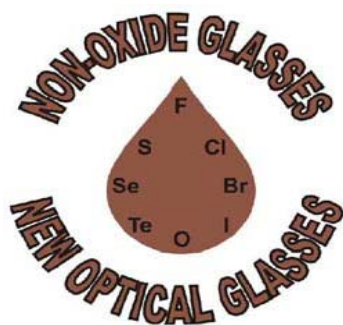


17th International Symposium on Non-Oxide and New Optical Glasses (XVII ISNOG)
June 13-18, 2010 Ningbo, China



◆ About ISNOG 2010

This International Symposium on Non Oxide and New Optical Glasses (XVII ISNOG) is the seventeenth of a successful series of topical scientific meetings, the first of which was held in Cambridge (UK) 1981, followed by Troy (USA), Rennes (France), Monterey (USA), Shizuoka (Japan), Monash (Australia), Clausthal-Zellerfeld (Germany), Perros-Guirec (France), Hangzhou (China), Corning (USA), Sheffield (UK), Florianopolis (Brazil), Pardubice (Czech), Florida (USA), Bangalore (India) and Montpellier (France).

XVII ISNOG aims at dealing with the synthesis, processing, characterization, and physical properties of novel non-oxide, hybrids and optically transparent glasses with high technological impact potential. The intended event of the present kind provides a great opportunity for chemists, physicists, device engineers and technologists to conglomerate and share the ideas, solutions and issues related to the crucial role played by these materials in the cutting edge technologies. The proposed program is scheduled for five days, enabling the participants to have unstinting exchange of their ideas through active participation and contributions.



◆ TOPICS TO BE COVERED

◇ Synthesis, Structure and Properties of Glasses (bulk and film)

- * Oxide optical glasses;
- * Non-oxide glasses;
- * Glass ceramics, nano/micro crystals composites;
- * Inorganic/organic hybrid materials;
- * Computer simulation and modeling;

◇ Applications of bulk glasses and films

- * Photonic, optical and optoelectronic materials (optical properties, photo induced effects, fibres, planar waveguides, non-linear effects in optical glasses);
- * Memories (phase changes, PMC, ovonic materials);
- * Sensors (chemical...);

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Important dates

- ◇ Deadline for abstract submission: March 1st, 2010
- ◇ Pre-registration: November 26th, 2009
- ◇ Conference: June 13-18th, 2010

About Ningbo City



Ningbo, also called 'Yong' for short, is located in the middle of the coastal line of the Chinese Mainland and in the South of the Yangtze River Delta, which enjoys the most developed economy in China. To the east of Ningbo is the Zhoushan Archipelago, as natural bulwark; to the north, Hangzhou Bay; to the west, the City of Shaoxing and to the south, the City of Taizhou. Ningbo offers a subtropical monsoon climate, featuring mild temperatures moderate humidity and distinct seasons. Ningbo is home to the 7,000-year-old Hemudu Neolithic Culture. It has China's existing oldest private library (Tianyi Pavilion). It boasts Legend of Butterfly Lovers, cloth dragon (Fenghua), Pingdiao Opera (Ninghai) and cinnabar and gold lacquer wood carving, which have been listed in China's first batch of Intangible Cultural Heritage Catalog. This place is home to the East Zhejiang School in Ming and Qing Dynasties.

Registration Fees

Full Registration			Student Registration			Accompanying Person		
Type	Before March 31, 2010	After March 31, 2010 or on-site	Type	Before March 31, 2010	After March 31, 2010 or on-site	Type	Before March 31, 2010	After March 31, 2010 or on-site
A	350 EUR	400 EUR	A	200 EUR	250 EUR	A	60 EUR	100 EUR
B	400 EUR	450 EUR	B	250 EUR	300 EUR	B	100 EUR	150 EUR
C	550 EUR	600 EUR	C	400 EUR	500 EUR	C	250 EUR	300 EUR
D	500 EUR	550 EUR	D	350EUR	450 EUR	D	200 EUR	250 EUR

Type	Fees includes
A	(1)Conference proceedings, Welcome and Farewell Receptions, the Symposium Banquet; Coffee breaks;
B	(1)Conference proceedings, Welcome and Farewell Receptions, the Symposium Banquet; Coffee breaks; (2)1-day tour of Putuo Mountain;
C	(1)Conference proceedings, Welcome and Farewell Receptions, the Symposium Banquet; Coffee breaks; (2)1-day tour of Putuo Mountain; (3)Five-star hotel buffet lunch and supper (including 4 lunches, 2 suppers) during the conference (four days); Notes: The lunch and dinner at the travel day will be arranged by the travel agency, and the other two dinners will be hold at the banquet and the end of the conference respectively.
D	(1)Conference proceedings, Welcome and Farewell Receptions, the Symposium Banquet; Coffee breaks; (2)Five-star hotel buffet lunch and supper (including 4 lunches, 2 suppers) during the conference (four days); Notes: Please take care of your lunch and dinner yourself at the travel day if you do not join the tour.

The venue for the meeting

Marriott
NINGBO

Ningbo Marriott® Hotel



Meeting Hall



Guest Room [Price: 780 RMB]



Exterior

Expo 2010 Shanghai China



Brief Introduction of World Expo Shanghai

World Expositions are galleries of human inspirations and thoughts. Since 1851 when the Great Exhibition of Industries of All Nations was held in London, the World Expositions have attained increasing prominence as grand events for economic, scientific, technological and cultural exchanges, serving as an important platform for displaying historical experience, exchanging innovative ideas, demonstrating esprit de corps and looking to the future. Expo 2010 Shanghai China will be a great event to explore the full potential of urban life in the 21st century and a significant period in urban evolution. Being the first World Exposition on the theme of city, Exposition 2010 will attract governments and people from across the world, focusing on the theme "Better City, Better Life." For its 184 days, participants will display urban civilisation to the full extent, exchange their experiences of urban development, disseminate advanced notions on cities and explore new approaches to human habitat, lifestyle and working conditions in the new century. Expo 2010 Shanghai China will centre on innovation and interaction. Innovation is the soul, while cultural interaction is an important mission of the World Expositions. In the new era, Expo 2010 Shanghai China will contribute to human-centred development, scientific and technological innovation, cultural diversity and win-win cooperation for a better future, thus composing a melody with the key

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Expo 2010 Shanghai China will also be a grand international gathering. On the one hand, we shall endeavour to attract about 200 nations and international organisations to take part in the exhibition as well as 70 million visitors from home and abroad, ensuring the widest possible participation in the history of the World Expositions. On the other hand, we will put Expo 2010 Shanghai China in a global perspective and do our best to encourage the participation and gain the understanding and support of various countries and peoples, in order to turn Expo 2010 Shanghai China into a happy reunion of people from all over the world.

In addition, Expo 2010 Shanghai China will offer a wonderful opportunity for cross-culture dialogues. Before the conclusion of the Exposition, a "Shanghai Declaration" will be issued. This declaration, hopefully a milestone in the history of the World Expositions, will epitomize the insights to be offered by the participants and embody people's ideas for future cooperation and development and extensive common aspirations, thereby leaving a rich spiritual legacy of urban development to people throughout the world.

