## **EXAT 2023 Technical Program**

Day 1: Wednesday, 17 May

09:00-09:15 Opening Remarks

Kunimasa Saitoh (EXAT 2023 General Chair, Hokkaido University)

Session W1 (09:15-10:45) Presider: Masataka Nakazawa	
09:15-10:15 W1.1 Plenary	Roland Ryf (Nokia Bell labs) Space Division-Multiplexing: The road to commercialization
10:15-10:45 W1.2 Invited	Ben Puttnam (NICT) Wideband, High-Throughput and Long Distance Transmission in SDM Fibers

10:45-11:15 Break

	Session W2 (11:15-12:15) Presider: Yuichi Matsushima
11:15-11:45	Mikael Mazur (Nokia Bell Labs)
W2.1 Invited	Real-Time MIMO DSP for Coupled-Core Fiber Transmission
11:45-12:15	Daiki Soma (KDDI Research, Inc.)
W2.2 Invited	Multi-core Fiber Transmission with Essential Optical Components for Realizing Large-capacity Optical Submarine Cable Systems

12:15-13:15 Lunch

	Session W3 (13:15-14:15) Presider: Masatoshi Suzuki
13:15-13:45 W3.1 Invited	Chongjin Xie (Alibaba Infrastructure Service, Alibaba Cloud) Scaling Optical Interconnects for Hyperscale Data Center Networks
13:45-14:15 W3.2 Invited	Yun C. Chung (KAIST) Multiplexing Technologies for Next-Generation Datacenter Networks

14:15-15:45	Poster Session
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16:00-21:00

Reception (Matsue Vogel Park)

Day 2: Thursday, 18 May

Session T1 (09:00-10:30) Presider: Masanori Koshiba	
09:00-10:00 T1.1 Plenary	Francesco Poletti (University of Southampton) Dreams of a hollow future in optical communications
10:00-10:30 T1.2 Invited	Benyuan Zhu (OFS Laboratories) Hollow-Core-Fiber Cables for Low Latency Communications

10:30-11:00 Break

Session T2 (11:00-12:30) Presider: Masaharu Ohashi	
11:00-11:30	Pierre Sillard (Prysmian)
T2.1 Invited	Simple Multi-Core Fiber Fabrication Method
11:30-12:00	Masanori Takahashi (Furukawa Electric)
T2.2 Invited	Ultralow-loss uncoupled multicore fiber
12:00-12:30	Leslie A. Rusch and Sophie LaRochelle (Univ. Laval)
T2.3 Invited	Ring-Core Fibers for OAM Mode Propagation

12:30-13:30 Lunch

Session T3 (13:30-15:00) Presider: Yasuo Kokubun	
13:30-14:00	Kohki Shibahara (NTT Network Innovation Laboratories)
T3.1 Invited	Long-Haul Transmission over Standard-Cladding Weakly-Coupled SDM Fibers
14:00-14:30	Chiara Lasagni (Università degli Studi di Parma)
T3.2 Invited	The ergodic GN Model for SDM transmission systems
14:30-15:00	Luca Palmieri (Univ. Padova)
T3.3 Invited	Distributed Characterization of Coupled and Uncoupled Multicore Optical Fibers

15:00-20:00 Excursion & Banquet (Adachi Musium of Art and Yushien Garden)

Day 3: Friday, 19 May

	Session F1 (09:00-10:30) Presider: Yoshinari Awaji
09:00-09:30	Leif K. Oxenløwe (Technical University of Denmark)
F1.1 Invited	Spatial Distribution of Data Capacity as a Means to Reduce Number of Repeaters in ULH Links
09:30-10:00	Takayoshi Mori (NTT Corporation)
F1.2 Invited	Planar Lightwave Circuit Device for Spatial Mode Multiplexing Transmission
10:00-10:30	Yves Jaouën (Telecom Paris, Institut Polytechnique de Paris)
F1.3 Invited	EFFLAM Project: from 12-Core Erbium-Ytterbium Fiber amplifier design to SDM transmissions applications

10:30-11:00 Break

Session F2 (11:00-12:30) Presider: Yutaka Miyamoto	
11:00-11:30	Ezra Ip (NEC America)
F2.1 Invited	Future Application of Fiber Infrastructure – From Data Transmission to Fiber Sensing
11:30-12:00	Peter Andrekson (Chalmers University of Technology)
F2.2 Invited	High-Speed Optical Communication with Very Low Received Signal-to-Noise Ratio

12:00-12:15 Closing Remarks