

LEM21 Factory Tour

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Dear Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to announce Factory Tour of LEM21, which will be held after the conference. The tour highlights are two major companies in Hiroshima Prefecture.

(1) Date: Nov. 17, 2017 8:20-15:00

(2) Factories:

- a) **Mazda Motor Corporation:** The company is famous for manufacture and sales of passenger cars and commercial vehicles devices. <http://www.mazda.com/>
- b) **IHI Corporation:** The company manufactures various products such as boilers, bridges, logistics systems, transportation machinery, industrial machinery, and so on. <http://www.ihico.jp/en/>

After the Factory Tour, we are going to visit the Kure Maritime Museum (also known as the **Yamato Museum**, <http://yamato-museum.com/eng/>), which presents the history of Kure, its culture and industries, primarily shipbuilding and steelmaking. As the centerpiece of this museum, the one-tenth scale model of the battleship Yamato is being exhibited. Moreover, we can also visit **JMSDA Kure Museum** (<https://www.jmsdf-kure-museum.go.jp/en/>) which offers visitors opportunities to ride in the real submarine and to see, feel its interior.

(3) Time schedule (tentative)

8:30 A bus leaves International Conference Center Hiroshima (Conference venue)

8:30-9:00 Travel by a bus

9:00-10:00 **Mazda Motor Corporation**

10:00-11:00 Travel by a bus

11:00-12:00 **IHI Corporation**

12:00-12:40 Lunch

12:40-13:00 Travel by a bus

13:00-15:00 **Yamato Museum** and **JMSDA Kure Museum**

15:00-16:00 Travel by a bus

16:00 JR Higashi-Hiroshima Station

16:00-16:30 Travel by a bus

16:30 Hiroshima Airport

(4) Registration

You can make the registration to this tour through the registration page of the conference.

Participation fee: 1,000 JPN Yen.

Registration deadline: Oct. 3, 2017.

* The number of the tour's participants is limited. The registration to the tour will be accepted on a first-come-first-served basis.

** Possibly those working in a competitor company to the companies to be visited may not be allowed to attend the tour. Participants from some countries may not be allowed either. We will contact each person about the possibility of participation. We ask for your kind understanding.