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### Advances in Reliability Theory and Engineering in Big Data Era

#### **First Announcement**

It is our great pleasure to invite you to attend and contribute to the 9th International Conference on Mathematical Methods in Reliability (MMR2015) which will take place in Tokyo, Japan, on June 1-4, 2015, hosted by the Reliability Engineering Association of Japan.

The MMR conferences provides a platform for scientists to discuss fundamental issues on mathematical methods in reliability theory and its applications. It is a forum that brings together mathematicians, probabilists, statisticians, computer scientists and also scientists from other related fields, who share a common interest in reliability. As a major international forum on reliability, it attracts numerous researchers from many different countries, including USA, Canada, South Africa, Japan, Norway, Sweden, France, Germany, Iran, Italy, Poland, UK, Russia, South Korea, Lithuania, Austria, among several others from all across the world.

This ninth conference of the MMR series will be held at Tokyo Campus of University of Tsukuba, which is located in the center of Tokyo. Tokyo enjoys a long history of prosperity as Japan痴 capital since 1603, when leyasu Tokugawa established his shogunate and named the city Edo. Today, with a population of about 13 million, it has grown into the largest of the 47 prefectures of Japan and indeed one of the greatest metropolis in the world. Tokyo is the center of various activities in Japan including politics, economy, and culture.

MMR2015 aims at enhancing international exchanges, at promoting advances in reliability theory and reliability engineering, and at presenting a platform for scientists to discuss emerging issues in reliability engineering and their applications. We sincerely hope you will join us and participate in this event and contribute to its success!

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#### **Key Dates**

30 November 2014

Invited session proposal deadline

31 December 2014

Extended abstract submission deadline

2 February 2015

Confirmation and acceptance of extended abstracts

1 April 2015

Program announcement

1 - 4 June 2015

MMR2015 Conference

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