THE JOINT SUBARU-GEMINI SCIENCE CONFERENCE

May 18-21, 2009

Gemini Users Meeting
May 22, 2009

Kyoto University

The Subaru and Gemini Observatories will have a jointly sponsored science meeting. Approximately half coming from each community will meet to present research conducted at the two observatories and to explore possible collaborations.

Goals

The two primary goals of the conference are to promote a mutual understanding of both communities and to highlight the international nature of modern astronomy.

Other goals are to:

• Better understand the Subaru and Gemini instruments and science programs;
• Foster scientific collaborations;
• Define key areas of “niche science” for both observatories;
• Initiate scientific collaboration for, and with respect to, the International Year of Astronomy in 2009.

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