

# *Report from the IBR meeting*

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# *Report from the Aug. 24 IBR meeting*

- *F2F meetings:*
  - The next F2F (2 days) meeting will be (as already announced):
    - Dates: Dec. 5-6, 2018
    - Venue: NAOJ
  - Subsequent F2F (3 days) will be (as already announced); Probably in April, 2019, (probably after the completion of the installation). Venue to be decided.
  - Note: at some point we should join LVC meeting...

# *Report from the Aug. 24 IBR meeting (2)*

- *KAGRA International Workshops (KIWs)*
  - The next KIW will be (as already announced):
    - Dates: Feb. 14-16, 2019.
    - Venue: Perugia, Italy.
    - (One session might be a joint session with Virgo.)
  - Subsequent KIW will be:
    - Dates: June 21-23, 2019.
    - Venue: Wuhan, China.
  - After that:
    - Proposed: Taiwan in March 2020 (after O3).

# *Report from the Aug. 24 IBR meeting (3)*

- In IBR, we discussed the membership of the “Task force for designing the KAGRA data taking shift scheme”.
- We agreed: T. Tomaru (chair), N. Kanda, M. Ohashi, and one member each from Korea, China, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Italy(?). The member from each country will be selected.
  
- Also we had some discussions on the contribution of the non-Japanese institutions for the future upgrades. We discussed that probably MoUs are necessary...

# *Concluding remarks*

- Thank you very much for the very nice meeting.
- Our near future target is to join O3 and begin GW physics.
- Let us continue working together for joining O3.
- Many thanks to KSC board members for organizing this F2F meeting, and colleagues and staffs in Univ. of Toyama and staffs at the KAGRA Observatory for local support of this meeting.