

## **Submit your white paper today for CHIKYU+10!**

White papers for CHIKYU+10, the international workshop to discuss decadal science planning for JAMSTEC's Deep-Sea Drilling Vessel Chikyu in the context of the International Ocean Discovery Program, are now being accepted through January 31 at [www.jamstec.go.jp/chikyu+10](http://www.jamstec.go.jp/chikyu+10). White papers are abstracts of talks or posters to be presented at the workshop that will form the basis of the discussion and eventual workshop recommendations. White papers can be multi-authored and are 2 pages maximum. Instructions and a format template are available on the website.

CHIKYU+10 will be held in Tokyo from April 21-23, 2012. See [www.jamstec.go.jp/chikyu+10](http://www.jamstec.go.jp/chikyu+10) for more information about workshop themes and goals.

Registration is also now open on the website. Early registration is encouraged. Interested participants affiliated with an institution in an IODP member country/consortium who require travel support to attend should check No to the question "Are you applying for travel support from JAMSTEC?" when registering and should contact their Program Member Office. Submission of a white paper is not required in order to register for the workshop, but may be helpful in securing travel support from IODP Program Member Offices.

A limited amount of travel support, focused on early career researchers and participants from developing countries, may be available from JAMSTEC directly. Interested participants in these categories should contact CDEX through the website [www.jamstec.go.jp/chikyu+10](http://www.jamstec.go.jp/chikyu+10) or apply directly on the website.