

PASC (Pacific Area Standards Congress) Annual General Meeting 2018 was held in Okayama

The 41st PASC Annual General Meeting (AGM) was held in Okayama, Japan from 15-18 May 2018 with about 150 participants from 20 countries.

At the Workshop prior to the AGM, participants discussed the theme of "Standards for Human Centered Society – How can international standards contribute to achieve UN's SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals)?" and compiled action plans as PASC.

JSA offered Japanese "OMOTENASHI-hospitality" to the participants through a whole meeting operation and support, and arrangement of the technical visits in the last day as well as sponsoring a welcome cocktail.

At a GALA Dinner hosted by JISC (Japanese Industrial Standards Committee), Japanese Member Body to ISO and IEC, Mr. Hiroo Wakai, Senior Director of JSA / ISO Council Member of JISC was awarded a Meritorious Service Award for significant contributions to PASC from 2000 to 2018.

Next PASC AGM 2019 will be held at Wellington, New Zealand from 9-11 April 2019 hosted by SNZ(Standards New Zealand). The theme for the Workshop and AGM 2019 is "Standards and Regulatory Stewardship".



(Pic1. PASC Annual General Meeting 2018 in Okayama)



(Pic2. GALA Dinner at Okayama Castle)



(Pic3. Awarding ceremony of Meritorious Service Award for significant contributions to PASC from 2000 to 2018)



(Pic4. Welcome cocktail hosted by JSA)



(Pic5. PASC Workshop)