

# IABMAS2020

Tenth International Conference on Bridge Maintenance, Safety and Management



Dates

**28 June (Sun) - 2 July (Thu) 2020**

Venue

**Sapporo Convention Center, Sapporo, Hokkaido, Japan**

Chairs

**Hiroshi Yokota**

Professor, Faculty of Engineering, Hokkaido University

**Dan M. Frangopol**

The Fazlur R. Khan Endowed Chair of Structural Engineering and Architecture  
Professor of Civil Engineering, Lehigh University



## Welcome Message

On behalf of the IABMAS, we are pleased to announce that the 10th IABMAS will be held at Sapporo Convention Center, Sapporo, Hokkaido, Japan from June 28 to July 2, 2020 mainly hosted by IABMAS, IABMAS Japan, Hokkaido University, and Sapporo-City.

Anybody interested in bridge maintenance, safety and management is invited to participate. Participation will benefit academics, engineers working for companies, consultants, contractors, and government officials.

The mission of IABMAS 2020 is to bring together all cutting edge research in the field of bridge engineering and to advance both the state-of-the-art and state-of-practice in the field.





## Objectives of IABMAS 2020

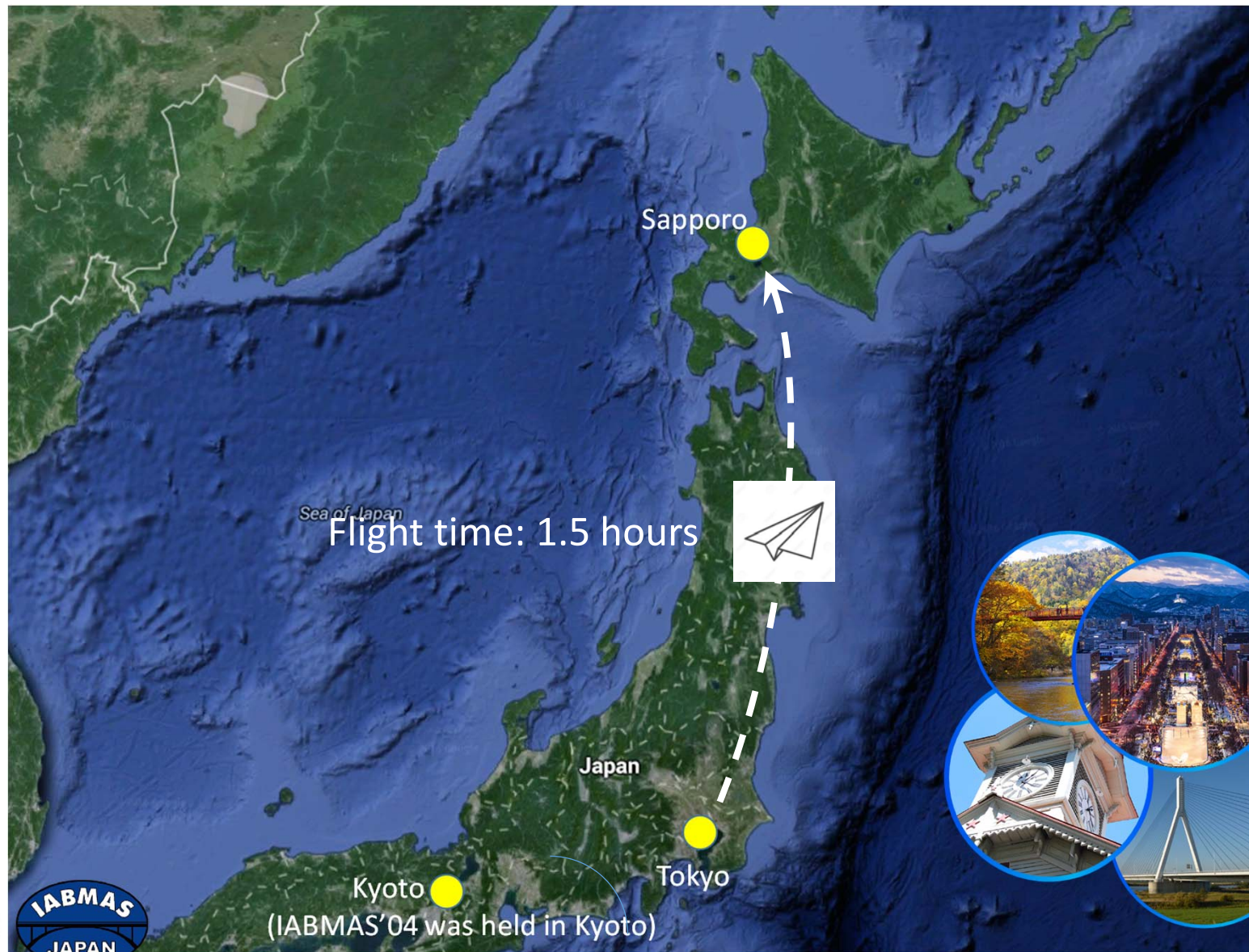
The aim within the IABMAS2020 to bring together all the very best work that has been done in the fields of bridge maintenance, safety, and management and related topics, to stimulate and promote research into this field, and to bridge the gap between theory and practice. The IABMAS 2020 will be of interest to university researchers, representatives from all sections of bridge engineering, and engineers working for engineering companies, consultants, contractors, and local authorities interested in all aspects of bridge engineering.

The participants can promote their research and professional work, learn and discuss about the latest accomplishments, innovations and potential future directions in bridge engineering, and can enjoy their stay in Sapporo as well.



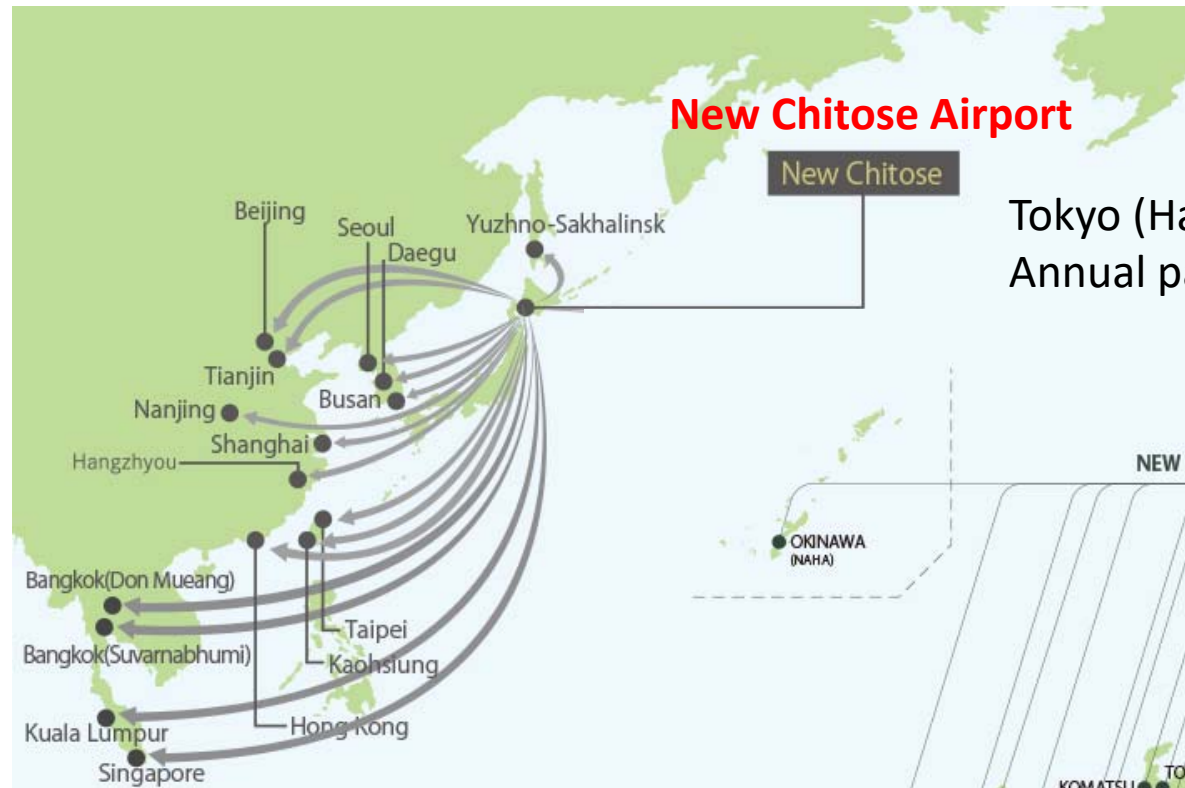
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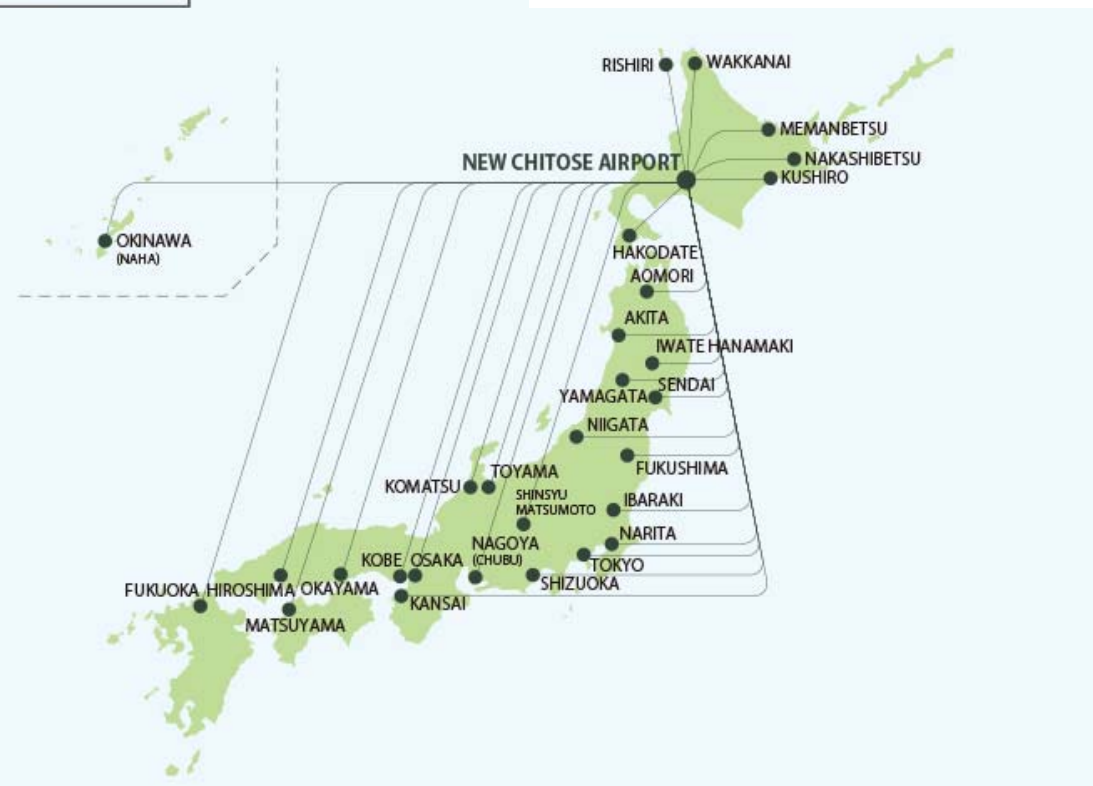




## Flight to Sapporo



Tokyo (Haneda) ⇄ New Chitose  
Annual passengers = 9,755,508 (2017)



## Overview of Sapporo

Hokkaido is located at the northern part of the archipelago. With a population approaching nearly two million, Sapporo is the largest city and is the main commercial and business center of Hokkaido. Sapporo hosted the 1972 Winter Olympics and is famous for its Snow Festival, Sapporo beer, ramen noodles and 'Genghis Khan' a barbecued mutton. Being a new city, Sapporo has a rectangular street system with wonderful open and tree-filled boulevards.





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Location: 43°03'51"N, 141°20'49"

Daily Max temp: 21.5 °C (70.7 °F) in June, 24.9 °C (76.8 °F) in July

Daily Min temp: 12.9 °C (55.2 °F) in June, 17.3 °C (63.1 °F) in July

Sunrise in late June: 3:57am

Sunset in late June: 7:18pm





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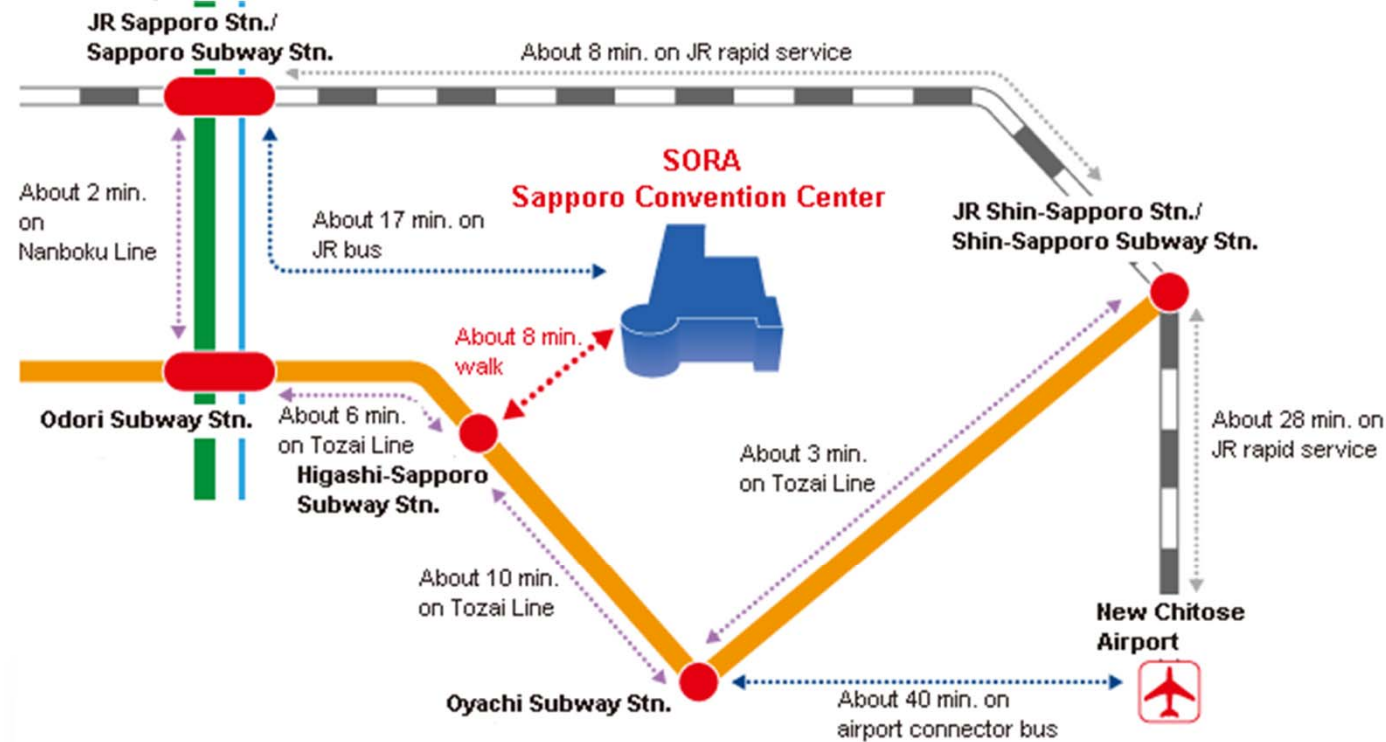
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2020  
SAPPORO**  
June 28 - July 2

Hokkaido is very famous for its delicious food





## Venue: Sapporo Convention Center



## Symposium Chairs



Hiroshi Yokota  
Hokkaido University



Dan M. Frangopol  
Lehigh University



## Conference Timetable (tentative)

	June 28 Sunday	June 29 Monday	June 30 Tuesday	July 1 Wednesday	July 2 Thursday
08:30-09:15		Opening			
09:15-10:00		TY Lin Lecture	Keynotes	Keynotes	
10:00-10:30		Coffee	Coffee	Coffee	
10:30-12:00		Keynotes	Parallel sessions	Parallel sessions	
12:00-13:00		Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	
13:00-14:45		Parallel sessions	Parallel sessions	Parallel sessions	
14:45-15:15		Coffee	Coffee	Coffee	
15:15-17:00	Registration	Parallel sessions	Parallel sessions	Parallel sessions	
17:00-18:00		17:15-18:30 General Assembly	Break	Closing	
18:00-20:00	Welcome Reception		Conference Dinner		
20:00-21:00					

Conference  
Tours



## Paper Submission

Authors will prepare eight-page papers and 1-page extended abstracts according to the Templates and Instructions of Taylor & Francis. The short abstracts, one page abstracts and papers will have to be uploaded via the official IABMAS 2020 website.

The important days for submission are as follows:

- Proposal Mini-symposia and Special Sessions – March 3, 2019
- Abstract Submission – May 1, 2019
- Notification regarding Abstract – August 1, 2019
- Full Paper Submission – November 15, 2019
- Final Paper Acceptance – December 15, 2019
- Final Paper Submission – January 15, 2020
- Early Bird Registration – February 15, 2020





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Conference Website <https://www.iabmas2020.org/>



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**We will be doing our best efforts to successfully host  
the IABMAS 2020 in Sapporo, Japan.**

**Looking forward to seeing all of you there.**

**Chairs**

Hiroshi Yokota and Dan M. Frangopol

**Conference Secretary**

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