



# The 9th Asian Conference on Refrigeration and Air-conditioning

June 11-13, 2018, Sapporo, Japan



Organized by Japan Society of Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers (JSRAE)

## BACKGROUND

Asian Conference on Refrigeration and Air-conditioning (ACRA) started in 2002 in Kobe and has been followed by Beijing (2004), Gyongju (2006), Taipei (2009), Tokyo (2010), Xian (2012), Jeju Island (2014), and Taipei (2016). ACRA is a forum for exchanging the latest scientific and technological information in HVAC&R fields in Asian countries.

## First Announcement and Call for Papers

## TOPICS

Main topics of this conference include the following area.

- Absorption and adsorption refrigeration
- Automatic controls
- Compressor
- Cryogenics
- District heating and cooling
- Energy utilization and conservation
- Food technology and cold chain
- Heat and mass transfer
- Heat exchanger
- HVAC&R systems
- Indoor air quality
- IT technology in HVAC&R industry
- New and natural refrigerants
- Renewable and new energy use
- Thermal/fluid science
- Ventilation and air distribution



## CALL FOR PAPERS

Authors are kindly requested to submit a short abstract of no more than 300 words in English. For further information, please visit the conference website.



## VENUE

The conference will be held at Sapporo Convention Center (SORA), Sapporo, Hokkaido, Japan.

<http://www.sora-scc.jp/> (Select language at the top page)

Sapporo's highly developed public transportation systems provide easy access to SORA from New Chitose Airport (about 60 minutes) and also from the central area of Sapporo city (about 20 minutes). Sapporo is one of the best tourist cities in Japan, so you can enjoy many famous sightseeing spots.

<http://www.welcome.city.sapporo.jp/>

## IMPORTANT DATES

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| December 1, 2017  | Abstract due                        |
| December 22, 2017 | Notification of abstract acceptance |
| February 16, 2018 | Full manuscript due                 |
| March 30, 2018    | Early-registration due              |

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**CONFERENCE WEBSITE** <http://www.acra2018.org/>