78th Annual Session of Indian Ceramic Society

66th Annual Session of All India Pottery Manufacturers

40th Annual Session of Indian Institute of Ceramics

National Symposium on Ceramics

2\textsuperscript{nd} & 3\textsuperscript{rd}
February, 2015
S.N.T.I., N Road,
Bistupur, Jamshedpur

Organized by:
Indian Ceramic Society,
Jamshedpur Chapter
To
All Members of
Indian Ceramic Society

Dear Member,

78th Annual Session of the Society in conjunction with the 66th Annual Session of All India Pottery Manufacturers’ Association and 40th Annual Session of Indian Institute of Ceramics, which was scheduled to be held at Visakhapatnam during 10th to 12th December, 2014 had been declared cancelled due to severe damage of infrastructure caused by super cyclone “Hud Hud”.

Now it will be hosted by the Jamshedpur Chapter of the Society, on 2nd and 3rd February, 2015 and a National Symposium on Ceramics will also be organized on this occasion.

As you know, the objective of the Annual Session is to provide a common forum for a large number of delegates from the fields of glass, ceramics, refractories and allied materials from India and abroad and also to provide an opportunity to exchange thoughts and ideas. Participation of delegates from other ceramic societies abroad is also expected.

ANNUAL TECHNICAL SESSIONS

Call for Papers

The Technical Sessions of the Society will be devoted to oral / poster presentations of papers. Those who propose to present papers are requested to send the title and abstract (in about 200 words, typed in double space) to the Hony Editor (e-mail: editor_incers@cgcri.res.in) by November 30, 2014. The abstracts will be subjected to primary screening by an Expert Committee. Their decision regarding acceptance or otherwise will be communicated to the respective authors in due course. The abstracts of the accepted papers will be printed in the souvenir, which will be made available to the delegates. The papers already accepted for Visakhapatnam session will be part of the Jamshedpur session.

The authors may kindly note that as decided by the Council of the Society, the submission of complete texts of the papers is the prerequisite for acceptance of papers for presentation. Accordingly, the full text of the paper should be submitted to the Hony Editor by December 31, 2014 at the latest. The papers may be published in the Society’s quarterly journal, “Transactions of the Indian Ceramic Society” in due course, if accepted through the peer review system.

Any paper submitted to the Society and accepted for presentation shall be the property of the Society who will hold the copyright thereof.

Students’ Session:

This year the Students’ Session has been designated as “Bimal Chatterjee Memorial Scientific Oration Competition for Students”. The Society has introduced a Session, especially for the students, since 1999, with a view to encourage their participation in the Oral Presentation of papers during the Annual Session of the Society. Normally a maximum number of six (6) students (students of BTech and MTech only), from among the Institutions of the country, are selected on the merit of full papers to be presented in the oral session. This year Jamshedpur chapter has agreed to accept unlimited number of entries. (The participating student must be a MEMBER of the Indian Ceramic Society). An Expert Committee will scrutinize the papers and adjudge the merit. The decision of the Committee will be final and binding in the matter. The papers are to be forwarded by the respective Head of the Institution. The selected students would be allowed to reimburse to-and-fro ordinary 2nd Class Sleeper Train Fare and their Registration Fee would be free. Partial accommodation cost, if required, will also be provided. In case of joint authorship only one author would be considered. Certificates will be given for best presentations (1st, 2nd & 3rd positions) along with cash awards. Entire cost will be sponsored by the Jamshedpur Chapter in the memory of Late Bimal Chatterjee. **

The full paper, forwarded by the respective Head of the Institution, should be sent on or before December 31, 2014 to the Hony Editor, Indian Ceramic Society (e-mail: editor_incers@cgcri.res.in).

Registration

The registration fees for the delegates are as follows:

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7. Accompanying Spouse (without registration kits)  
   1,000 1,100
8. Research Scholars (members only)  
   1,500 2,000
9. Research Scholars (non-members)  
   2,000 2,500
10. Student Members  
    700 700
11. Non-Members  
    4,000 4,500
12. Foreign Delegates  
    US$ 230 US$ 280

Registration fee is to be paid by crossed cheque/demand draft drawn in favour of The Indian Ceramic Society, payable at Kolkata, and sent to: The Hony Secretary, Indian Ceramic Society, Care: CSIR-Central Glass & Ceramic Res Instt, Kolkata – 700 032. For non CBS cheques an amount of Rs. 70.00 should be added towards bank charges.

Souvenir
On this occasion, a souvenir will be published by the Organizing Committee. The Society requests the Corporate Members and all the well wishers to render their fullest support by way of releasing advertisements in the souvenir, as they so kindly did on previous occasions. The rates of advertisement are as follows:

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Sponsorship
Platinum : Rs 5,00,000/-
Gold : Rs 3,00,000/-
Silver : Rs 1,50,000/-

Organizing committee would make necessary provisions for publicizing the different categories of sponsors at the conference, the details of which would be separately given.

Exhibition
An exhibition of conventional as well as advanced ceramics, glass, refractories, composites, engineering ceramics and allied products, machinery, instruments, kilns, raw materials, etc is being arranged on the occasion. The Society requests the members of the industry to utilize the opportunity to display their products, machinery, instruments, etc.

A limited amount of space is available for exhibition. 3 m X 3 m covered space would be provided. Charges for exhibition would be Rs. 50,000/- per stall.

Bank Details
Cheques/Drafts are to be drawn in favour of “Indian Ceramic Society, Jamshedpur Chapter”
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About the Indian Ceramic Society
The Indian Ceramic Society was founded on April 15, 1928 under the dynamic guidance of Pt. Madan Mohan Malaviya, a great educationist, with the primary objective of promoting friendship and co-operation among all those who are engaged in the manufacturing of ceramic products or in teaching of ceramics or in any other way connected with ceramics and interested in the advancement of knowledge, art and technology connected therewith. The Society has 14 Chapters with a membership of over 2000.

The quarterly publication of the Society, 'Transactions of the Indian Ceramic Society' has been selected for coverage in Thomson Reuters products and custom information services beginning with Vol. 66, issue 1 (2007); it has been given an impact factor of 0.349 by Thomson Reuters Expanded in 2011. Starting from volume 71, number 1 (2012), the journal is being released simultaneously in the electronic mode by Taylor & Francis Group (T&F), UK. Recently, the Indian Ceramic Society has come up to a collaborative partnership with the American Ceramic Society for mutual benefit and enhancement of both the Societies.
About All India Pottery Manufacturers Association (AIPMA)

Founded in the year 1948, AIPMA is the forum for promoting and exchanging knowledge in ceramic industry in India and to encourage its members to be partner in the development of pottery industry. The main objectives of AIPMA are to encourage the ceramic industry and to protect its interest.

About Indian Institute of Ceramics (IIC)

Founded in the year 1973, the major objectives of the Institute are to promote and advance the study and practice of Ceramic Science, Technology and Engineering in India, to extend knowledge and information connected with ceramics, to issue certificates by conducting examination as per prescribed syllabus etc. The Govt of India has recognized that the degree in the Associated Membership Examination conducted by Indian Institute of Ceramics is equivalent to the first degree in Ceramics.

About Late Bimal Chatterjee:

Mr Bimal Chatterjee breathed his last breadth on 03rd June, 2014. He retired from CSIR-NML Jamshedpur. He was a member and life member of the Indian Ceramic Society since 1961/1995. He was the council member of InCerS for several terms as well as Secretary of the Jamshedpur Chapter of InCerS. He was an active participant of the Annual Sessions. He contributed significantly for latest amendment of the constitution. He was also Hony Secretary of IIC for one term. Due to his sad demise we have lost a very active member of the Indian Ceramic Society as well as Jamshedpur Chapter of InCerS. His contributions to our Society will always be remembered. He was extremely fond of the students and he always tried his best to help the students.

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Yours sincerely,

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