

Information of Local Transportation

The ISSS-2009 will be held at Kansai Seminar House (関西セミナーハウス) in Kyoto, Japan.

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<http://www.academy-kansai.com/english/index.htm>

Transportation to Kansai Seminar House is shown in the websites below.

<http://www.academy-kansai.com/english/facility/maptransportation.htm>

http://www.steelscience.org/travel_transport.html

Information of transportation in Kyoto

<http://www.city.kyoto.jp/koho/eng/access/transport.html>

<Recommended transportations>

From Osaka/Kansai International Airport to Kyoto Station (関西空港から京都駅まで)

By TRAIN (電車):

Take a train of "Airport Express Haruka" (JR 特急はるか) in JR line. Two departures every hour. It takes approximately 75 min to Kyoto Station.

Map of the JR Kansai International Airport Station is as follows:

<http://www.kansai-airport.or.jp/en/access/train/index.html>

By SHUTTLE SERVICE

You can use a shuttle service by a taxi company as another option. Reservation is required for this service through the website shown below.

MK-Taxi (MK skygate shuttle service) (MK タクシー、MK スカイゲイトシャトル)

<http://www.mk-group.co.jp/english/shuttle/index.html>

From Kyoto Station (or downtown Kyoto city) to Kansai Seminar House (京都駅(京都市内)から関西セミナーハウスまで)

By SUBWAY and BUS (地下鉄とバス):

Take any subway train of “Karasuma” line (烏丸線) from your nearest station to “Matsugasaki Station”(松ヶ崎駅). A free shuttle bus will be available from the Matsugasaki Station to the “Kansai Seminar House”(関西セミナーハウス) during the Symposium, which will be operated by Kansai Seminar House. The time table is shown below. 25 passengers can get on the bus at one time. Please give priority to the participants from abroad. If you are planning to go directly to the Kansai Seminar House, it will be convenient to take a taxi from Kitayama Station (approximately 10min, 1000JPY). There are not so many taxis available at Matsugasaki Station. Ask the driver to go to “Kansai Seminar House”, showing the maps No.2 and No.3.

Time table of free shuttle bus service between Kansai Seminar House and Subway Matsugasaki Station.

From EXIT2 of Matsugasaki Station (松ヶ崎駅) to Kansai Seminar House (関西セミナーハウス)

Oct 21	Oct 22	Oct 23	Oct 24
No Service	8:00	8:00	8:00
No Service	8:30	8:30	8:30

From Kansai Seminar House to Matsugasaki Station (Only October 24)

Oct 24
12:15
12:45

By SUBWAY and TAXI (地下鉄とタクシー):

Take a subway train of “Karasuma” line (烏丸線) from your nearest station to “Kitayama Station”(北山駅). After arriving at Kitayama station, go up to the ground level from EXIT 2 (出口2). Then take a taxi to the Kansai Seminar House. (approximately 10min, 1000JPY) Ask the driver to go to “Kansai Seminar House”, showing the maps No.2 and No.3.

About Subway line:

The Kyoto Subway Line consists of two lines: south-to-north "Karasuma" Line (烏丸線) and east-to-west "Tozai" line. The two lines intersect at "Karasuma Oike" Station where it is possible to transfer the lines.

The entrance to the Subway Station is indicated by a subway sign →



Please purchase a ticket by automatic ticket machines. The fare for adults is from ¥210 to ¥340 (depending on the destination).



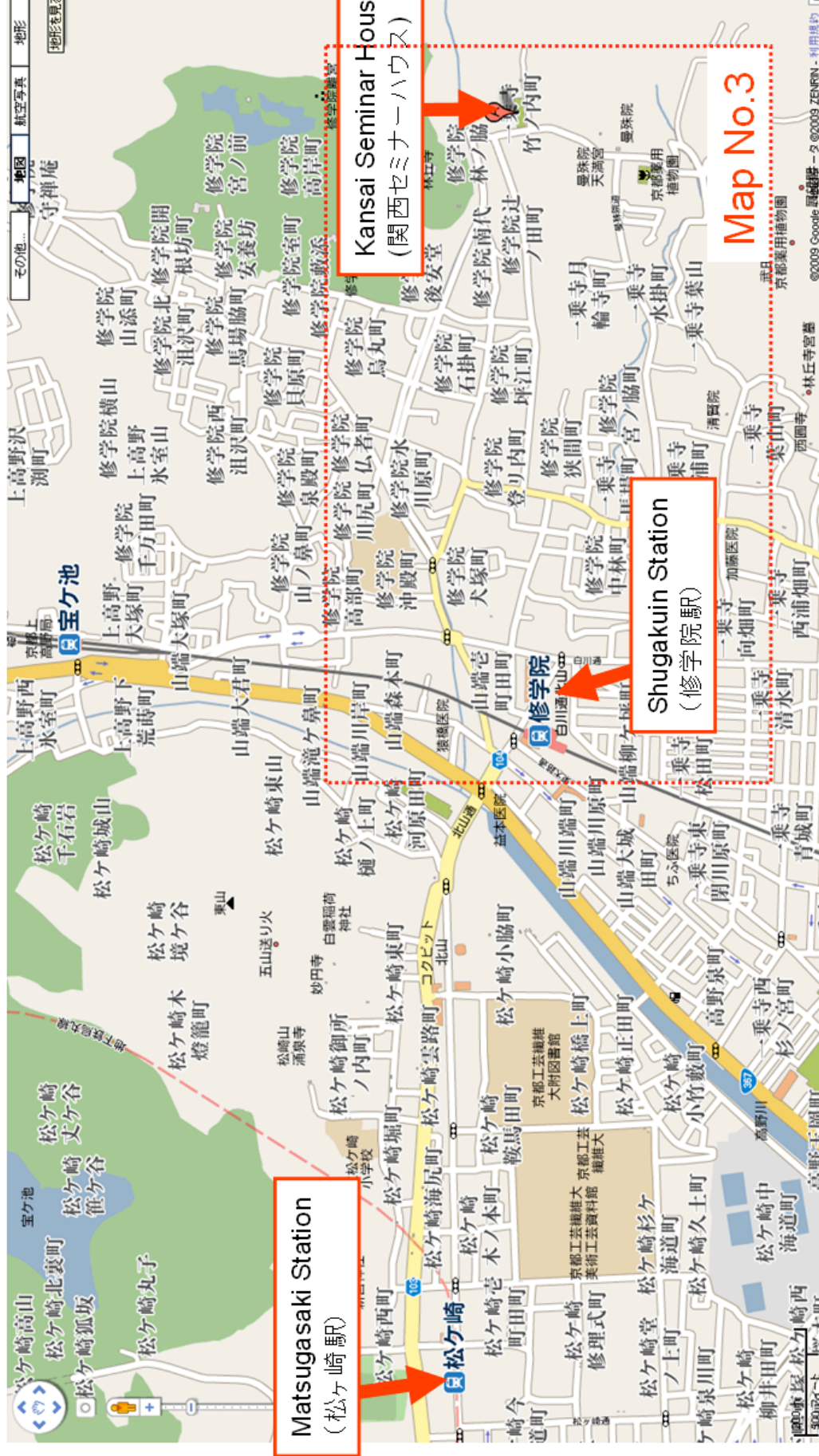
Map No. 1

Kyoto City Map

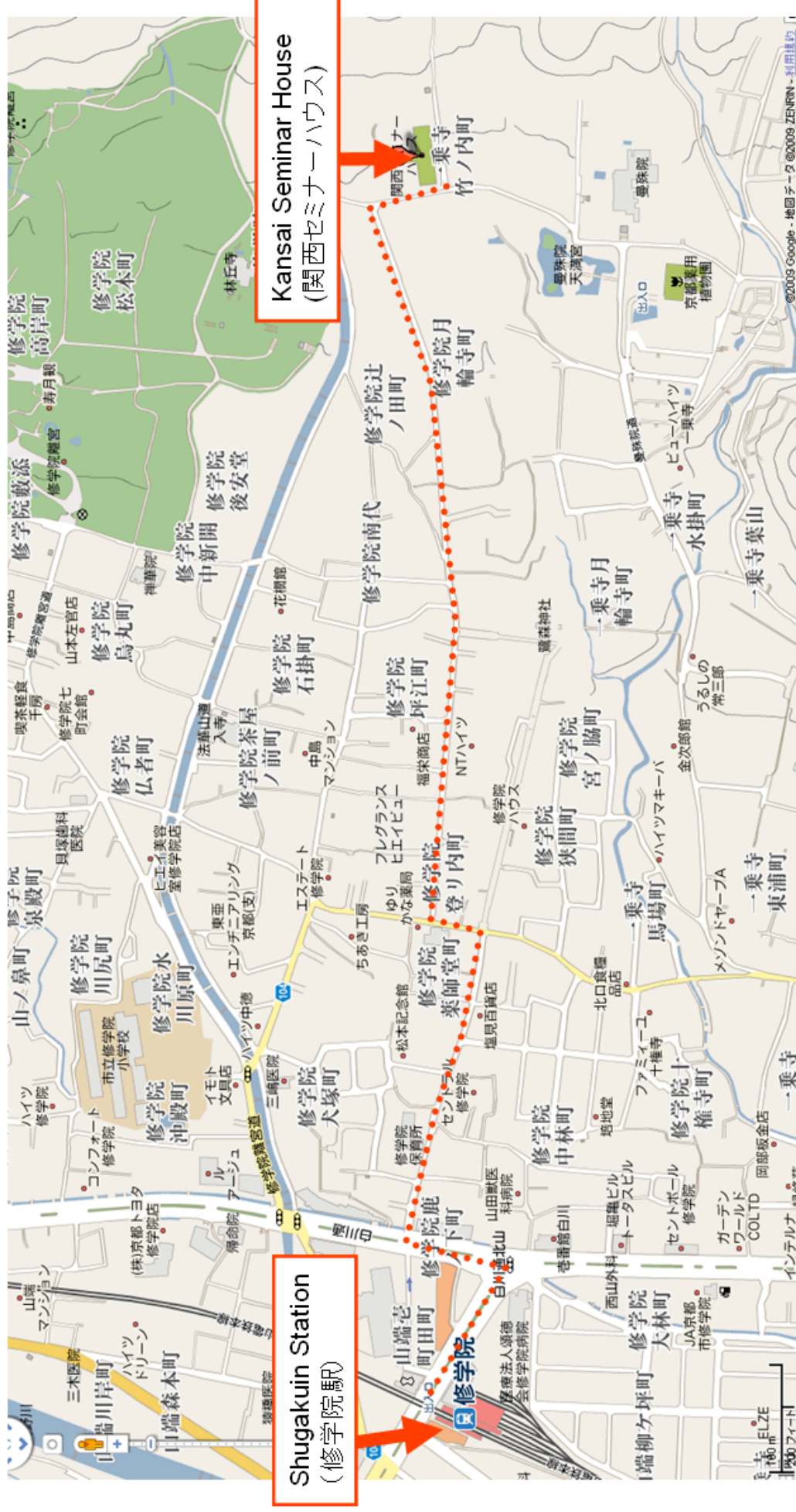


http://www.steelscience.org/travel_transport.html

Map No. 2



Map No. 3



Route from Shugakuin Station to Kansai Seminar House:

It takes approximately 20-30 minutes by walk from the station to Seminar House.