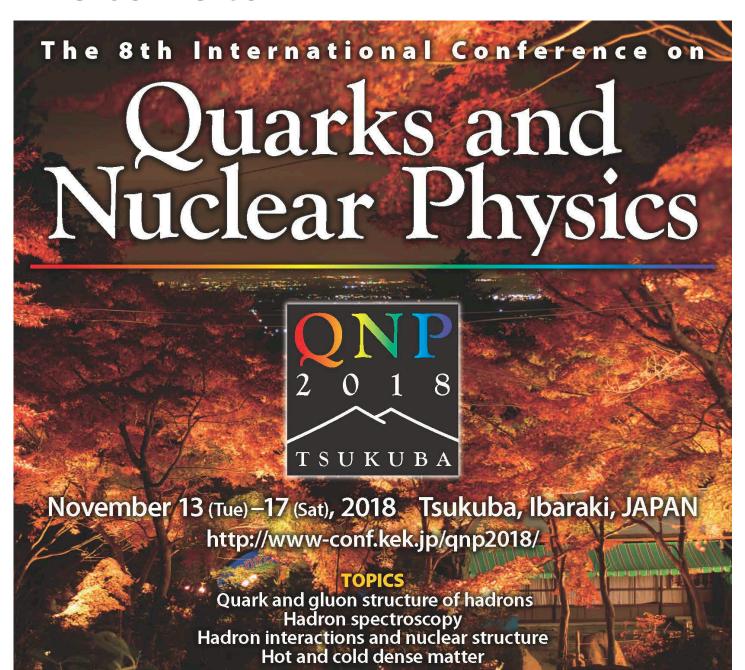
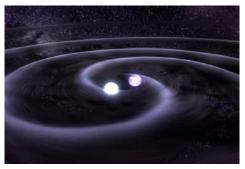
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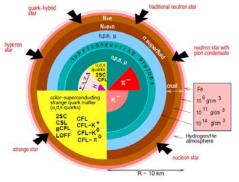
Previous QNP Conferences

- International Conf. on Quark Lepton Nuclear Physics (QULEN97), Osaka, 1997
- International Conf. on Quark Nuclear Physics, Adelaide, 2000
- International Conf. on Quarks and Nuclear Physics (QNP2002), Julich, 2002
- Internantional Conf. on Quarks and Nuclear Physics 2004 (QNP2004), Bloomington, 2004
- 4th International Conf. on Quarks and Nuclear Physics (QNP06), Madrid, 2006
- 5th International Conf. on Quarks and Nuclear Physics (QNP09), Beijing, 2009
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- 7th International Conf. on Quarks and Nuclear Physics (QNP2015), Valparaiso, Chile

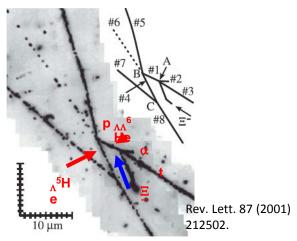
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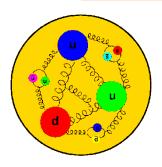


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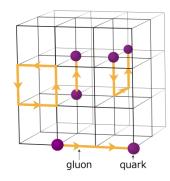


Hyperon interactions

- Quarks and gluon structure of hadrons
- Hadron spectroscopy
- Hadron interactions and nuclear structure
- Hot and cold dense matter



Properties and structure of hadrons



Development of QCD calculations including lattice



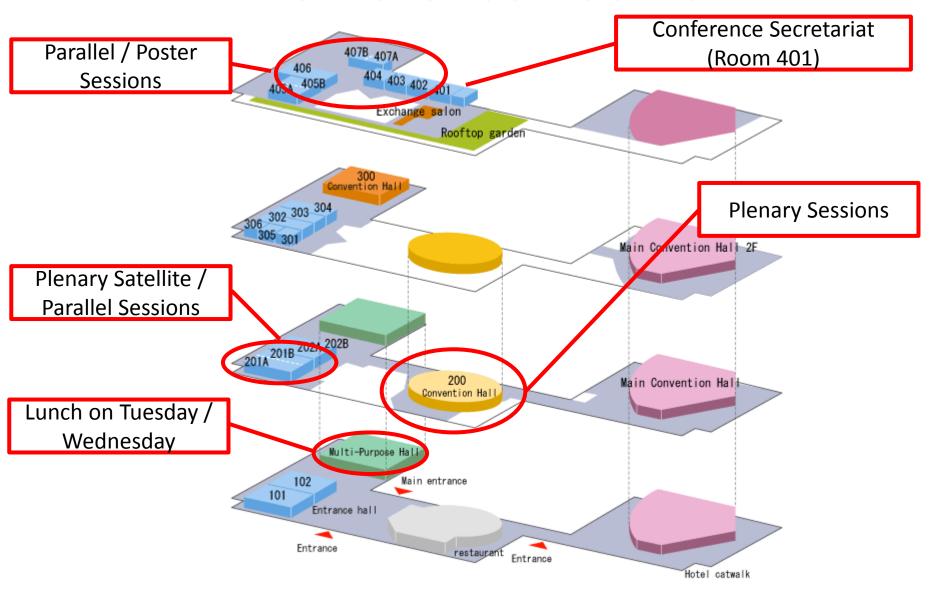
New results from world facilities

Program

| | Tuesday Nov. 13 | Wednesday Nov. 14 | Thursday Nov. 15 | Friday Nov. 16 | Saturday Nov. 17 |
|-----------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Morning | Plenary | Plenary | Plenary | Plenary | Plenary |
| | Lunch served | Lunch served | Lunch included in excursion | No lunch served | No lunch served |
| Afternoon | Parallel / Poster | Parallel | Excursion (12:30~) | Parallel | Adjourn |
| Evening | | | | Conference Dinner (Shinonome, 7pm~) | |

Slides of the talks will be collected and uploaded to our indico site.

Conference Rooms



Registration Desk / Conference Secretariat

- Registration desk in front of the 200 convention hall (plenary sessions) will open until 10:45, today.
- The registration desk will be moved to the conference secretariat at Room 401 after 10:45, today.

Lunch / Coffee

- Only on Tuesday, November 13, and Wednesday, November 14, lunch will be served for all the conference participants at the multi-purpose hall located on the 1st floor.
- A lunch box will be served for the participants to the excursion on Thursday, November 15.
- Coffee will be served on breaks in mornings and afternoons. The morning coffee will be in front of this 200 hall, and the afternoon coffee will be at the posters' room on Tuesday and Wednesday, and at room 407 on Friday.

Excursion

- The conference excursion will take place in the afternoon of Thursday, Nov. 15.
- The tour buses leave the main entrance of this building at 12:30.
- There are four courses with a bus for each.
 - A: JAXA and KEK/Belle-II, B: Sake brewery and Mt. Tsukuba, C: Soba noodle cooking and eating, D: Kashima Shrine and Sawara Old City
- There are some vacant seats. If you'd like to join the excursion but have not registered yet, please go to the conference secretariat by 6 pm today.

Conference Dinner

- Conference Dinner will be held at the Hotel Grand Shinonome, from 7 pm of Friday, Nov. 16.
- The hotel is located about 15 min. walk from this convention center.
- Shuttle buses will be available at 6:15 pm of Friday, at the main entrance of this building.
- After the dinner, a bus will go to KEK, for those who stay at the dormitory, and another bus will go to the Tsukuba station and the convention center (here).

Proceedings

- The proceedings of the QNP2018 conference will be published in JPS Conference Proceedings.
- All the presentations including posters will be included.
- Please note that the submitted papers will be peer-reviewed by experts in the proper fields including the IAC and OC members.
- The page limit is

Plenary talk:
Invited talk (30 min) in parallel sessions:
Contributed talks (20 min):
Poster presentations:
8 pages
6 pages
4 pages
4 pages

- We ask you to prepare your manuscript using the template in
- http://journals.jps.jp/page/jpscp/authors
- and <u>submit it by January 18th, 2019</u> through the JPS Conf. Proc. web page.
- The procedure of submission will be announced later.

Photograph

 Group photograph will be taken just after this morning session. Please come to the stairway in front of this 200 hall!