

「Smart Manufacturing Summit by Global Industrie Visitor Registration in now open」



From Wednesday 13 to Friday 15 March 2024, **“Smart Manufacturing Summit by Global Industrie”** will be held at Aichi Sky Expo (Aichi International Exhibition Centre).

The Smart Manufacturing Summit by Global Industrie offers a unique format based on :

- Classic exhibition and demonstration areas around 6 industry categories,
- C-level speakers leading panel discussions, keynote sessions and pitches at the Business Summit,
- A Startup and Innovation corner, connecting the most promising industry startups with industry leaders, corporates, innovation ecosystems and institutional partners
- Factory tours, allowing you to deep dive into the Japanese manufacturing

Explore the 5 main areas of interest of the event and **register now!**

① : Business Summit

Lectures by world-leading companies and governments on smart manufacturing, including case studies and initiatives to realise smart manufacturing.

② : Innovation Showcase

Startups with cutting-edge technologies essential for the realisation of smart manufacturing will showcase product demonstrations and case studies.

③ : Smart Manufacturing Expo

Various products and solutions for achieving smart manufacturing will be showcased in booths.

④ : Smart Factory Demonstration

Various demonstrations for achieving smart manufacturing will be displayed.

⑤ : Smart Factory Tour

Factory tours of smart manufacturing companies in Aichi Prefecture.

You can register as a visitor in advance via the QR code below. We are looking forward to your visit!



<https://sms-gi.com/register/>

Benefits of participation

- Share your vision of smart manufacturing with business and government stakeholders from Europe and Japan.
- Understand the Japanese market and take the first steps to entering it.
- Benefit from our matchmaking solution MySMSAichi open to all participants to meet potential business partners and develop your network.
- Support innovation development and also deepen your knowledge of Industry 5.0.

Smart Manufacturing Expo

More than 150 exhibitors, including:

- Toyota Motor Corporation
- Kowa Optronics
- Dassault Systèmes
- Exotec
- Staubli
- Brother Industries
- Yamazaki Mazak Corporation

- DMG MORI
- Airbus (as a visitor)

Latest conference schedule

<https://sms-gi.com/english/summit/>

Have a first overview of the topics and speakers on the stage of Business Summit and Innovation Showcase:

[Business Summit - Main Stage]

“How to Reinforce Collaboration between Japan and Europe on Smart Manufacturing?” (Panel Discussion)

Speakers:

- Manuel HUBERT (EU-Japan Centre for Industrial Cooperation, EU-side Managing Director)
- Susumu KATAOKA (JETRO, President)
- Naohiko YOKOSHIMA (NEDO, President)

Date and time: Wednesday 13th, 10:50 - 11:35

“Converging virtual and real worlds by Virtual Twin Experiences”

Speakers:

- Philippe GODBOUT (Dassault Systèmes, Japan managing director)
- Daisuke MATSUO (Yutaka Electronics Industry, SI Engineering Department, Machining Technology Development Office and Aerospace PJ Main staff)

Date and time: Wednesday 13th, 11:50 - 12:35

“What universities and industries should do for preparing profiles required in new era- from education, recurrent learning to re-skilling” (Panel Discussion)

Speakers:

- Akihiro SASOU Ph.D. (Nagoya University, Vice President in charge of Academic Research & Industry-Academia-Government Collaboration and Professor, Education and Research Center for Flight Engineering, Graduate School of Engineering Tokai National Higher Education and Research System, Chancellor’s Adviser)
- Masaaki TERANO Ph.D. (Nagoya University, Tokai National University Organization, Director and Specially Appointed Professor, Open Innovation Promotion Office, Future Society Creation Organisation, Executive Officer, Tokai Innovation Institute Inc.)
- Osamu TABATA Ph.D. (Kyoto University of Advanced Science, Vice President, Dean of Faculty of Engineering)

Date and time: Thursday 14th, 14:00 - 14:45

“New Innovation: Co-creation (industry-academia-government collaboration) to trigger future innovations (TBC)” (Keynote Speech)

Speaker:

- Hiroaki MIYATA (Co-Innovation University Presidential Candidate (to be determined by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology in October 2024))

Date and time: Friday 15th, 10:15 - 10:45

“Smart Logistics to empower industries” (Keynote Speech)

Speaker:

- Ryu TATEWAKI (EXOTEC NIHON, Asia Pacific Managing Director)

Date and time: Friday 15th, 11:50 - 12:35

[Business Summit - International Agora]

“German Japanese Business and Technology Seminar: Advanced and Innovative Solutions in Smart Manufacturing, Robotics and AI”

Organizer: NRW.Global Business GmbH (German NRW State Trade and Investment Promotion Agency) / NRW.Global Business Japan

Speakers:

- GRIP GmbH (Enabling quick, easy and intuitive connectivity) / Laboratory for Machine Tools and Production Engineering (WZL) of RWTH Aachen University, ect.

Date and time: Thursday 14th, 14:00 - 17:10

[Innovation Showcase]

“AICHI INBOUND PROGRAM DEMO DAY

「 Bridging Corporates & Startups Frontiers - Open Innovation Collaboration Between Aichi and Singapore」 ”

Speakers:

- Aichi Prefecture Department of Innovation and Business Creation, Bureau of Economy, Trade and Industry, Overseas Cooperation Promotion Division.

Date and time: Wednesday 13th, 10:50 - 11:50

“How BPI and Aichi support foreign startups' landing in Japan”

Speakers:

- Aichi Prefecture
- BPI France

Date and time: Wednesday 13th, 14:50 - 15:50

“How to develop the startup ecosystem in regions? (TBC)” (Panel Discussion)

Speakers:

- Keiichiro KOUMURA (Mitsui Fudosan Corporation, Project Manager Head of BASE Q Operations)
- Ebata TOMOHIRO (KDDI Corporation, Deputy General Manager, Corporate Strategy Division)

Date and time: Thursday 14th, 16:25 - 17:10