### "Second Announcement"

# 2016 US-Japan Workshop on Compact Tori

### Equilibrium studies and novel applications of compact toroids based on innovative confinement techniques: The future of Compact Tori

## August 22–24, 2016 At the Hotel Irvine, Irvine, CA

Dear Colleagues:

Every other year the US or Japan host the Compact Toroid (CT) workshop series on alternate sides of the Pacific, a series that has continued for many years. This year is the turn of the US to host the event. We are pleased to make our second announcement for this year's workshop to be held in Irvine, CA on Aug. 22–24, 2016.

We would like to welcome your participation and possible presentation. The workshop objectives are to discuss equilibrium studies as well as applications of CTs and other innovative confinement concepts that share basic physics and/or experimental techniques with CTs. The future of compact tori will also be discussed.

A website of the CT2016 workshop is now open at the University of California, Irvine: http://www.physics.uci.edu/US-JAPAN-CT2016/

Subpages on the workshop website such as Registration, Program/Abstracts, Lodging, etc. will also be updated shortly. You will be able to reserve a hotel room at a discount rate of \$149 per night via the Hotel Irvine website (a special link will be provided shortly).

Workshop registration fee for a regular participant is currently estimated to be about \$350, and \$250 for students; this fee includes a banquet dinner and morning/afternoon coffee breaks.

#### **Important Dates**

Response for Participation	Deadline – May 10, 2016
Registration and Payment	Deadline – July 22, 2016
Hotel Reservation	Deadline – July 22, 2016
One-page Abstract Submission	Deadline – August 8, 2016
Workshop Dates	August 22–24, 2016

For any scientific/general inquiries please feel free to contact us via email at <u>CT2016@uci.edu</u>. For those of you who need an official letter of invitation to obtain a US visa or travel approval, please let us know at your earliest convenience.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

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