

# Nanocellulose Summit 2012

The world's top scientists and large research project leaders involved with nanocellulose brought together. They will speak about each country's current status and prospects concerning nanocellulose research and industrialization.

- **October 15, 2012 (Mon.)**
- **Venue: KYOTO TERRSA** (map on the back)  
[simultaneous translation, English-Japanese]  
[admission free]  
(The speeches printed material will be charged ¥ 3,000)



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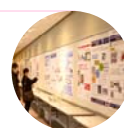
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- Swiss Federal Laboratories for Materials Science and Technology, Switzerland
- Nanocellulose Center, Technical Research Center of Finland, Finland

# Nanocellulose Summit 2012 Program

- 10:30 Opening remarks
- 10:40 Prof. A. Isogai (The University of Tokyo, Japan)
- 11:10 Prof. D. Gray (McGill University, Canada)
- 11:40 Prof. K. Oksman (Luleå University of Technology, Sweden)
- 12:10-13:30 Lunch break
- 13:30 Prof. L. Berglund (Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden)
- 14:00 Dr. T. Zimmerman (Empa, Switzerland)
- 14:30 Ms. P. Qvintus (VTT, Finland)
- 15:00-15:30 Break
- 15:30 Dr. A. Laukkanen (UPM, Finland)
- 16:00 Dr. R. Berry (CelluForce, Canada)
- 16:30 Prof. H. Yano (Kyoto University, Japan)
- 17:15 Concluding remarks

## Nanocellulose Poster Exhibition



### Applications and Inquiries:

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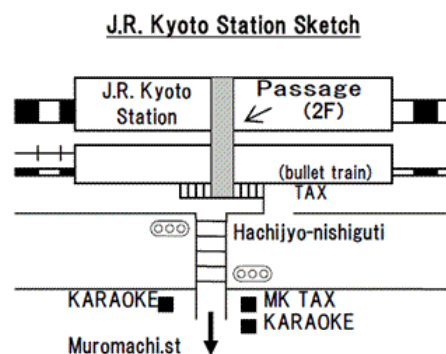
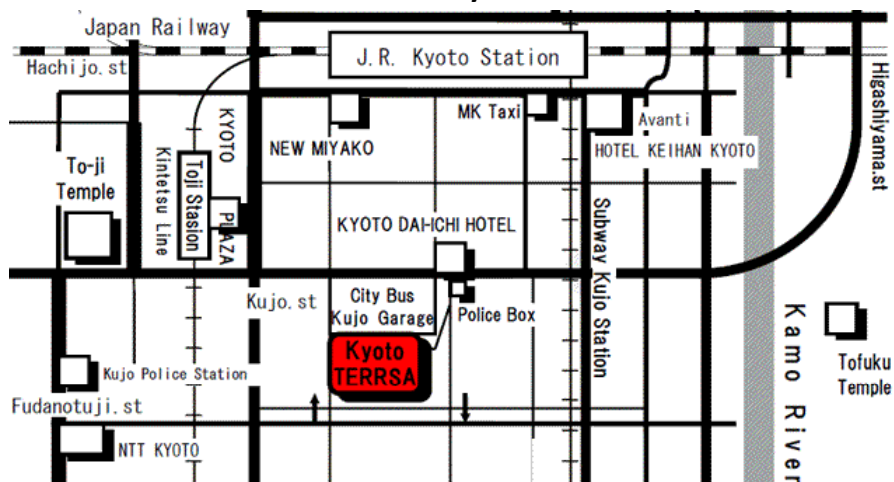
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## Kyoto TERRSA

15 minutes walk from J.R. Kyoto Station



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