1st Call for Papers: APCLC2018 Asia Pacific Corpus Linguistics Conference 2018

Takamatsu City, Kagawa Prefecture, Japan, September 17th -20th, 2018

Welcome to Takamatsu!

We look forward to welcoming you to the fourth Asia Pacific Corpus Linguistics Conference (APCLC2018), which will be held at a conference centre in Takamatsu City, Kagawa Prefecture, Japan from September 17th to 20th, 2018. The preconference workshops will be held on September 16 and there will be an excursion on September 20.

Following on from the success of previous conferences (Auckland 2012; Hong Kong 2014; Beijing 2016), we hope to again bring together academics from around the world, and from the Asia Pacific area in particular, in order to report on the developments in the use of corpora in linguistics, language learning, and translation studies. With this conference, we aim to provide a forum for the exchange of ideas and expertise and to lay the foundations for future developments in the application of corpus resources in Asia and the Pacific.

Keynote Speakers

Laurence Anthony, Waseda University, Japan

Michael Barlow, University of Auckland, NZ

Stefan Evert, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen, Germany

Michaela Mahlberg, University of Birmingham, UK

Naoaki Okazaki, Tokyo Institute of Technology, Japan

The conference theme: Corpus Linguistics in Interdisciplinary & Asia Pacific Perspectives

Topics of Interest

The conference invites the submission of papers reporting on research on topics, including, but not limited to:

- corpora and discourse analysis
- corpora and language acquisition & learning
- corpora and lexical & grammatical studies
- corpora and lexicography
- corpora and pragmatics & sociolinguistics
- corpora and translation studies

- corpora and the web
- new technologies and methods in corpus analysis
- theoretical issues in corpus analysis

Abstract submission

We invite submissions in the form of a 300-word abstract. Submissions can be for

- a 20-minute paper (plus 10-minute discussion)
- a poster
- a one-day or half-day workshop (on September 16th)

The submission page will be prepared using EasyChair and will be made available in the second CFP. The deadline for submissions is May 10th, 2018.

Important dates:

Early-bird registration open:	10 May, 2018
Deadline of abstracts:	10 May, 2018
Notification of acceptance:	31 May, 2018
Submission of camera-ready copies of papers (4-8 pages):	31 July, 2018
Early-bird registration close:	31 July, 2018
Pre-conference workshops:	16 September, 2018:
Conference:	17-19 September, 2018
Excursion:	20 September, 2018

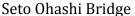
Venues

Takamatsu city is in Kagawa Prefecture, located in the Shikoku Island, Japan.

The Kagawa Official Tourism Website:

http://www.my-kagawa.jp/en/







Kotohira –gu Shrine



Ritsurin Garden

Getting to Takamatsu City:

- 1 hour 20 minutes flight from Tokyo
- 1 hour 45 minutes train from Osaka

The conference hall: Sunport Takamatsu

The hall is conveniently located next to JR Takamatsu station (3 minute walk) and the JR Hotel Clement Takamatsu is one-minute walk from the station.

