

# **The 6<sup>th</sup> International Dharmakīrti Conference**

## **August 24<sup>th</sup> ~ 28<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

### **Second Circular, March 2019**

Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to announce that the well-established tradition of International Dharmakīrti Conferences – Kyoto (1982), Vienna (1989), Hiroshima (1997), Vienna (2005), Heidelberg (2014) – will continue with the 6<sup>th</sup> International Dharmakīrti Conference in Busan (South Korea) from 24<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> of August, 2020.

The Conference aims to showcase current research on all aspects of Buddhist epistemology and logic in India, East Asia and Tibet from historical, philological and/or philosophical perspectives. Papers may also address aspects of the relationship between Buddhist *pramāṇa* and other currents of thought within Buddhism. We also welcome pertinent contributions from the broader intellectual environment.

For scholars from overseas to facilitate participation in both the IABS and the Dharmakīrti conferences, the Dharmakīrti conference in Busan is scheduled a week immediately after the IABS conference in Seoul (August 16-21, 2020). The city of Busan can be easily reached by air or ship. For those attending both conferences, a limousine bus to Busan will be provided from Seoul National University on the 22<sup>nd</sup>. In addition, we shall take care to keep registration and accommodation costs as manageable as possible. Details will be announced in the second circular.

Further communication will be done by e-mail. Meanwhile, please contact us at the emails listed below for any question or request such as change of your email address.

## Schedule

1 October 2019	Deadline for registration
1 January 2020	Deadline for submission of abstracts
1 May 2020	Third circular
24-28 August 2020	Conference

### Honorary Chairs

- Shōryū Katsura
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