

The 12th International Conference on Hypernuclear and Strange Particle Physics

-HYP2015 accompanying persons program-

Experience of Japanese culture - Kimono dressing and tea ceremony

Date: September 10th (Thu), 2015 Time: 11:45—15:30

Place: Sendai International Center (close to the HYP2015 venue and Arc Hotel Sendai)

Fee: 3,000 yen

Maximum number of participants: 8 (Reservation required. First come, first served.)

• 11:45 We pick you up at the Arc Hotel Sendai and take you to the Sendai International Center. (This program does not include lunch. Please take lunch by yourself beforehand.)

• 12:00-13:30 You dress kimono (Japanese traditional clothes) with the help of dresser staff. Ladies wear colorful silk kimono (Japanese formal dress), and gentlemen wear

"yukata", informal cotton kimono. Dressing takes about one hour for ladies. Let us take photos after you are dressed.



• 13:30-15:00 You take a short lesson for the tea ceremony and perform it (prepare, serve and drink powdered green tea in the traditional manner) in a Japanese room with your kimono on.





• 15:00-15:30 You take off your kimono and go back to the hotel.

The partner of the accompanying person (namely, the HYP2015 attendant) is welcome free of charge. He or she can join and leave anytime (for example, he or she may join only in the lunch break of the conference).

Please make a reservation by sending an email with the email title of "HYP2015 kimono-tea" to: hyp2015secretary@lambda.phys.tohoku.ac.jp and telling us the name(s) of the participant(s) of this program and the name of the HYP2015 attendant. Note that the registration is accepted on a first come, first served basis. Please pay 3,000 yen in cash (Japanese yen) at the registration desk of the conference on arrival.

We are looking forward to your participation.