

Call for Papers



The 8th Annual Meeting of the Society for Bioacoustics

Virtual On-Line meeting

13-14 November 2021

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You are cordially invited to the 8th Annual Meeting of the Society for Bioacoustics. The meeting covers all topics on bioacoustics, i.e., basic and applied researches on sound and vibration related to animals and humans, such as hearings, sound effects on animals and humans, behaviors, neural mechanisms, models, and methodology etc. The meeting will be held **On-Line virtually through 13-14 November 2021**. The symposium on ‘Life, Sea, and Sky: Learning from the Great Disaster’ will be held during this meeting.

1 Committee Members

Chair	Ikuo MATSUO	Tohoku Gakuin University (Japan)
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Member	Shuichi SAKAMOTO	Tohoku University (Japan)
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2 Sponsors

The meeting is sponsored by the Organizing Committee of the 8th Annual Meeting of the Society for Bioacoustics. The meeting is co-sponsored by The Research Committee of Bioacoustics, the Acoustical Society of Japan.

3 Meeting Announcement and Call for Papers

Dates and time: 13-14 November, 2021.

Venue: Virtual. Registered participants will receive URL to give a talk or join the meeting.

Language: All presentations and discussions are in English or Japanese.

Presentations: Contributed papers will be presented either posters or oral presentations.

Banquet: No banquet will be organized.

Awards: Presentation awards are granted to excellent presentations. The award ceremony will be held on 14 November 2021.

3.1 Key Dates

October 15 Submission of the abstract for all presentations should be made by this date.

Presenters should be the member of our society by this date (see **section 3.2**).

October 31 Attendees should transfer their total amount of expenses by this date. The program will be announced on the Society webpage. Acceptance of contributed oral papers will be notified by this date by e-mail.

3.2 Joining the Society

You have to be a member of the Society for Bioacoustics, to present a paper at the Annual Meeting as the first author or a corresponding author. If you have not yet joined the Society, please contact the Secretariat through the Web page <<http://bacoust.org/?pageid=23&lang=en>> of the Society and apply by **15 October 2021**. The annual membership fee is as follows.

Member for an employed person	7,000 yen
Member for a postgraduate student	3,000 yen
Member for an undergraduate student	1,000 yen

3.3 Registration

Registration fees in Japanese yen are shown in the following tables, for members and non-members.

	Presenter		Non-presenter	
	member	Non-member	member	Non-member
Employed	3,000		0	5,000
Student	1,500	3,000	0	0

*A postgraduate student and an undergraduate student are allowed to present posters without the memberships, but the Society will not select non-member students for the awards (See **section 3.6**).

1. Registration form

(a) Please send your following information **via email** <[bainfo \[at\] bacoust.org](mailto:bainfo@bacoust.org)> to the

Secretariat of the Organizing Committee of the 8th Annual Meeting of the Society for Bioacoustics **by 15 October for presenters and 31 October for all participants.**

- i. Presenter or Non-presenter.
 Presenter Non-presenter (i.e., coauthors and non-presenting participants)
- ii. Your first name & last name.
- iii. Affiliation.
- iv. Mailing address, e-mail address and phone number.
- v. Member category.
 regular member student member supporting member
 non-member invited non-member student other non-member

You will receive a confirmation e-mail from the Secretariat normally within a week. If you do not get the confirmation message, please contact the Secretariat by e-mail <bainfo [at] bacoust.org>. For abstract submission, see **section 3.4.**

2. Payment for your registration

Meeting participants should transfer their total amount of expenses (fees for registration) by **31 October 2021** to the Japan Post Bank account of the Society. For meeting participants who reside in Japan, please use the following information in Japanese for domestic transmittance.

- A. 銀行名：ゆうちょ銀行
- B. 店名：七一八（読み ナナイチハチ）
- C. 店番：718
- D. 預金種目：普通預金
- E. 口座番号：1537248
- F. 口座名義：シャ）セイブツオンキョウガツカイ

For meeting participants who reside outside Japan, please use the following information in English for international remittance. Please transfer registration fees including intermediary charges (handling charges by correspondent banks) with currency of EUR or USD.

- A. Intermediary Bank:
EUR: Deutsche Bank AG Frankfurt, USD: Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas NY
- B. Intermediary Bank BIC (SWIFT Code):
EUR: DEUTDEFF, USD: BKTRUS33
- C. Beneficiary Bank: Japan Post Bank
- D. Branch: Head Office
- E. Beneficiary Bank Address: 3-1, Otemachi 2-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8793, Japan
- F. Beneficiary Bank BIC (SWIFT Code): JPPSJPJ1
- G. Beneficiary Bank CHIPS UID:
USD: 427593
- H. Payee Account Number: 17170-1537248
- I. Name of Payee Account Holder: Sha) Seibutsuonkyougakkai
- J. Payee Address: The Society for Bioacoustics, 5-3-13 Ootsuka, Bunkyo, Tokyo 112-0012
- K. Payee Telephone Number: Please ask the Secretariat by e-mail <bainfo [at] bacoust.org>

For details on international transmittance, see the website of Japan Post Bank <https://www.jp-bank.japanpost.jp/en/djp/en_djp_index.html>.

3.4 Abstract Submission

Submission of an abstract is required for all presenters before the deadline. The deadline of the abstract submission is **15 October 2021**. Please send the abstract **via email** <bainfo [at] bacoust.org>. Template file for the abstract is available from <http://bacoust.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/8th_SFBA_abstract_template_E.docx>.

All abstract including short oral presentation should be written in English. Please follow the instructions described in the WORD template. Figures cannot be included in an abstract.

The abstract must NOT exceed one page with less than 3,000 characters. The presenter has the responsibility to confirm the consent of all coauthors before checking the authorship box in the pre-registration sheet.

Please include the following items in your abstract submission form.

- vi. Presentation style
 oral poster
- vii. Languages

- English Japanese
- viii. Author name(s).
- ix. Author affiliation(s).
- x. Abstract (< 3,000 characters; Figures cannot be included)
- xi. Copyright Transfer to the Society
I agree
- xii. Authorship
All the coauthors agreed to the paper presentation
- xiii. Application for the Awards (see **Section 3.7**)
I apply I do not apply

Acceptance of contributed papers will be notified by e-mail by **31 October 2020**. Some papers applied for oral presentation may be changed to short presentation.

The Conference Proceedings will be available to the members of the Society on our web site.

3.5 Joining the Meeting

Registered presenters and attendee will receive URL to connect the meeting. ZOOM will be used for the virtual meeting system.

3.6 Presentations

Please use your own computer for presenting and listening. All participants should mute during presentation except for the presenter, chair(s) and organizers. Presentation materials should NOT use any materials protected by copyright unless otherwise permitted. Awards

Presentation awards are granted to excellent presentations. The award winners will be selected from both oral and poster presenters in English. You have to be a student member or a regular member who obtained a PhD degree within the last three years in order to apply for Awards. You have to indicate that you would like to apply for the Awards when you submit your abstract. The award ceremony will be held on 14 November 2021.

3.7 Symposium on ‘Life, Sea, and Sky: Learning from the Great Disaster’

Symposium on ‘Life, Sea, and Sky: Learning from the Great Disaster’ will be held during this meeting by the Organizing Committee of the 8th Annual Meeting of the Society for Bioacoustics. Tentative program is shown in following table.

Opening Remarks		
Akihiro Kijima	Tohoku University	What happened in Ocean by GEJE, and How to contribute for reconstruction by Marine Science - Activity of TEAMS
Katsuyoshi Kawaguchi	JAMSTEC	Real-time seafloor earthquake / tsunami observation and social implementation method of measurement data
Hideyuki Takahashi	Tohoku Gakuin University	IoT-based Disaster Risk Reduction Support System toward Harmony between Human and Environment
Xiyue Wang	Tohoku University	From the Ruins: Predicting Child Behavior and Mental Health using Toy Block Play Data after Natural Disasters
General discussion		