

Dear Colleagues,

It is our great pleasure to announce the "3rd International Conference on Superconductivity and Magnetism" (ICSM2012) to be held in Istanbul, Turkey, at 29 April-4 May, 2012. The conference web site is: <http://www.icsm2012.org>.

The conference venue is, (5*) Artemis Marin Princess Hotel, in Kumburgaz, 40 km away from the old-city of Istanbul, while it is about 30 km away to Atatürk Airport, at the beach of Marmara sea (<http://en.artemismarinprincess.com/>).

ICSM2010 was held in Antalya at April 25-30, 2010 with about 600 participants from 51 countries. Proceedings of ICSM2010 have been published by Journal of Superconductivity of Novel Magnetism (<http://www.springerlink.com/content/1557-1939/24/1-2/>). Please also see the article about [Reflection on the ICSM2010](#).

ICSM2012 proceedings will also be published in the same journal after peer reviewing. As the previous conferences, ICSM2012 will be integrated with educational courses prior to the conference for students and young researchers. The course contents together with the level of recommended background will be announced soon.

ICSM2012 will highlight recent advances in all major disciplines of Superconductivity and Magnetism. Main thematic topics are classified as the following:

- Superconducting Materials and Basic Properties
- Magnetism and Magnetic Materials
- Interplay of Superconductivity and Magnetism
- Large Scale Applications, Science and Technology
- Electronics Applications, Science and Technology
- Functional and Smart Materials
- Theoretical Advances

For detailed list of topics please visit: <http://www.icsm2012.org/abstracts/subject-categories-for-abstract-submission/>

There will be a number of special sessions within the scope of the conference. If you are willing to organize a session, please visit

http://www.icsm2012.org/sessionproposals-guidelines/session_proposals/ page and fill in the form.

For more details and to register, please visit the conference web site at <http://www.icsm2012.org>

Important dates are as the following:

- Abstract Submission Open 15 August 2011
- Abstract Submission Deadline 25 November 2011
- Abstract Acceptance 15 January 2012

- Online Registration Open 15 December 2011
- Online Hotel Reservation Open 15 January 2012
- Early Registration Deadline 15 February 2012
- Manuscript Submission Deadline 13 April 2012
- Conference Dates 29 April - 4 May 2012

Abstracts for consideration as oral and poster presentations can be submitted online at <http://www.icsm2012.org>. All submitted abstracts received will be reviewed on the basis of scientific merit, novelty and practical application. Please join us in Istanbul in April 2012 to explore a plethora of information on current research in Superconductivity and Magnetism and to network with fellow academic and industrial researchers.

Sponsorship and exhibition opportunities are also available, for details please contact icsm-info@ankara.edu.tr

We look forward welcoming you at the magical city of Istanbul with your active participation.

Please circulate this mail to your colleagues and to appropriate groups that might be interested in ICSM2012.

On behalf of the organizing committee,
Yours Faithfully,
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