

## 2nd Announcement of the 4th Japanese-Australian Workshop on Real and Complex Singularities

This is the second announcement of the 4th Japanese-Australian Workshop on Real and Complex Singularities, to be held in Kobe in the coming fall. We welcome your participation to our workshop.

### [1] Place and Period

Working Place, Rooms 4 & 5, Kobe Information Culture Building 3F  
Kobe Satellite of Hyogo University of Teacher Education (located in Kobe Harborland)  
*Working Days 22nd November – 25th November, 2011*

### [2] Title and Abstract

In case you give an one hour talk at our workshop, please send to Koike the title and the abstract by the 20th of August.

### [3] Support

For foreign participants the local expenses up to 6 days and 5 nights (21st November - 26th November) will be supported by Topology Project and Grant-in-Aid for Science Research of Ministry of Education, Science and Culture of Japan.

### [4] How to get to Kobe

Sannomiya is the city centre of Kobe. There is a limousine bus from Kansai Airport (Osaka) to Sannomiya. You may access the place of the workshop as follows:

- JR Kobe line “Kobe Station” / 8 minutes walk
- Hankyu line or Hanshin line “Kosokukobe Station” / 13 minutes walk
- Kobe City Subway “Harborland Station” / 8 minutes walk

### [5] Hotel

There are many hotels near the city centre and the place of our workshop, so you can book a hotel by yourself via Internet. However if you want, we can arrange a hotel for you, provided you will inform us of your schedule by the end of July. November is quite a busy tourist period in Kobe, so it will be difficult for us to find a proper hotel for you after July.

### [6] Conference Dinner

We are planning to hold a Conference Dinner on the 24th of November. If you like to join the dinner, please let us know by the 10th of November.

### [7] Visa

Australians can visit Japan without visa for 90 days.

### [8] Organisers:

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Koike and Paunescu are the main organisers of the workshop in the Japanese side and Australian side, respectively.

Information on this workshop will be put on the following web page:

<http://www.sci.hyogo-u.ac.jp/koike/>