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- Advanced Characterization
 - Fast dynamics, Scanning probe technique, Nanoindentation, SR, etc Thin Films,
- **Bio/medical/environmental materials** *Bioceramics, Ecomaterials, etc.*

· Chemical materials

Novel chemistry, Catalyst, etc.

• Engineering materials

Sustainable materials and systems, Catastrophic fracture, Smart materials, Ecomaterials, etc.

• Electro-magnetic materials

Magnetic Oxides, Multi-Ferroics, High-Tc Superconductors, etc.

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Semiconductors, Dielectrics (high-k, ferroelectrics),

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Advanced processes, Structure- property relationship etc.,

· MDX Special Session: Materials DX

Invited Speakers

- · Mamoru Aizawa, Meiji Univ, Japan
- · Jake Barralet, McGill Univ, Canada
- · Wei-tin Chen, National Taiwan Univ, Taiwan
- · Kazuhiko Deguchi, Nagoya Univ, Japan
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IMPORTANT DATES (tentative)

Aug 2, 2024
By end of Aug, 2024
Sept 1, 2024
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By individual participants

NUMBER OF PRESENTATIONS (approximate)

Invited (30 min)	30
Oral (15 min)	60
Poster	100

ABSTRACT (Submission deadline: Aug 2, 2024).

Abstracts will form the basis for selecting papers for presentation at the conference. Each abstract must state clearly the purpose and specific results of the work. Lack of such descriptions may cause rejection of a paper. Instructions for abstract preparation and submission is provided on our web page. All abstracts will be reviewed by the members of the Program Committee on the basis of scientific and technical novelty and importance. Acceptance of the papers will be informed by e-mail with the decision of presentation style. A few papers may be selected for special invited talks.