



16th CIMAC CASCADES

Seminar for younger engineers

OKAYAMA

November 10, 2026

**Desired Requirements for Future Power Systems:
Green, Efficiency, Reliability and Digitalization**



**Case Studies In Combustion engine Applications
and Design Experiences**

in cooperation with



INVITATION

Dear friends of CIMAC,

CIMAC and its Japanese National Member Association (JICEF, Japan Internal Combustion Engine Federation) are pleased to invite you to the 16th CIMAC CASCADES event which will be held on:

DATE: Tuesday, 10th November, 2026

TIME: 09:00-17:00 (Tentative)

VENUE: Okayama Convention Center, Okayama City
14-1, Ekimotomachi, Kitaku, Okayama 700-0024, Japan
<https://www.mamakari.net/en/>

This CIMAC CASCADES event offers the opportunity for younger engineers to meet with leading industry experts to exchange information and network together. The objective is to encourage and inspire students and recently graduated engineers to realize their goals in an engineering career.

The core event will be presentations (Number of presentations is TBA) by younger engineers to describe their projects, how they tackled them, the difficulties they encountered and the outcome. The theme around which the presentations will be based is

“Green, Efficiency, Reliability and Digitalization”.

The younger engineer who gives the outstanding presentation will receive the CIMAC CASCADES AWARD.

On Monday, 9th November, there will be a factory tour and a social evening to enable you to meet, and share your experiences, with your contemporaries and established industry experts. You are invited to:

- Tour of MITSUI E&S Tamano Factory, start at about 14:00 (Tentative)
- Welcome reception and dinner in Tamano

We look forward to seeing you at CASCADES 2026 in Okayama.



Yasuyuki Takahata
President of Japan Internal Combustion Engine Federation
(CIMAC Japanese National Member Association)

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CALL FOR PAPERS

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Deadline for the abstract: 15th May, 2026
Acceptance notification: 16th June, 2026
Deadline complete paper: 11th October, 2026



Number of papers presented at 16th CASCADES: 10 (Decided by abstract review)

Application materials: Abstract: Abstracts may be sent to the following mail address until the 15th May 2026

Submit your abstract to: cascades2026okayama@jicef.org

The abstract must be 500 – 750 words long. Try to answer these questions:

1. Include the following at the beginning:

- Ⓐ Title of the paper to be presented
- Ⓑ Author name(s), affiliation(s)
- Ⓒ e-mail address (of the main author)

2. What is the subject of your paper? : (Select from the above themes)

3. What method(s) do you use?

4. What data do you use? Explain the data using the two most important graphs.

5. What findings will be discussed?

Feel free to skip introductory parts and get right to the point of you abstract!

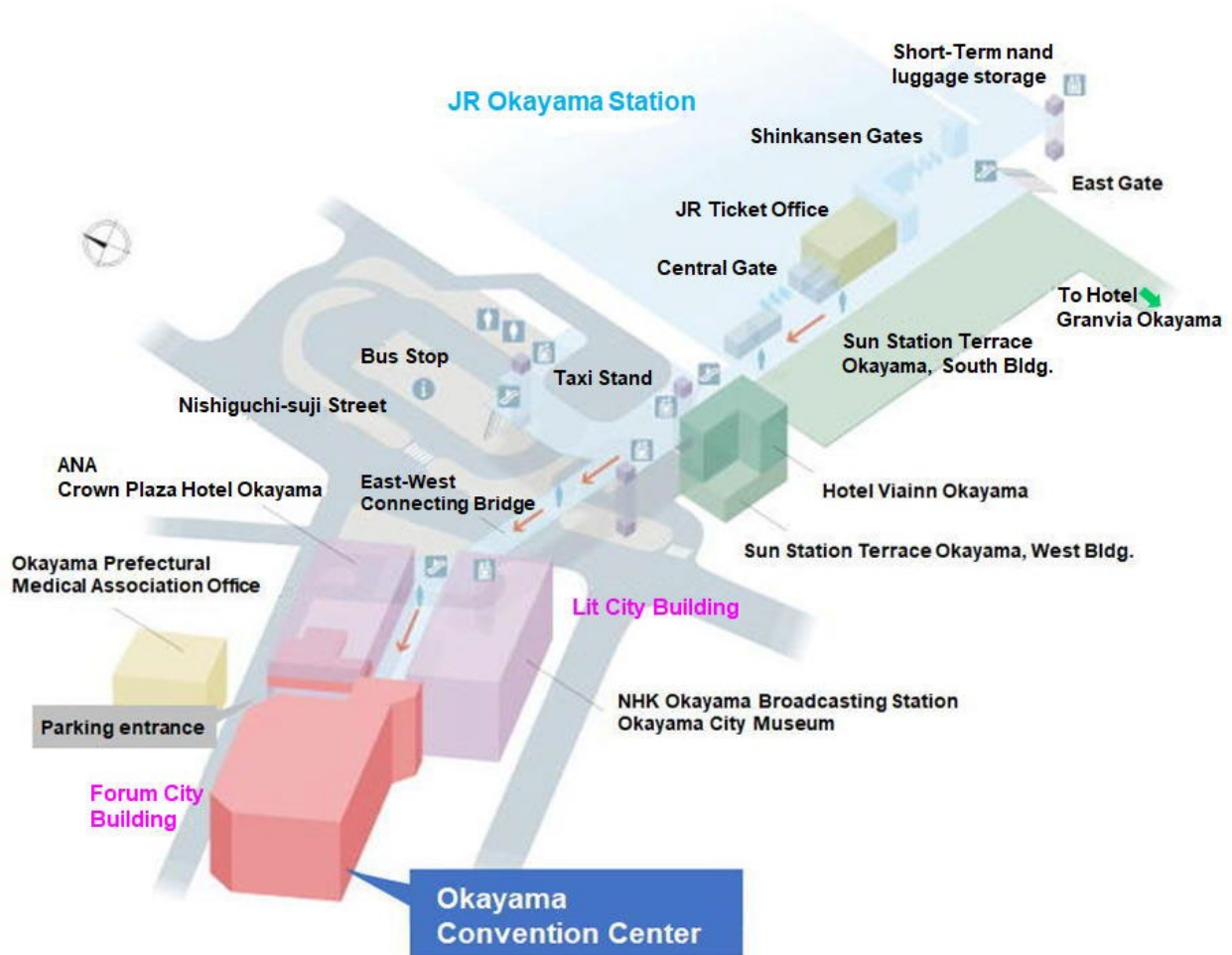


GENERAL INFORMATION

Hotel Accommodation

We kindly ask you to book your hotel directly through “Hotel Booking websites”. “Hotel Viainn Okayama”, “ANA Crown Plaza Hotel Okayama” or hotels around “Okayama Station (JR Line)” are recommended.

How to reach the Okayama Convention Center from JR Okayama Station



3 min. on foot from the central gate at JR Okayama Station

Okayama Convention Center is very close to JR Okayama Station. You exit Okayama Station from the central gate and walk along the pedestrian walkway to the west side, you will find the Okayama Convention Center in front of you.

How to reach JR Okayama Station from the Airports

Between Okayama Momotaro Airport and JR Okayama Station

Okayama Momotaro Airport

From Shanghai Pudong International Airport:*

Approx. 3 hr 10 min

From Incheon International Airport:*

Approx. 1 hr 30min

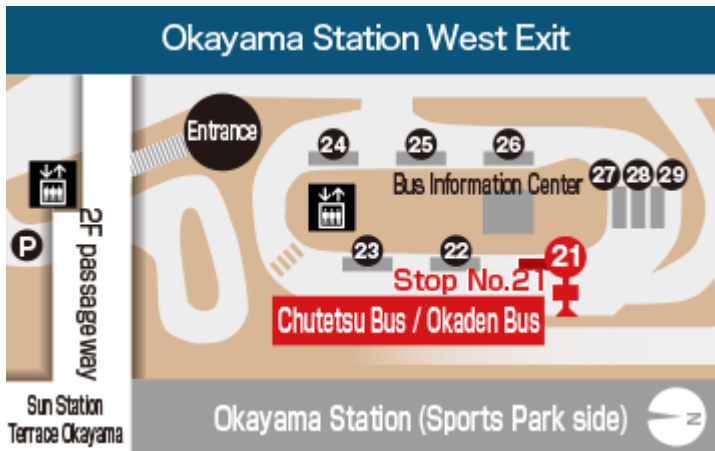
(*:Please note that the above flights are not operated daily.)

Okayama Momotaro Airport to JR Okayama Station

BUS Stops at Okayama Momotaro Airport



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Between Kansai International Airport and JR Okayama Station

Kansai International Airport to JR Okayama Station

1. Train (Shinkansen + Limited Express "Haruka")

Route:

Take the Haruka Express from Kansai Airport Station to Shin-Osaka, then change to the Shinkansen at Shin-Osaka station and go to Okayama station.

Travel Time: Approximately 2.5 to 3 hours

Fare: Approximately 9,000 yen and up
Transfers: 1



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