

## SPEAKERS

### - Prof. Gunter Oberdorster

University Rochester,  
Department Environment, USA

### - Dr. Vincent Castronova

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### - Dr. Jun Kanno

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### - Dr. Roel Schins

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### - Nicklas Raun Jacobsen

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### - Dr. Kaoru Aoki

Shinshu University, Japan

### - Mr. Eiji Akiba

KURARAYLIVING Co., Ltd., Japan

## REGISTRATION

### Registration fee:

Regular: 12,000 Yen  
Students: 6,000 Yen

Registration fees for delegates are entitled to:

1. Admission to All Technical Sessions
2. Coffee break and Banquet
3. Symposium Materials

## THE PROGRAM

Lectures time: 40 - 50 min/person

Panel Discussion: 90min.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Data: June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2009

Venue: Hotel Metropolitan, Nagano

Language: The official language is English.



Institute of Carbon Science and Technology



Host:

Shinshu University and  
Nagano Techno-Foundation.

Co-host:

Carbon Society of Japan,  
Nano-fiber Society of Japan

## Access to venue



## Accommodation

Hotel Metropolitan Nagano

<http://www.metro-n.co.jp>

026-291-7000

Hotel Sunroute Nagano

<http://www.sunroutehotel.jp/nagano/>

026-228-2222

Hotel Nagano Avenue

<http://www.avis.ne.jp/~avenue/>

026-223-1123

## WELCOME

We are pleased to invite you joining us for the 2nd International Workshop on CNT's Toxicology and Safety (IWCTS) to be held on June 22nd (Mon.) 2009 in Nagano, Japan. Carbon Nanotubes (CNTs) RD is shifting from research into commercial development, and their useful applications have been emerged in various fields of industries. Under the circumstance the exposure to CNTs will increase substantially and particularly in the working environment over the next few years. Although any decisive conclusion has still not been discussed on the toxicity among regulatory, it is apparently necessary to us to take into account of appropriate handling methods to avoid occurring unnecessary inhalation in working places and disposing into environment. This precautionous approach, we believe, may accomplish "Safety for Success" declared by US EPA after all. This workshop will provide broad overviews about the CNT biological evaluation results and safe methods of applications with nano-carbon materials. Invited local and overseas specialists in biological evaluations on particles give their lecturers on CNT's toxicity, which is the great and fascinating opportunity to meet with them directly. We expect various fields of stakeholders joining with us not only from the research and engineering but also medical services, regulatory and NGO/NPO, and let us discuss it there!

Morinobu Endo, Chairman  
Shinshu University

The system is open for a registration starting today, and will continue to stay open until the day of the conference. We are happy to help you with any further information.

Homepage: <http://endomoribu.shinshu-u.ac.jp/IWCTS>