Notice from the Host

Welcome to Taiwan! Before you make your travel arrangement, we would like to remind you the following things:

1. Some of the participants will need to apply for visa to enter Taiwan. Citizens who hold passports of the following countries do NOT need visa. If you are not from these countries, please contact Taiwan's consular office in your country or email us at kaipingh232@gmail.com and we will assist you.

The nationals of the following countries are eligible for the visa exemption program, which permits a duration of stay up to 90 days: Andorra, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Republic of Korea, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, U.K., U.S.A. and Vatican City State.

The nationals of the following countries are eligible for the visa exemption program, which permits a duration of stay up to 30 days: Malaysia, Singapore.

You can find more information here http://www.boca.gov.tw/np.asp?ctNode=776&mp=2

2. For participants who come from China, please note that the host will apply for the entry permit for you. The duration is from July 7-12. We understand that some of the participants would like to come early or stay a little longer in Taiwan. Yet we are sorry that we cannot accommodate different itineraries due to Taiwan's regulation. If you plan to visit other institutions before or after the conference, please contact those institutions to apply for the permit on your behalf.

Please prepare the following documents and email them to Ms. Alissa at alissapan@ntu.edu.tw as soon as possible. It usually takes 7 to 10 working days to get the permit.

(1) Application form: please download here or see the attachment.

- (2) Certificate approving your status in your institution: this certificate should have your institution's official stamp on it. Please submit it in jpg format.
- (3) Application photo: please refer to the guideline listed at the lower left corner of page 1 on the application form. Please submit the photo in jpg format.
- 4) Identification card: please submit it in jpg format.

We would like to urge you to make your travel plan soon, including your accommodation. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us as we are more than happy to assist you. See you all soon in Taipei!