

**FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT
AND
CALL FOR PAPERS
ASIAN CONFERENCE
ON
SOLAR ENERGY MATERIALS AND
SOLAR CELLS**



**14 - 16 June, 2006
KANDY, SRI LANKA**

Organized by



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Conference website :
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SCOPE

The global need for the utilization of renewable energy resources demands extensive research activities and discussions on Solar Energy Materials and Solar Cells. The Asian Conference on Solar Energy Materials and Solar Cells (ACSEMISC) will provide a platform for scientists, engineers and entrepreneurs from around the world for discussions on latest developments in Solar Energy Materials and Solar Cells.

Specific areas to be covered are :

- Novel materials for Solar Cells
- Molecular and nanostructured Solar Cells
- Inorganic Solar Cells
- Polymer Solar Cells
- Dye-sensitized Solar Cells
- Photochromic Materials
- Solar Panels and Solar Thermal devices

The conference will provide an international forum for presenting research papers and in-depth discussions by scientists from Asia and other countries on recent developments in solar energy materials, devices and their applications

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

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Tentative title of my presentation will be

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VENUE

The venue of the conference is the Postgraduate Institute of Science (PGIS), University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka.

Sri Lanka lies in the tropics, south of India. Its fascinating variety in climate and landscape, and rich cultural heritage has, for many centuries attracted travellers from all over the world. It still continues to do so offering a diversity of attractions and a way of life which combines a dynamic present with a tradition-bound past.

The PGIS is situated in Kandy, the picturesque hill capital of Sri Lanka. The temperature hovers around 25°C (75°F). Nestling midst low hills and looped by the island's longest river, Kandy is still the house of arts and crafts, music, dance and song which flourished during the reign of Kings.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS AND PAPERS

Abstracts

Those who wish to participate should submit a one-page abstract not exceeding 300 words in MS Word format as an e-mail attachment to: acsemisc@pgis.lk before **15th February 2006**. At least one author of each abstract should register for the conference.

Papers

Manuscripts should also be submitted electronically in MS word format as an e-mail attachment to acsemisc@pgis.lk before **15th April 2006**. Guidelines for preparing full papers can be found at the conference website: <http://www.acssi10.pgis.lk/acsemisc>. All accepted papers will be published as conference proceedings or in a special volume of Ceylon Journal of Science (Physical Sciences).

Important dates/deadlines

Abstracts due	:	15 th Feb 2006
Notice of acceptance	:	28 th Feb 2006
Manuscripts due	:	15 th April 2006
Registration	:	15 th April 2006
Late Registration	:	30 th May 2006

REGISTRATION

Registration Fee :

	Before 15 th April 2006	After 15 th April 2006
Regular Participants	USD 300	USD 350
Student participants	USD 200	USD 250
Accompanying Members	USD 200	USD 250

For participants the registration fee will cover the Welcome Reception, Conference Proceedings, lunch and tea/coffee during the conference period, the Banquet Dinner, local transport between the hotels and the conference venue and one sight-seeing excursion. For accompanying members the fee will cover the Welcome Reception and the Banquet Dinner.

The second announcement with details of hotel accommodation, and the tentative scientific programme will be available by March 2006.

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