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To All Members

Executive Committee Chair, 20th Anniversary Annual Meeting, Japan Society of Applied Economics, 2025

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Announcement of the 2025 Annual Conference Commemorating the 20th Anniversary of the Japan Society of Applied Economics

Dear Members,

We hope this letter finds you well during this season of fresh greenery.

We are pleased to announce that the 2025 Annual Conference of the Japan Society of Applied Economics, commemorating the 20th anniversary of its founding, will be held on Saturday, June 7 and Sunday, June 8 at the University of Hyogo, Kobe Campus for Commerce. We sincerely look forward to your participation.

Please refer to the following "Information" and "Venue and Access" sections for more details about the event.

Sincerely,

Information

1. Venue

The venue is Education Building II, University of Hyogo, Kobe Campus for Commerce. (Nearest station: Gakuentoshi Station, Kobe Municipal Subway) Please refer to the "Venue and Access" section below or visit the University of Hyogo website for directions.

(<https://www.u-hyogo.ac.jp/about/access/>) Please refrain from coming by private car.

2. Registration

Registration will be held in front of Lecture Room 101, 1st floor, Education Building II.

- Saturday, June 7: Starts at 11:30 AM
- Sunday, June 8: Starts at 8:30 AM

Participation fee: ¥2,000

If you wish to attend the social gathering, please also pay the social gathering fee: ¥2,000 (¥1,000 for graduate students).

3. Accommodation

Please arrange your own accommodation.

The area around Kobe Sannomiya Station is convenient for access.

Due to potential overlaps with major events, we recommend booking early.

4. Lunch

The university co-op cafeteria will be open on Saturday, June 7 from 11:30 to 13:30.

It will be closed on Sunday, June 8.

Restaurants, convenience stores, and supermarkets are available around Gakuentoshi Station.

5. For Presenters and Discussants

(1) The PCs at the venue use Windows 11, with Microsoft Office, Acrobat Reader, and Microsoft Edge installed. USB memory is usable. Please bring your own laptop if needed, as we cannot handle version-specific issues. If you are concerned about font display, prepare your PowerPoint presentation also as a PDF.

(2) Please prepare approximately 20 copies of your handouts. Copy services will not be available. Please give your handouts to the venue staff.

(3) Presentation time is 30 minutes. This will be followed by 10 minutes for discussion and Q&A, making a total of 40 minutes.

6. Internet Access

Guest IDs will be issued on the day to allow internet access. Login details will be provided at registration.

Venue and Access

Address:

8-2-1 Gakuen Nishimachi, Nishi-ku, Kobe, Hyogo 651-2197

University of Hyogo, Kobe Campus for Commerce

Campus Map:

<https://www.u-hyogo.ac.jp/about/access/kobeshoka/>

- Education Building II: Registration and main conference venue
- University Hall Co-op: Social gathering venue
- Headquarters Building 2F: Board meeting venue (Middle Conference Room)
- Session Rooms: Education Building II, Rooms 103, 104, 105 (1st floor) and Rooms 201, 202 (2nd floor)
- Lecture Hall: Room 101, 1st floor, Education Building II
- Lounge: Room 102, 1st floor, Education Building II

Access:

- Approx. 10 minutes on foot from Gakuentoshi Station (Kobe Municipal Subway)
- Approx. 25 minutes by subway from Shin-Kobe Station (Sanyo Shinkansen)
- Approx. 22 minutes by subway from JR Sannomiya Station, Hanshin and Hankyu Kobe-Sannomiya Station
- Approx. 27 minutes by Kobe City Bus or Sanyo Bus (lines 53 or 54) from JR Maiko Station or Sanyo Maiko Koen Station (bound for Gakuentoshi Station)