



A decade has passed since MIT announced the concept of OpenCourseWare to the public and three years has passed since OCW Consortium has been established as registered Non-profit Organization. Nowadays more than 250 universities have published more than 18,000 courses from all over the world. Especially various activities related to Open Education have been emerging in many Asian Countries in recent years. In November 2009 “The 1st Asia Regional OCW Conference 2009” was held as the first conference in Seoul, Korea hosted by Korea University and in November 2010 “The 2010 Asia Regional OpenCourseWare and OpenEducation Conference” was held as the second conference in Taipei, Taiwan hosted by Taiwan OCW Consortium (TOCW). Through those conferences we could share the experiences, know-how and challenges accumulated in Asian countries. Now we would like to invite many proposals to the 3rd conference, 2011 Asia Regional OpenCourseWare and Open Education Conference in Tokyo, on November 7th -8th , 2011.

TOPICS OF PARTICULAR INTEREST INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO:

- OpenCourseWare country reports from regional consortia
- OpenCourseWare best practices from each university
- OpenCourseWare new challenges
- Open Education best cases
- Long-term sustainability of open education projects
- International copyright and intellectual property rights issues
- Open education policy and strategy

IMPORTANT DATES:

Abstract Submission Deadline : September 12, 2011(extended)  
Paper Status Notification: September 26, 2011  
Camera-ready Due: October 14, 2011  
For more details visit conference web site: <http://www.jocw.jp/AROOC2011/index.html>

#### Submission Information

Session proposals will be submitted through the conference website;

<https://www.easychair.org/conferences/?conf=aroc2011>

Submissions for the AROOC2011 must include a short description (140 characters) and an extended abstract (500 words) about the proposed session. If your proposal is accepted, you will have the opportunity to submit a full paper that will be published in the conference proceedings. Session proposals must be accepted in English. All presenters are required to register for the conference in advance.

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