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# GemCon 2011

## -INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON GEMINATE CONSONANTS-

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#### JANUARY 9, 2011 (SUN) SESSION 4 (10:00-12:00)

HARUO KUBOZONO, HAJIME TAKEYASU AND MIKIO GIRIKO

(NINJAL / MIE UNIVERSITY / NINJAL) "On the 'positional effect' on consonant gemination in Japanese" Michinao Francis Matsui (Osaka Health Science University) "On Perceptual Cues of Japanese Geminate fricatives"

#### Session 5 (13:30-16:40)

**Shin'ichi Tanaka** (Kobe University) "Perception of Italian geminate consonants by Japanese speakers"

#### **ITSUE CHLOE KAWAGOE AND AKIKO TAKEMURA**

(Kyoto Sangyo University / Kobe University) "Geminate perception of English-like words by Japanese native speakers:

DIFFERENCES IN THE BORROWED FORMS OF 'STUFF' AND 'TOUGH"

### Hiroaki Kato, Mee Sonu, Keiichi Tajima,

## **REIKO AKAHANE-YAMADA, AND YOSHINORI SAGISAKA**

(NICT/ATR / WASEDA UNIVERSITY / HOSEI UNIVERSITY / ATR LEARNING TECHNOLOGY / WASEDA UNIVERSITY) "NON-NATIVE PERCEPTION AND LEARNING OF PHONEMIC LENGTH CONTRASTS IN JAPANESE: A COMPARISON BETWEEN ENGLISH AND KOREAN SPEAKERS"

JANUARY 8, 2011 (SAT) Session 1 (10:10-12:00) HIROMI OTAKA (KWANSEI GAKUIN UNIVERSITY) "THE RHYTHMIC SUBSTANCE OF GEMINATE CONSONANTS IN JAPANESE" AKIO NASU (UNIVERSITY OF TSUKUBA)

"GEMINATES IN JAPANESE MIMETICS"

Session 2 (13:30-15:20)

Toshiko Jaakkola Isei

(CHUBU UNIVERSITY / HELSINKI UNIVERSITY)

"A comparison of gemination in Finnish and Japanese"

SHIGETO KAWAHARA, MELANIE PANGILINAN, AND KELLY GARVEY

(RUTGERS UNIVERSITY)

"SPECTRAL CONTINUITY AND THE PERCEPTION OF DURATION: IMPLICATIONS FOR PHONOLOGICAL PROPERTIES OF GEMINATES" SESSION 3 (15:50-17:40)

KAORI IDEMARU (UNIVERSITY OF OREGON)

ACOUSTIC COVARIANTS OF THE JAPANESE GEMINATE/SINGLETON CONTRAST AND THEIR RELATIVE PERCEPTION"

Yukari Hirata, Shigeaki Amano

(COLGATE UNIVERSITY / AICHI SHUKUTOKU UNIVERSITY) "DURATION OF JAPANESE SINGLE/GEMINATE STOPS IN THREE- AND FOUR-MORA WORDS"