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1. Election Result for Managing Committee

The election for the managing committee members of ARSC was held by the mail-in voting period ended on March 11, 2016. The below is the list of new members. The term for the new members is from April 2016 to March 2018

AKAMATSU, Takashi (Tohoku Univ.), ASADA, Yoshihisa (Nihon Univ.),
ARITA, Tomokazu (Univ. of Tsukuba), ITOH, Ryo (Tohoku Univ.),
OTA, Mitsuru (Univ. of Tsukuba), KIDOKORO, Yukihiro (GRIPS),
KONO, Tatsuhito (Tohoku Univ.), TAKAHASHI, Takaaki (Univ. of Tokyo),
TABUCHI, Takatoshi (Univ. of Tokyo), NAKAJIMA, Kentaro (Tohoku Univ.),
YAMAZAKI, Fukuju (Nihon Univ.), OMORI, Tatsuya (Chukyo Univ.),
KAWASAKI, Akio (Kagoshima Univ.), KURODA, Tatsuaki (Nagoya Univ.),
KOIKE, Atsushi (Kobe Univ.), SATO, Yasuhiro (Univ. of Tokyo),
TAKATSUKA, Hajime (Kagawa Univ.), TAKAYAMA, Yuki (Kanazawa Univ.),
NAITO, Tohru (Doshisha Univ.), MATSUSHIMA, Kakuya (Kyoto Univ.)

(20 members)

2. The 30th Annual Meeting of ARSC

The 30th Annual Meeting will be organized under the direction of Professor Nobuaki Hamaguchi (Kobe University), who heads the organizing committee. Pertinent information is summarized below.

< <https://sites.google.com/site/arsc2016kobe/> >

Dates: November 26th and 27th, 2016

Place: Rokkodai Campus, Faculty of Engineering Kobe University
(Kobe-City, Hyogo, Japan)

Access : <http://www.eng.kobe-u.ac.jp/accessmap/index.html>

Registration Fee: Members and Others; 3,000yen
Student members; 1,000yen

Deadline for paper submission: September 16th, 2016

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3. Balance Sheet for Fiscal 2015

Balance sheet for fiscal 2015 is summarized as below. Details will be reported in the next issue.

(Millions of Yen)

Credits		Debits	
Balance brought	448	RURDS publication costs	340
Membership dues	485	ARSC Journal publication	84
Meeting registration fees	127	Annual meeting costs	129
others	3	Remittance to RSAI	23
		General administrative costs	99
Total Credits	1063	Total Debits	675
		Balance carried forward	388

4. Call for Papers from the ARSC Journal

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/en/index.html>)

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5. The 6th Asian Seminar in Regional Science

The 6th Asian Seminar in Regional Science will be held at Sendai city (Japan). Pertinent information is summarized below.

Dates: September 24th ~26th , 2016

Place: Graduate School of Information Sciences, Tohoku University
(Sendai city, Japan)

Access : <http://www.is.tohoku.ac.jp/en/introduction/access.html>

Please refer to the following link for more information.

WEB: <<http://www.arsc.org/en/index.html>>

6. Report of the ARSC Managing Committee

The first meeting of the ARSC Managing Committee was held on May 21, 2016, at Tokyo. 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 2015 (reported in this issue).

* Sakashita Prize

Members of the selection committee for the 2016 Sakashita Prize are shown as below.

Dao-Zhi Zeng (Tohoku University), Hirokazu Tatano (Kyoto University),
Yukihiro Kidokoro (GRIPS), Se-il Mun (ARSC President),
Asao Ando (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.20 would be published in this autumn.

* ARSC Annual Meeting (reported in this issue)

7. Report from Secretariat



* ARSC member counts

As of June 20, 2016, we have 502 personal members (436 ordinary members, 55 students, 6 oversea members), and 5 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>).

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