# JETRO BIZMATCH @CEATEC JAPAN 2009



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At CEATEC JAPAN 2009, the Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO) will offer JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009 (October 6<sup>th</sup> - October 8<sup>th</sup>), a business-matching event that connects representatives from foreign firms with potential Japanese partners.

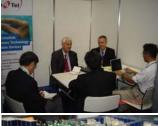
#### **About JETRO BIZMATCH**

JETRO coordinates <u>one-on-one pre-arranged business meetings</u> between program participants and Japanese companies. Meetings are arranged by JETRO staff and JETRO-appointed coordinators with expert knowledge of the Japanese market and experience in supporting foreign businesses. Companies have their own fully equipped meeting booth and access to English-Japanese interpreters. A total of 279 business meetings were held at last year's BIZMATCH, many of which led to contracts and other business arrangements.



#### **About CEATEC**

CEATEC or "Combined Exhibition of Advanced Technologies" is Asia's largest annual technology and electronics exhibition, providing a platform for companies and organizations from all over the world to showcase their cutting-edge products, services and technologies. The event also serves as key industry networking and information-gathering opportunity, with numerous seminars and other activities offered during the fair. CEATEC Japan 2008 attracted <a href="nearly 197,000 visitors">nearly 197,000 visitors</a>, with some <a href="mailto:804">804</a> exhibitors and <a href="mailto:138">138</a> seminars. For more information on CEATEC, please visit their website.





#### **Event Details (JETRO BIZMATCH)**

**Event Name**: JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009

Location: Makuhari Messe, 2-1 Nakase, Mihama-ku, Chiba, Japan

Date: October 6<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – October 8<sup>th</sup> (Thursday), 2009

(CEATEC JAPAN 2009 will take place October 6<sup>th</sup> - October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2009)

Date	Schedule for participants	
October 6 <sup>th</sup> (Tuesday)	AM: Short seminar on the Japanese ICT Market and booth setup PM: Business meetings	
October 7 <sup>th</sup> (Wednesday)	AM: Business meetings PM: Business meetings	
October 8 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	AM: Business meetings PM: Business meetings	

### **Services Provided by JETRO**

- One-on-one pre-arranged business meetings\* with potential Japanese partners.
- English-Japanese interpreting service for meetings (based on availability)
- Short seminar on the Japanese ICT market
- Free admission to CEATEC JAPAN 2009
- Publication & promotion (include listing in directory and website)

## **Participation Fee**

## FREE\*

Participation in JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009 and the above services are offered free of charge.

## **Qualifications/Requirements**

- 1. Participants must be non-Japanese firms and (all of the below)
  - i) Have a definite strategy for entry into the Japanese market
  - ii) NOT have a subsidiary or branch office in Japan
  - iii) Searching for a Japanese business partner

#### 2. Other important requirements:

- i) In general, company must not have an exclusive sales agent or a distributor. Foreign companies that already have a distributor in Japan must obtain a letter of consent from such third party and submit it to JETRO prior to or at the start of the event until application deadline.
- **ii**) Participants must be able to take part in the entire three-day event (company representatives attending the event should, ideally, be from sales and/or technology departments)
- **iii**) Participants must have tangible products, services, and technologies relevant to CEATEC JAPAN 2009. (Consulting firms, resellers/distributors and outsourcing companies are NOT eligible)

#### Technologies relevant to CEATEC JAPAN 2009 (and in which Japanese firms have the most interest)

1. SaaS/ASP	<b>6.</b> Virtualization	11. Online Security
2. Next Generation Mobile Device	7. RFID/Traceability	12. Storage System
3. Image/Speech Recognition	8. Wireless LAN/ WAN	13. Thin-Client System
<b>4.</b> Encryption Technology /Authentication System	9. Green IT	<b>14.</b> Web 2.0 (SNS included)
5. WiMaX	10. Biometrics Identification System	<b>15.</b> BI (Business Intelligence)

<sup>\*</sup> Meetings, in principle, are one hour in length and conducted in English.

<sup>\*</sup> Participants must cover other costs such as transportation, accommodation, etc.

### **How to Apply**

Submit an application form and required supplementary materials to JETRO.

After you have read and agreed to the following "General Terms and Conditions" stipulated, please complete the application form and submit it to JETRO by **email.** 

Email: POW@jetro.go.jp

Supplementary materials are as follows: (1) company brochure, (2) product literature, and (3) technical white paper (if possible). Please also send these materials to JETRO office by email or by mail.

Network of JETRO offices worldwide: <a href="http://www.jetro.go.jp/en/jetro/network/">http://www.jetro.go.jp/en/jetro/network/</a>.

Application deadline: July 16th, 2009

## **Application Schedule**

**July 16th, 2009**: Deadline for submission of application and supplementary materials

July - early August: Screening of applicants

Mid-August: Notification of accepted/non-accepted applicants

**Mid- September:** Provide participants with details on business meetings and companies

October 6th - October 8th: JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009

**January 31st, 2010:** Deadline for follow-up survey\*

\*Participants are required to complete a survey following their participation in the event.

#### **Organizer**



Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO)

## **Supporting Organizations (tentative)**

JEITA

Japan Electronics and Information Technology Industries Association (JEITA)



Communications and Information Network Association of Japan (CIAJ)



Computer Software Association of Japan (CSAJ)



Japan Electronics Show Association (JESA)

For more information, please contact:

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# GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009

- **1.** Organizer: Japan External Trade Organization ("JETRO")
- **2. Application Procedure:** Any person who desires to participate in JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009 ("**Applicant**") and agrees to these General Terms and Conditions may apply for participation therein by submitting an application form and other necessary documents ("**Application Documents**") to the nearest JETRO office, as instructed in the informational materials, no later than July 17<sup>th</sup>, 2009 ("**Application Deadline**").
- 3. Qualification: Applicants must satisfy the application requirements set forth in the informational materials. If an Applicant, through their own fault, fails to submit all of the Application Documents by the Application Deadline or if the application or Application Documents are found to be false, JETRO may reject such application or withdraw their acceptance if such fact is discovered after the Applicant has been accepted. An Applicant shall not object to any such action taken by JETRO. An Applicant shall promptly respond in good faith to any inquiries or requests by JETRO for submission of additional information with regard to their application or Application Documents.
- **4. Fees:** JETRO shall provide the Services set forth in Paragraph 7 without charge. Any other costs, including accommodation and transportation expenses, shall be borne by each participant in the JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009 ("**Participant**").
- 5. Selection: JETRO shall select Participants in a fair manner at its own discretion based upon the examination of Application Documents. JETRO shall notify each Applicant of the results by no later than August. An Applicant may not request that JETRO disclose the reasons for its selection or rejection.
- **6.** Cancellation: The Participant shall not cancel its participation after being accepted. If the Participant cancels its participation due to an unavoidable reason, the Participant shall promptly notify JETRO of such reason. The Participant shall indemnify JETRO for any damage incurred by JETRO due to such cancellation. JETRO shall not be liable to the Participant for any damages (including indirect damages) that may arise from any such cancellation.
- **7. Services:** JETRO shall arrange business meetings ("**Meeting Arrangement**") from October 6<sup>th</sup> to October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2009 during JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009 for each Participant
- **8. Meeting Arrangement:** JETRO and coordinators delegated **by JETRO** ("Coordinator") shall provi<sup>de</sup> the Meeting <sup>Ar</sup>rangement set forth in Paragraph 7 (i) above. If JETRO or the Coordinator requests that the Participant disclose information necessary for the Meeting Arrangement, the Participant shall promptly provide such information.
- **9.** Change of Meeting Arrangement: The Participant shall not change the dates of the Meeting Arrangement after the details thereof have been determined. If the Participant desires to change the Meeting Arrangement due to an unavoidable reason, the Participant shall promptly notify JETRO thereof specifying the reason therefore. JETRO shall have no obligation to accept the requested change and the Participant shall not object to the rejection by JETRO. The Participant shall indemnify JETRO for any damages incurred by JETRO due to such change. The Participant agrees that JETRO may cancel the meeting if the Participant or another party to the meeting is late for, or absent from, the Meeting Arrangement.
- 10. Follow-up survey: Each Participant shall provide JETRO with a meeting survey in the form designated by JETRO on the date the Services are provided. Each Participant shall provide JETRO with a progress survey in the form designated by JETRO within four (4) months after the completion of the Services.
- 11. Assignment: The Participant may not assign its right to receive the Services to any third party.
- 12. Discharge: JETRO shall not be liable to the Participant for any damages (including indirect damages) that may arise from the provision of the Services or the contents or results of the Meeting Arrangement. The Participant acknowledges that if JETRO is unable to hold JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009 due to a *Force Majeure* including, without limitation, a natural disaster such as an earthquake, a governmental order, enactment, change, or abolition of law, the provision of all or part of the Services may be cancelled. In such case, the Participant agrees that all of the Services provided by JETRO shall be deemed completed. If the Participant incurs any damages due to such cancellation, or if the Participant suffers or is the victim of an accident, theft or injury caused by another participant, another party to the meeting or any other person, whether due to willful misconduct or negligence, the Participant shall not make any monetary claim against JETRO for any such damages, and JETRO shall have no obligations including, without limitation, monetary, indemnification or compensation obligations with respect to any such damages.
- 13. Compliance with Schedule: Participants shall comply with the schedule as set forth in the informational materials and arrangements, made by JETRO and announced to the Participants after the date hereof. JETRO shall not be liable for any fees or costs incurred by the Participants in connection with their failure to comply with this paragraph.
- 14. Compliance with Laws: The undersigned hereby acknowledges and agrees not to provide JETRO, any agent of JETRO, any coordinator designated by JETRO or any person or entity participating in, or otherwise connected with, JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009, any information that is not publicly available or otherwise permitted to be disclosed to any party under any applicable law or regulation including, without limitation, the Economic Espionage Act of 1996 of the United States of America. The undersigned further agrees to comply with all applicable laws and regulations in connection with their application to and participation in JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009. The undersigned agrees to indemnify JETRO for any liability that may incur from the undersigned's noncompliance with this paragraph.
- 15. No Agency: The undersigned hereby acknowledges and agrees that the Coordinator described in the JETRO BIZMATCH@CEATEC JAPAN 2009 informational materials and who may approach the undersigned is not and shall not be deemed to be a representative or agent of JETRO or any other party entitled to any right and/or authority to represent JETRO or to enter into any contract or agreement by which JETRO is bound.
- 16. Governing Law: These General Terms and Conditions shall be governed by Japanese law.
- 17. Amendment to these General Terms and Conditions: JETRO may amend these General Terms and Conditions without prior notice to Applicants or Participants and it shall only be necessary to notify Applicants and Participants of the amended terms and conditions by e-mail or fax after any such amendment has been completed.
- 18. Japanese Standard Time: All dates and deadlines set forth in these General Terms and Conditions refer to Japanese Standard Time, provided, however, that the application procedure set forth in Paragraph 2 shall be subject to the standard time of the location of the JETRO office to which an Applicant applies.