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International Congress of Mathematicians 2014 in Seoul



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Greetings from the Organizers of ICM 2014

The next International Congress of Mathematicians will take place at Coex in Seoul, Korea, from Wednesday August 13, through Thursday August 21, 2014. The pre-registration process for the ICM 2014 is underway. If you have not yet pre-registered, please do so by following simple instructions at http://icm2014.org. ICM e-News is being distributed to people who pre-registered for the congress. We strongly recommend you to visit ICM homepage regularly for updated information and ICM related activities. We look forward to welcoming you at the congress in Seoul, Korea.

In the center of Seoul

With a five-millennia-long history, Korea is an attractive place to visit. Seoul, the capital of Korea for over 600 years, is a vibrant modern city with population of 11 million, where the traditional culture and cutting edge of trends co-exist side-by-side in perfect harmony. With a low crime rate and a state-of-the-art subway system, it is one of the safest cities in the world. The congress venue, COEX, is at the heart of downtown Seoul, located right next to a subway station. There are over 7,500 hotel rooms within 5km of COEX.

Family-friendly ICM

Seoul is filled with great family-friendly activities. An on-site childcare facility will be available for ICM participants accompanying family members. Also we recommend some of Seoul's best places for traveling family - a day at a theme park to youth-focused outdoor events and countless playgrounds in the heart of downtown. Three Disney-style theme parks (LOTTE WORLD, SEOUL LAND, and EVERLAND) are around 10 min to 1 hour bus/subway ride from central Seoul. Especially during summer season, all the theme parks are open late at night performing fantastic laser shows and fireworks. Visit Seoul ICM with your family, and experience wonderful festivals and magnificent shows at the theme parks in Korea! Family-friendly ICM will make your journey much more special.

Submission of short communications

A call for submission of 20-minute short communications (or contributed talks) will soon be announced. We will accept submissions of contributed talks during Jan. 1 ~ Feb 28, 2014 at the ICM homepage.

NANUM 2014: Application period extended

1,000 mathematicians from developing countries will be invited to Korea during ICM 2014 under the ICM 2014 signature travel grant program, called "NANUM 2014", meaning 'generous sharing' in Korean. Applications can only be submitted online at http://nanum2014.org. By Aug. 31, 2013, about 2,800 NANUM applications were received, and the online submission system was deactivated. However, by popular demand, the submission site will re-open on Oct. 16, 2013 and will remain open until Oct. 31, 2013. We hope that this grace period may enable the people who missed the deadline to submit their applications.

ICM Invited plenary, sectional, and special lectures

The ICM 2014 Organizing Committee is delighted to announce a full list of plenary speakers and sectional invited speakers of Seoul ICM 2014. Visit http://icm2014.org/en/program/scientific for the list of confirmed speakers.

ICM Local Programs

This section gathers other scientific activities mostly promoted or organized by the ICM 2014 Organizing Committee. The following ICM local programs are already scheduled as of Sep. 31, 2013:

- The Public Lecture for a general audience by James Simons, President of Euclidean Capital and Board Chair of Renaissance Technologies LLC, on Aug. 13, 2014,
- The Emmy Noether Lecture by Georgia Benkart, Professor of Mathematics at University of Wisconsin-Madison, on Aug. 14, 2014,
- The Abel Lecture on Aug. 15, 2014,
- The Panels on the risks of assessment and comparisons in mathematical education, mathematics teaching, and mathematical publicity during Aug. 18-20, 2014.

ICM Event: Call for Application (e.g. meeting and/or reception)

The ICM 2014 Organizing Committee welcomes any organization that wishes to plan an event in and around the congress (e.g. meeting and/or reception). Events can be held at COEX (congress venue) and/or COEX Intercontinental Hotel (350m from COEX) and applications can be submitted to the appointed PCO of the congress, MECI, via email at icm2014(at)meci.co.kr with a copy to the Secretariat at icm(at)icm2014.org. Once submitted, subsequent price quotes will be issued for applicant's review. Please return the completed application forms no later than Feb. 28, 2014.

ICM Sponsorship

Several institutions have already committed their donations to ICM 2014, especially for NANUM 2014 program. Any organizations willing to support this important event is invited to contact the Secretariat at icm(at)icm2014.org.

ICM Exhibition: Call for Application

The ICM 2014 Organizing Committee invites organizations and colleagues to submit an application for exhibition booths. The ICM 2014 Exhibition is open to any organization, which may seek an opportunity to promote one's experience, programs, products and services through operating commercial and/or non-commercial booths at the congress. The exhibition will take place in Hall C1 (3F), COEX and the allotment of booths will be on a first-come-first-served basis. Applications for an exhibition space should be submitted to the appointed PCO of the congress, MECI, via email at es(at)icm2014.org with a copy to the Secretariat at icm(at)icm2014.org by May 31, 2014. For more details, refer to the Exhibition Prospectus at http://icm2014.org/en/sponsors/exhibitors.



The organizers of ICM 2014 welcome our colleagues from around the world to the Congress, and hope that you will also be able to savor some of the fine attractions that our country offers. Korea, with a five-millennia-long history, is an attractive place to visit and has its own unique cultural heritage, distinct from that of other Asian countries.

See you in Seoul in 2014!

IMPORTANT DATES

Opening of on-line registration: Jan. 1, 2014

Call for submission of abstracts: Jan. 1, 2014

Deadline for submission of abstracts: Feb. 28, 2014

Deadline for on-line registration at a reduced rate: May. 10, 2014 General Assembly of IMU in Gyeongju: Aug. 10-11, 2014

MENAO event : Aug. 12, 2014 ICM 2014 in Seoul : Aug. 13-21, 2014

