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To all those attending the Society for Environmental Economics and Policy Studies

(SEEPS) 2019 Conference

Access to the SEEPS 2019 Conference

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SEEPS 2019 Conference will be held on the 28th and 29th September (Sat. and Sun.), 2019,

at Fukushima University S Lecture Building and L4 classroom (Address: 1 Kanayagawa,

Fukushima City, Fukushima Prefecture, 960-1296). Registration will be at the entrance

of the S Lecture Building, Fukushima University. Access to Fukushima University can

be found on the Fukushima University access page https://www.fukushima-

<u>u.ac.jp/access</u>. For those attending the SEEPS 2019 conference, please use the following

additional information regarding access. Please use public transport whenever possible.

In addition, please understand the conference will be held as scheduled basically, even in

the case of a delay in public transportation.

1. Using JR (Japan Reilway)

1-1. The most convenient station is JR Kanayagawa Station on the JR Tohoku Main

Line

Due to the limited train service, please check the timetable in advance of travel.

The timetable for Kanayagawa Station can be seen https://www.jreast-

timetable.jp/timetable/list0464.html

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- It takes 10 minutes on the train from JR Fukushima Station to Kanayagawa Station, and the fare is \\$200 one way.
- Suitable train times for the 9:00 am start sessions on the 28th and 29th September are as follows:
 - Departing Fukushima at 7:35 am or 8:12 am, arriving at Kanayagawa Station at 7:45 am or 8:22 am.
- 1-2. It is a 10-minute walk from Kanayagawa Station to the conference registration at the entrance of the S Lecture Building, Fukushima University.
 - a) Keep to the left after exiting the ticket gates at Kanayagawa Station, proceed down the stairs (or elevator), walk to the right and follow the signs to 'Fukushima University'. On the first morning of the conference, staffs will be there to assist.
 - b) After passing the sign that says "Fukushima University Campus", proceed, following the signs to the "SEEPS 2019 conference venue" or to the "Lecture Buildings".

2. Using the local bus service 'Fukushima Transport'

- 2-1. The nearest bus stop is 'Fukushima University'
 - Due to the limited bus service, please check the timetable in advance of travel.
 Please see https://busget.fukushima-koutu.co.jp/fromto/result/2/4092/ for the bus service timetable leaving the Fukushima East Bus Terminal bound for Fukushima University.
 - It takes 30 minutes on the bus from Fukushima Station **East** Bus Terminal to Fukushima University Bus Stop, and the fare is ¥580 one way.
 - Suitable bus times for the 09:00 start sessions on the 28th and 29th September are as follows:
 - Departing Fukushima Station **East** Bus Terminal at 07:00 or 08:20, arriving at Fukushima University at 07:33 or 08:50.
- 2-2. It is a 10-minute walk from Fukushima University Bus Stop to the conference registration at the entrance of the S Lecture Building, Fukushima University.

- After alighting the bus, walk in the direction of the 'Fukushima University' sign, keep walking straight, proceed up the stairs and enter the square you can see to your left and turn right. You will arrive at the S Lecture Building of Fukushima University.

3. Using the SEEPS 2019 Conference Charter Bus

- 3-1. In consideration of the traffic and weather conditions, a SEEPS 2019 Conference charter bus will operate from Fukushima Station **West** Exit Bus Terminal on both the 28th and 29th September. The charter bus will depart Fukushima Station West Exit Bus Terminal at 08:20 and arrive at Fukushima University Carpark at 08:40. The fare is ¥300 per person each time.
 - Regardless of the status of the JR and local bus service, one SEEPS 2019 charter bus will operate (maximum capacity 50 passengers).
 - Reservations are not required. Please come to the **West** exit bus terminal of Fukushima Station before the 08:20 departure time. On the morning of the conference days, staffs will be there to assist.
 - Due to the limited number of passengers the charter bus can accommodate, we request participants of the conference use public transport such as JR and the local bus service as much as possible. If the number of participants wishing to travel on the charter bus exceeds capacity, priority will be given to presenters or discussants from the 9:00 session.
 - The charter bus is scheduled to depart from the **West** exit bus terminal at 08:20 am so as to assist participants of the conference who miss the JR Fukushima 08:12 am departure train be in time for the 09:00 am session of the conference.
 - 3-2. It is a 1 or 2-minute walk from the Fukushima University Carpark to the entrance of the S Lecture Building of Fukushima University.
 - Cross the pedestrian crossing, continue straight up the slight slope, and the building you see to the right of the square is the entrance to the S Lecture Building. Conference staffs will be there to offer assistance.

Cf. The stops in Fukushima Station (accessbile to SEEPS 2019 Conference Venue)



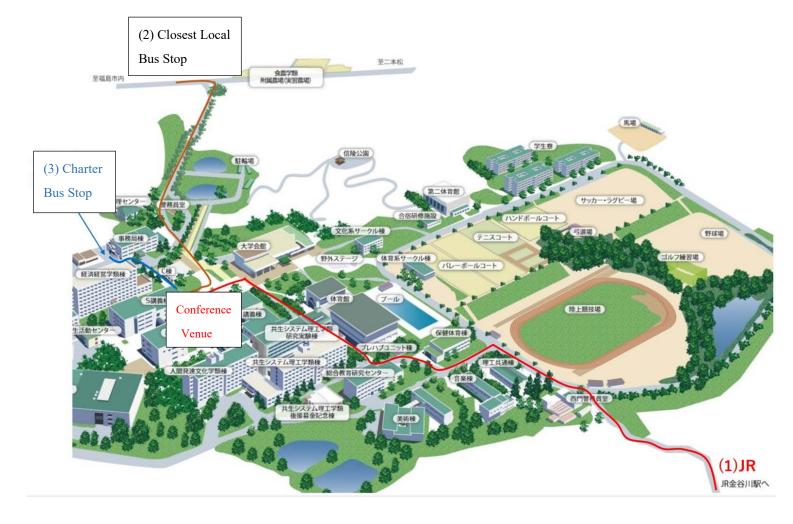
Source: Yahoo map edited

Cf. The route from the closest JR Station (Kanayagawa Sta.) to Fukushima University (follow the red line)



Source: Google map edited

Cf. Map showing how to get to the SEEPS 2019 conference venue from the closest JR train station (Kanayagawa Sta.) / closest local bus station (Fukushima University Bus Stop) / SEEPS 2019 charter bus stop (follow the red line)



Source: Fukushima University campus map website edited