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(वैज्ञानिक एवं औद्योगिक अनुसंधान परिषद)
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प्रोफेसर सुनील कुमार सिंह

निदेशक

Prof. Sunil Kumar Singh

Director

3 September 2019

Dear Madam/Sir,

The International Indian Ocean Expedition (IIOE, 1959-65) has been the largest international effort to explore the oceans. IIOE led to immense improvement in the understanding of the oceanography of the Indian Ocean. One of its most important outcomes was establishment of CSIR-National Institute of Oceanography, Goa (CSIR-NIO), which is now one of the finest oceanographic laboratories in the world. Second IIOE-2 launched in December 2015 is a multi-national, multi-institutional programme to advance our understanding of various aspects of Indian Ocean to enhance its role on the socio-economy of the region. IIOE-2 has been extremely successful in garnering the interests of International Oceanographic Community to study the different facets of the basin using modern observational tools and models.

To assess the progress and scientific knowledge gained during the last 4 years of IIOE-2 (during 2016-2020) the "**International Indian Ocean Science Conference (IIOSC) 2020**" is planned during **16-20 March 2020** at CSIR-NIO, Goa co-hosted by National Centre for Polar Ocean Research (NCPOR) Goa, Goa University and Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services (INCOIS) Hyderabad, India.

Conference is expected to be attended by ~ 600 researchers from all over the world. It will comprise keynote addresses by leading scientists, and oral and poster presentations. Provision is also made for exhibition of ocean technology and instrumentation by various manufacturers/suppliers. Conference will thus provide an opportunity to advertise and showcase the products to international scientific community. Details are also available at <https://iiosc2020.incois.gov.in/IIOSC2020/index.jsp>

Organization of a conference of this scale will be possible only with the support from various organizations including the industry. It is in this context that we are approaching you with a request to provide financial support to promote Indian Ocean research. We hope that you will generously contribute toward hosting of this event. The various funding options are provided in the attachment.

Contributions in the form of net banking/demand drafts may kindly be sent in the name of CSIR-National Institute of Oceanography payable at State Bank of India, Dona Paula, Goa. For further information, please contact local organising committee: Dr. V. Sanil Kumar (Phone: +91-832-2450327, E-mail: sanil@nio.org). Looking forward to your favourable response and with kind regards.

Sincerely

(Prof. Sunil Kumar Singh)

Director CSIR-NIO & Chairman Local Organizing Committee

International Indian Ocean Science Conference (IIOSC) 2020

SPONSORSHIP CATEGORIES

Sponsorship Type	Free Registration	Amount
Platinum	3 Delegates	INR 5,00,000/-
Gold	2 Delegates	INR 3,00,000/-
Silver	1 Delegate	INR 2,00,000/-
Bronze	1 Delegate	INR 1,00,000/-

Sponsorer Logo will be displayed on the Inaugural Stage back drop and Entry to Exhibition Pavilion

EXHIBITION STALL

Number of Stalls available:

- a) Five stalls of Size: 3m X 3m X 2.5m.
- b) Five stalls of Size: 6m X 3m X 2.5m.

Each stall will be provided with 2 spot lights, 1 table, 2 chairs, Facia (up to a maximum of 26 characters), two 5 amp power points (220 V, 50 Hz).

Fees for the stalls:

Stall Size	Foreign Companies	Indian Companies
3m X 3m X 2.5m (L x W x H)	USD 5,000/-	INR 3,00,000/-
6m X 3m X 2.5m (L x W x H)	USD 8,000/-	INR 5,00,000/-

Stall set up: **15th March, 2020** Stall dismantling: **21st March, 2020**

Booking deadline: **31st December, 2019**

The exhibition stalls will be allocated on first come first serve basis. The fees will cover the registration and participation of two participants per booth during the conference.

BANK DETAILS FOR MAKING THE PAYMENT

CSIR National Institute of Oceanography, State Bank of India, Dona Paula, Goa. Account number: **30267368692** IFSC Code: **SBIN0003566**