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An international conference on Nano science and technology will be held as a part of National Initiative in the field of Nanomaterials initiated by Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India. This conference will bring together not only wellknown scientists from India and abroad for an in-depth discussion regarding the growth direction of this research field but also will provide a unique opportunity to the young scientists, who have recently received substantial funding through this national initiative, to interact with front-ranking scientists. We plan to have 50 active scientists from abroad and an equal number of senior and young scientists from all over the country. There will be about 60 oral presentations and 40 poster presentations during this conference and the proceedings will be published in an international journal. We also plan to organize technical presentations from various manufacturers, who are either employing nano-structured materials in their developed product or producing various research instruments. The technical sessions will cover:

Synthesis; Properties and characterization; Nanomanipulations and nano-lithography; Theoretical Studies; Applications in Biology, Catalysis, Magnetism, Electronics and other areas.

Registration Fees for Participants

- 1. Foreign \$200; Indian Rs 8000 (Includes twin-shared accommodation in Hyatt Regency Hotel)
- 2. Foreign \$50; Indian Rs 2000; Students Rs 500 (Includes guest house or hostel accommodation)
- 3. Industrial exhibition Rs 10,000 (Plus Registration)

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