**Aims and Scope**

The evolution from ICBPPI to Lignobiotech One was based on the necessity to share the capitalized knowledge on biotechnologies acquired in pulp and paper sector with the community working in the more general field of biomass transformation. The second edition of Lignobiotech will encompass rapidly growing research activities in all biotechnology and related sciences of lignocellulosic biomass for fuels, chemicals and materials.

**Topics in Lignobiotech Two include:**

- Fundamentals of lignocellulosic transformation and enzymes
- Microbial genomics and biotechnology
- Fundamental studies of lignocellulosic biofuels and biorefinery
- Fundamentals for lignocellulose formation
- Metabolic engineering of lignocellulose biosynthesis
- Superstructure of lignocelluloses
- Functional materials and new product design
- Bioprocess engineering and industrial applications
- Economy, logistics, societal and environmental issues

**International Committee Members**

- Ryuichiro Kondo, Kyushu University, Japan [Chair]
- André Ferraz, Universidade de Sao Paulo, Brazil
- Angel Martinez, CSIC, Spain
- Annele Hatakka, University of Helsinki, Finland
- Bajpai Pramod, Thapar University, India
- Bernard Kurek, INRA, France
- Byung-Gee Kim, Seoul National University, Korea
- Dan Cullen, USDA Forest Products Laboratory, Madison, USA
- Emma Master, University of Toronto, Canada
- François Wofsaardt, SAPPI, South Africa
- Harry Brumer, Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden
- John Kadla, University of British Columbia, Canada
- John Ralph, Great Lakes Bioenergy Research Center, USA
- Karin Fackler, Vienna University of Technology, Austria
- Liisa Vikari, University of Helsinki, Finland
- Pang Shusheng, University of Canterbury, New Zealand
- Saha C. Badal, USDA, USA
- Sofia Valenzuela, Univeristy of Concepcion, Chile
- Taina Lundell, University of Helsinki, Finland
- Takashi Watanabe, Kyoto University, Japan
- Tom Jeffries, University of Wisconsin, USA
- Toshiaki Umezawa, Kyoto University, Japan
- Vincent Chiang, North Carolina State University, USA
- Yinbo Qu, Shandong University, China

**Advisory Board**

- Akiyoshi Kawaoka, Nippon Paper Industries Co., Ltd
- Daisuke Shibata, Kazusa DNA Research Institute, Japan
- Kazuzhi Takahashi, Toyota Motor Corporation, Japan
- Kazuya Ito, Oji Paper Co., Ltd., Japan
- Masahiro Samejima, The University of Tokyo, Japan
- Shinobu Takagi, Novozymes Japan, Japan
- Yuji Matsumoto, The University of Tokyo, Japan

**Important Dates**

- **March 1, 2012** Call for Paper (400words Abstract)
- **June 10, 2012** Deadline for Oral Abstracts
- **July 1, 2012** On-line Registration Start
- **August 3, 2012** Deadline for Poster Abstract
- **August 20, 2012** Deadline for Early Bird Registration
- **October 5, 2012** Dead line of On-line Registration

---

**ACROS Fukuoka**

**from Fukuoka Airport**

**Subway:** 11 minutes from Fukuoka Kuko (Airport) Station to Tenjin Station, then a 3 minutes walk from exit 16.

**from JR Hakata Station**

**Subway:** 11 minutes from Fukuoka Kuko (Airport) Station to Tenjin Station, then a 3 minutes walk from exit 16.

**Nishitetsu Bus:** Catch a bus bound for Tenjin from the Hakata Station Bus Center 1st Floor or from "Hakata Eki Mae A" Bus Stop and get off at the "Shiyakusho (City Hall) Kitaguchi".