

## Call for Papers

### Enhancing Quality of Learning through Collaboration: The 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference for School as Learning Community

**August 6 – 9, 2015. Gakushuin University, Tokyo**

It is with great pleasure that we invite you to attend The Third International Conference for School as Learning Community 2015 which will be held at the Gakushuin University in Tokyo from August 6 to 9, 2015.

The theme of the conference is “Enhancing Quality of Learning through Collaboration”, as we know school as learning community has drastically impacted on school reform in all of the Asian countries during the past decade. We, people who are concerned about human right of education for all, are keen to know what this means to democratization of schooling. It is also our firm belief that practical research which integrates theory and practice in the reflective practice has been elaborated among the colleagues of this movement.

Every country in the process of such reforms can learn valuable lessons from the experiences, knowledge, and insights gained from others. In this conference, we invited the leading professors from China, Korea, Taiwan, Japan, Singapore, Indonesia, Vietnam and Thailand, as keynote and plenary speakers. The Third International Conference for School as Learning Community 2015 aims to provide a platform for education researchers and policy-makers throughout the Asian countries.

You are cordially invited to take part in this exciting international event, and to share your innovations, experiences, cutting-edge findings, best practices and visions of education reforms.

The Organizing Committee for the Third  
International Conference of School as Learning Community

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Info: The conference is managed just with English. The opening forum of keynote speeches and plenary symposiums on August 8 and 9 are arranged with English and Japanese by assistant of an impromptu translator.

The detail information is described in the registration form. Please contact us on the website of the International Platform for School as learning community.

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## **Main-theme: Enhancing Quality of Learning through Collaboration**

### **Outline of Schedule**

August 6 : School Visit (Option)

August 7 : Opening Remarks, Plenary Symposiums and Sessions

August 8 : Open Forum: Keynote Speeches and Discussion  
Reception Party (Option)

August9: Open Forum: Plenary Symposiums, Sessions and Closing remark

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### **Submission Guidelines: Sessions**

**Session A Practical Case and Its Interpretation (with DVD)**

**Session B Lesson Study of School as Learning Community**

**Session C Professional Development in SLC**

**Session D Leadership of School Reform in SLC**

Info: The time for presentation is 20 minutes. However, in the case of a presentation in Session A, which includes DVD presentation and Its interpretation, the presentation time is 30 minutes.

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## Important Dates

Events	Date
Deadline of application for presentation	June 30
Deadline of abstract submission	July 10
Regular Registration	July 26

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## Registration Information:

The registration fee is basically free except a rental fee of translation receiver (2,000 yen) and such optional events, as school visit and reception party. We have no assistance for your hotel accommodation and travel support.

Optional Fees: School Visit = 5,000 yen, Reception Party = 5,000 yen

## Contact Us:

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We look forward to meeting you at the 3rd International Conference for School as Learning Community 2015.

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