

STS forum 2024 - 21st Annual Meeting

October 6–8, 2024

Plenary Sessions

Concurrent Sessions

By Invitation Only

October 5, 2024 (Saturday)			
10:00-18:30	Registration (ICC Kyoto) (for all STS forum participants)	11:00-12:30	AA-STs Board Meeting
		11:30-18:35	Regional Action on Climate Change (RACC16) [Room A]
		12:00-12:50	Young Leaders Network
		12:50-15:30	Dialogue between Young Leaders and Nobel Laureates
		13:30-15:00	Board Meeting
		14:00-16:40	Kyoto Symposium
		14:00-17:00	13th Global Summit of Research Institute Leaders
		16:00-18:00	Forum for Unity, Science, and Empowerment (FUSE)
18:00-20:00	Networking Plaza [Sakura, ICC Kyoto]		

October 6, 2024 (Sunday)					
08:30		Doors open and Registration starts at the Kyoto International Conference Center (ICC Kyoto)			
10:00-11:00 60 min.	100	Opening: The World in 2024 -- What do we need from S&T? [Main Hall]			
11:00-12:00 60 min.	101	Path to Sustainability [Main Hall]			
12:00-13:50 110 min.		Lunch and Networking Time [Sakura]	12:10-13:30	CEO Meeting	
			12:10-13:30	CTO Meeting	
			12:10-13:30	University Presidents' Meeting	
			12:10-13:30	Heads of Private Foundations Meeting	
			12:10-14:50	S&T Ministers' Roundtable	
13:50-14:50 60 min.	102	Koji Omi Memorial Plenary: Lights and Shadows of AI [Main Hall]			
14:50-15:10		Coffee Break			
15:10-17:10 120 min.	103	Energy	Earth and Commons	Climate Risks	Life Sciences
		Action for Net-Zero Emission [Room B-1]	Digital Twins of Ocean [Room K]	Resilient Society against Climate Risks [Room B-2]	AI for Health [Room D]
		Innovative Engineering	Cooperation in S&T	S&T Education	Digital Technologies
		Revolutionary Materials and Devices [Room C-1]	Science and Technology Diplomacy [Room C-2]	Fostering New Generations of Scientists with Inclusion and Diversity [Room E]	Countering Disinformation in Digital Age [Room A]
17:10-17:30		Coffee Break			
17:30-18:30 60 min.	104	104A: Basic Science, Innovation and Policy [Main Hall]		104B: Science and Technology for Business [Room A]	
18:30-		Move to the venue, Cocktail			
19:00-21:00	105	Official Dinner [Event Hall]			

October 7, 2024 (Monday)					
07:30		Doors open and Registration starts at the Kyoto International Conference Center (ICC Kyoto)		08:00-08:45	General Meeting
09:00-10:10 70 min.	200	AI Ethics and Regulation [Main Hall]			
10:10-10:40		Coffee Break			
10:40-12:40 120 min.	201	Energy	Earth and Commons	Climate Risks	Life Sciences
		Investment and Financing for Energy Transition [Room B-1]	Food and Water Security [Room K]	Adaptation to Climate Change [Room B-2]	Breakthrough in Biotechnology [Room D]
		Innovative Engineering	Cooperation in S&T	S&T Education	Digital Technologies
		Quantum Science and Technologies [Room C-1]	Collaboration among Academia, Industry and Government [Room C-2]	AI in Education [Room E]	Cybersecurity [Room H]
12:40-14:20 100 min.		Lunch and Networking Time [Sakura]		12:50-14:10	Academy of Science Presidents' Meeting
				12:50-14:10	Academy of Engineering Presidents' Meeting
				12:50-14:10	Funding Agency Presidents' Meeting
14:20-16:20 120 min.	202	Energy	Earth and Commons	Demography	Life Sciences
		Solutions to Renewable Energy Intermittence [Room B-1]	Circular Economy toward End of Mining [Room K]	Declining Population [Room B-2]	Patient Advocacy [Room D]
		Innovative Engineering	Cooperation in S&T	S&T Education	Digital Technologies
		Green Technologies [Room C-1]	Nurturing Innovation-based Startups [Room C-2]	Signaling the Trustworthiness of Science [Room E]	Sensor Technologies [Room H]
16:20-16:50		Coffee Break			
16:50-18:00 70 min.	203	203A: Global Health [Main Hall]		203B: Shaping the Future of Higher Education [Room A]	
18:00-		Move to the venue (Shuttle bus provided from ICC Kyoto to site)			
19:00-21:00	204	Special Buffet Dinner at Hotel Okura Kyoto			20:30-22:00 Council Meeting

October 8, 2024 (Tuesday)			
08:00		Doors open and Registration starts at the Kyoto International Conference Center (ICC Kyoto)	
09:00-11:00 120 min.	300	Takeaways from Concurrent Sessions [Main Hall]	
11:00-11:40		Coffee Break	
11:40-12:30 50 min.	301	Closing: Science and Technology for the Future of Humankind [Main Hall]	
12:30-13:30		302	Farewell Buffet Lunch [Swan]