

C-JWMS2008

(First Announcement and Call for Paper)

**Seventh China – Japan Workshop
on
Microgravity Sciences**

October 26 –30, 2008

Hangzhou, Zhejiang, China



Hangzhou City



Wuzhen

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Workshop Information

The Seventh China – Japan Workshop on Microgravity Sciences (C-JWMS2008) is the successor to the sixth Japan-China Workshop held in Saga, Japan in October 2005. This workshop will be held in Hangzhou which is one of the seven ancient capitals and the key scenic tourism and historical culture cities in China. This city once was applauded as "the most splendid and luxurious city in the world" by Marco Polo, the Italian traveler in the 13th century.

Workshop Topics

Fluid Sciences

Materials Sciences

Combustion and Chemical Physics

Thermophysical Properties

Biotechnology

Life Sciences for Space Exploration

Fundamental physics

Facilities and Techniques of Microgravity Experiments

Space Sciences

Participation and Language

The workshop opens to international microgravity communities.

The workshop language is English.

Abstracts

Deadline: 1 June, 2008, E-mail abstracts to: wms2008@nsmsa.com.cn

Abstracts of workshop papers must be prepared in one "camera ready" page (A4 size), following the format to be specified in detail in Second Circular (see on the conference website: <http://www.nsmsa.com.cn>) will be published in the workshop.

Registration & Accommodation

Registration fee is assumed about 50,000 JPY for regular participants, 25,000 JPY for students and 30,000 JPY for accompanying persons, including abstract book, reception fee, banquet and the organized social programs during the period of workshop. The organizer of the Workshop offers to arrange convenient hotel accommodation for participants. Further information will be given in the

Second Circular to be available on the website: <http://www.nsmsa.com.cn>.

Schedule

26 October (Sun)	Registration, Welcome reception/Dinner
27 October (Mon)	Opening Ceremony, Plenary Session, Sessions, Banquet in evening
28 October (Tue)	Sessions, Discussion on the joint Microgravity Sciences Working Groups Accompanying Persons Activities *,
29 October (Wed)	Sessions, Social Program**,
30 October (Mon)	Sessions Social Program***

* **One-day tour** in Hangzhou city

** **Visit** famous places of Hangzhou

*** **Visit** Wuzhen (The ancient water town of South China)
or Hangzhou-Qian Dao Hu (Thousand Islets Lake)

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