

# ARSC NEWS

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## 1. Election Result for Managing Committee

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The election for the managing committee members of ARSC was held by the mail-in voting period ended on March 16, 2014 . The below is the list of new members. The term for the new members is from April 2014 to March 2016

Asao Ando (Tohoku Univ.) , Tatsuhito Kono (Tohoku Univ.) , Morito Tsutsumi (Univ. of Tsukuba) , Makoto Okumura (Tohoku Univ.) , Takaaki Takahashi(UNiv. of Tokyo), Dao-Zhi Zeng(Tohoku Univ.) , Yasusada Murata(Nihon Univ.), Takashi Akamatsu(Tohoku Univ.), Ryusuke Ihara(Asia Univ.), Makoto Tsukai(Hiroshima Univ.), Hajime Takatsuka(Kagawa Univ.), Tomoya Mori(Kyoto Univ.), Yasuhiro Sato(Osaka Univ.), Hikaru Ogawa(Nagoya Univ.), Toru Naito(Tokushima Univ.), Hirokazu Tatano(Kyoto Univ.), Yoshihiro Kameyama(Saga Univ.), Atsushi Koike(Kobe Univ.)  
(20 members)

## 2. The 28th Annual Meeting of ARSC

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The 28th Annual Meeting will be organized under the direction of Associate Professor Roki Iwahashi(University of the Ryukyus), who heads the organizing committee. Pertinent information is summarized below.

<https://sites.google.com/site/arsc2014naha/>

**Dates:** November 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>, 2014

**Place:** Okinawa Sangyo-Shien-Center (Okinawa Industry Support Center)

(Naha-City, Okinawa, Japan)

Access; <http://www.okinawa-sangyoshien.co.jp>

**Registration Fee:** Members and Others; 2,000yen  
Student members; free

**Deadline for registration:** November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2014

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## 3. Balance Sheet for Fiscal 2013

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Balance sheet for fiscal 2013 is summarized as below. Details will be reported in the next issue.

(10,000 Jpn.Yen)

Credits		Debits	
Balance brought	558	RURDS publication costs	354
Membership dues	532	ARSC Journal publication	58
Meeting registration fees	88	Annual meeting costs	132
others	9	Remittance to RSAI	32
		General administrative costs	103
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>1187</b>	<b>Total Debits</b>	<b>679</b>
		Balance carried forward	508

#### **4. Call for Papers from the ARSC Journal**

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Yoshiaki Osawa, Chief Editor

At present, the editorial board of “Journal of Applied Regional Science” calls for papers to enrich the contents of our Journal. The Journal will be published once or twice a year. Anytime our board will accept your application and will assign some referees to each subscribed paper. Contact us, the editorial board, by Mail or E-Mail. (Address is below.) (See ARSC Home-page, <http://www.arsc.org/>)

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#### **5. Report of the ARSC Managing Committee**

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The first meeting of the ARSC Managing Committee was held on May 31, 2014, at Kyoto. The points of discussion are summarized in the below. If you are interested in some particular topics, please contact with the Secretariat by e-mail.

\* Election result for the Managing Committee (reported in this issue).

\* Balance Sheet of Fiscal 2013(reported in this issue).

\* Sakashita Prize

Members of the selection committee for the 2014 Sakashita Prize are shown as below.

Kiyoshi Kobayashi (Kyoto University), Nobuaki Hamaguchi (Kobe University), Dao  
-Zhi Zeng (Tohoku University),

Ryohei Nakamura(ARSC President)、Se-il Mun(ARSC Vice President)

\* Publication of RURDS

Editing manager reported that publications of RURDS, in this year, would be made three times, and annual growth of access to RURDS (online article downloads) had been increasing remarkably from so many countries.

\*Publication of ARSC journal

Editing manager of ARSC journal reported that the journal No.18 would be published in August or September.

(No.18 has published in October.)

\* ARSC Annual Meeting (reported in this issue)

## **6. Report from Secretariat**

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### **\*ARSC member counts**

As of October 31, 2014, we have 494 personal members (434 ordinary members, 54 students, 6 oversea members), and 6 corporate members.

If you know someone who is interested in the fields of research related to regional science, whether personal or a group, please recommend them to join the ARSC. You can always obtain the application forms for personal membership from our Web site (<http://www.arsc.org/arscform-e.html>).

### **\*The Fourth Asian Seminar in Regional Science**

The Seminar has been held on Aug.5-7 at Seoul National University (Seoul, Korea). On the seminar, 3 keynote speeches and 54 presentations has been made.. From ARSC, 28 members has participated in the Seminar.

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## The 28<sup>th</sup> ARSC Meeting Registration Form

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Name:	Affiliation:
Postal Address:	
TEL:	FAX:
E-mail:	

- (1) Conference on November 29  
( ) Attend ( ) Do not attend
- (2) Conference on November 30  
( ) Attend ( ) Do not attend
- (3) Reception on November 29, 19:00 ~  
( ) Attend ( ) Do not attend
- (4) General Meeting on November 29, 17: 30 ~ 18: 10  
( ) Attend ( ) Do not attend

Please send this form to

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■ If you will not attend the ARSC general meeting on November 29, 2014, Please fax or email the letter of attorney to the Organizing Committee by November 20. .

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Name :
Affiliation :

### Letter of Attorney

I will not attend the general meeting of the the Applied Regional Science Conference on November 29 2014, I leave all the decisions to ( ).

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_