Dear SSSR Friends and Colleagues,

We finally have a final conference program posted online. No more changes are expected. If there are any, they will be announced in Hong Kong on the day. Please note that we will NOT give you printed programs at registration. Rather, as in other years, we expect that you will bring your own printed program with you. So please print it now!

Here are a few other final random tips:

Please remember both an umbrella and a sweater/jacket. Though it is typically hot outside, inside, air-conditioning can be too cold at times.

When you arrive in Hong Kong, if your hotel is close to the University, do NOT take the airport train. Take a bus or a taxi. The train is wonderful but will not take you where you want to go. For most of you, the COLOR of the taxi you will need to take is GREEN (not blue or red).

Don't forget to skim our online brochure on Hong Kong travel ideas/trips. Most of you should probably get an Octopus card, which can be used for all trains and buses and some ferries, if you are planning to move around the city via public transport, which is among the most convenient and cheapest in the world.. This card is nice because it can be used as a cash card for small things at convenience and grocery stores too. On the website there are also some key phrases in Chinese that you might want to bring just in case you need to communicate with a taxi driver who doesn't speak English.

PLEASE come to the opening ceremony. We will have snacks before it begins officially (4:30-- snacks from 3:30) and more snacks and wine afterwards.

Finally, below my signature here, please find detailed information on the computer/IT necessities for the conference. We will have some IT support available about 10-15 minutes before each symposium. Please get there early if you are presenting to make sure all is running smoothly. For most of these venues, we also have internet connections, just in case you need that. Times for talks should be STRICTLY adhered to.

I look forward very much to seeing all of you in Hong Kong!

Best wishes,
Cammie McBride for SSSR

COMPUTER DETAILS
 The computer configurations we support in the venue are as follows:


Operating System

- Microsoft Windows 7 Enterprise Edition 32-bit Version with Service Pack 1 (Traditional Chinese & English)

### Office Application

- Microsoft Office 2010 Professional Plus

- Microsoft Office Visio 2010 Viewer

### Internet Browser, Internet Application & Plug-ins

- Internet Explorer 8 with CUHK Root CA Certicicate and HK Post Root CA Certificate

- Mozilla Firefox 10 or later with CUHK Root CA Certicicate and HK Post Root CA Certificate

- Google Chrome 17 or later with CUHK Root CA Certicicate and HK Post Root CA Certificate

- Java 2 Runtime Environment 6.0 Update 23 or later

- Macromedia Flash Player 11

- Macromedia Shockwave Player 11

### Video Player

- Microsoft Windows Media Player 11

- RealPlayer 15

- QuickTime Player 7

- PowerDVD DX 8.2 OR Roxio DVD Player OR Windows DVD Player(depends on the OEM license)

- K-Lite Codec Pack 8 or later

### File Management

- SSH Secure Shell Client 3.2.9

- WinZIP 11.2

- WinRAR 4.01

- WS FTP LE


## Document Viewer

- Adobe Reader X or later

- Autodesk Design Review 2012

- GhostScript 9.05

- GSview 5


## Others

- Xilinx ISE 13.4

- Kaspersky Anti-Virus

- Roxio EasyCD Creator 5 OR Sonic DigitalMedia Plus v7 (depends on the OEM license)

- Xpress Audience Response System

- R Project 2.12.0 or above

- VNC Viewer


## Hand-writing Software

- ScreenPainter


## Fonts

- MathType

- IPA

- 華康標準宋體

- 文鼎標準楷體

- Yet R

- 標楷體

- Charis SIL

- Ns Ipan SILSophia

- SIL Yi

- STEDT

- Chinese Pinyin

- Doulos SIL


Additional Software for Multimedia Language Laboratory

- Praat 5.3.1.0

- Wavesurfer 1.8.8p4

- Speech Tools 2.2

- MBROLA

- DMDX

- UPSID-PC

- Phonetic Keyboard


For Apple or MacBook users, it will be the most appropriate to bring along the necessary adapters and plug-ins for presentations.

Please do kindly make any necessary adjustments to documents or presentations to suit the above computer configurations at the venue, as these preparations will help prevent any technical difficulties during the event and ensure a smooth running conference.

In addition, the website below provides further information on other technology services that are available:
[www.avsu.cuhk.edu.hk/hd/om.html](http://www.avsu.cuhk.edu.hk/hd/om.html)