that must be addressed for sustaining life on earth.

This conference provides an 'interdisciplinary-platform' to enhance mutual understanding between scientists, engineers, policy makers, and experts from a wide spectrum of pure and applied sciences in order to resolve the daunting global issues facing mankind. In particular, the organizers would like to encourage graduate school students to participate and talk directly with internationally renowned academics, industrialists, and opinion leaders for a firsthand insight into the major issues facing scientists and engineers of the 21st century.

#### Areas covered by the conference

The conference will cover the following three areas of research.

##### Green Science and Technology

- Plant science
- Agriculture
- Environment
- Climate change
- Waste management
- Pollution
- Oceanography
- Natural disaster management

##### Innovative Mechano-Magneto-Electronic Systems

- Electronic materials
- Devices
- Integrated circuits
- MEMS and NEMS
- Optoelectronics
- Magnetic materials and related devices
- Man-machine interface
- Robotics
- Piezoelectric actuators
- Spintronics

##### Life Sciences

- Neuroscience
- Genetics
- Molecular biology
- Health care
- Drug delivery
- RNA Technology
- Nanosurgery
- Microorganisms
- Biomimetic materials and protocols

The conference will mainly consist of poster presentations, with oral presentations by invited speakers and a selection of contributed papers.

#### Publication

Manuscripts submitted for publication in the proceedings of the AP-IRC 2011 will be refereed and those accepted will be published in the Institute of Physics Journal of Physics Conference Series (JPCS).

#### Schedule and important deadlines

Conference	Thursday 17th and Friday 18th November 2011
Place	Toyohashi University of Technology (Toyohashi Tech), Aichi, Japan

#### Deadline for abstract submission

Wednesday 31st August 2011

#### Manuscript of paper for publication in JPCS

10th October 2011

#### Registration fee

1000 JPY (students) / 5000 JPY (others)

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