

## VENUE

### OTSU, JAPAN

Otsu is the capital of Shiga prefecture, located on the southwestern shore of Lake Biwa, and once flourished as a post station along Tokaido Street. The city is part of the UNESCO World Heritage Site. Numerous historical sites and cultural assets, such as the Mii-dera and Ishiyama-dera temples, and seven out of eight scenic spots known as the Omi Hakkei, are found in the city. The best known is Enryaku-ji temple at Mt. Hiei, the birthplace of Japanese Buddhism.



### OTSU PRINCE HOTEL CONVENTION HALL "OUMI"

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OTSU PRINCE HOTEL is an all-year-round resort located on the shores of Lake Biwa. On its shores is the 38-story Otsu Prince Hotel and the adjoining CONVENTION HALL "OUMI", which is one of the biggest conference venues in Kansai area. Since it only takes **10 minutes** by train between JR Otsu station and JR Kyoto station, the hotel is an ideal base for sightseeing in Siga and Kyoto. You can stay and relax overlooking the lake during all four seasons.



#### FROM AIRPORT

Approx. 90 minutes to JR Otsu Station from Kansai International Airport (KIX). From KIX, take Airport Express "HARUKA" to Kyoto Station, and transfer to Biwako line. JR Otsu station is 2 stations from Kyoto.

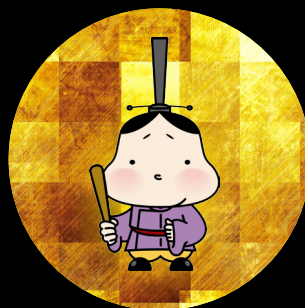


#### BY TRAIN

Approx. 10 minutes by Biwako line from JR Kyoto Station.  
Approx. 50 minutes and 43 minutes by Tokaido line from JR Osaka station and JR Shin-Osaka station, respectively.

More information will be announced  
on the ICAC2016 website.

<http://www.icac2016.org/>



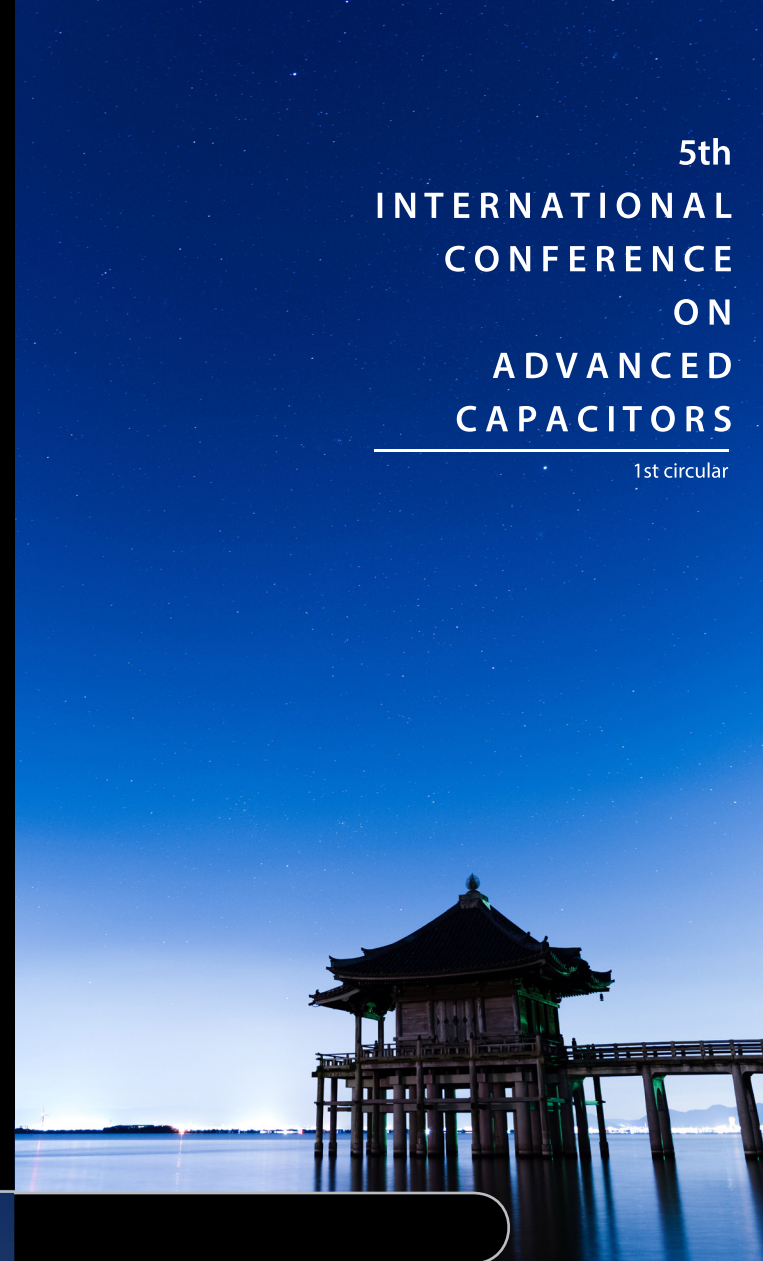
Otsu Hikaru-kun  
Official mascot of Otsu city

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# 5th INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON ADVANCED CAPACITORS

1st circular



May 23 – May 27, 2016

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## INVITATION TO ICAC2016

You are cordially invited to participate in the 5th International Conference on Advanced Capacitors (ICAC2016), to be held in Otsu, Japan from May 23-27, 2016.

The Committee of Capacitor Technology, The Electrochemical Society of Japan, now in its 21st year since establishment, is proud to announce the 2016 International Conference on Advanced Capacitors (ICAC2016). Following the previous conferences (ICAC2003, ICAC2007, ICAC2010 and ICAC2013), which were held in Japan, we hope that ICAC2016 will be one-of-its-kind, with international contribution from both academia and industry.

Now we are at a global economy rapidly changing. Since the people's awareness to the global environmental issues is rapidly raising, the new business such as solar cells, electric vehicles is attracting a lot of interests all around the world. Capacitors including an EDLC, a Li-ion Capacitor and an electrochemical capacitor are highly expected to play concrete roles as a high efficient energy storage device.

ICAC2016 is a truly significant chance for showing the state-of-the-art R&D in this field. We look forward to welcoming you in early summer of 2016, and hope that you will take this opportunity to experience Otsu.

Katsuhiko Naoi  
Chairman  
5th International Conference on Advanced Capacitors

### Conference Overview

The ICAC2016 provides an exciting forum to discuss recent progress in advanced capacitors. The conference focuses on the following themes;

1. Basic science, advanced technologies and application of all types of capacitors, i.e., ceramic, film, aluminum electrolytic, tantalum, electric double-layer, electrochemical redox (pseudo), asymmetric, hybrid, lithium-ion capacitors, etc.
2. Capacitor performances for power uses such as electric vehicles and energy back-up (storage) application.
3. Materials for advanced capacitors (e.g., carbonaceous materials, polymers, metal oxides, composites), and new concept for fabricating high performance energy and power storage devices.

### Invited Talks

The plenary speakers and the selected invited speakers will be announced on the ICAC2016 website soon.

ICAC2016 website: <http://www.icac2016.org/>



### Important Dates

Online Abstract Submission Opens:	<b>2015.11.20</b>
Deadline for Abstract Submission:	<b>2016.1.28</b>
Registration Opens:	<b>2016. January</b>
Early-bird Registration Deadline:	<b>2016.4.8</b>

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