The XVI International Sol-Gel Conference *will be hosted in Hangzhou, P. R. China, 28 August to 2 September. It is the first time for this Conference to come to China. The Conference is expecting a greater number of Asian delegates than previous conferences, which will undoubtedly open up new fields of cooperation and research.*

With support from ISGS, the Sol-gel Committee of China Ceramic Society (SGC of CCS), together with Zhejiang University, Shenzhen University, Tongji University and Zhejiang-California International NanoSystems Institute, endeavors to make this Conference a success for every attendee.

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Tentative programs

Contributions are solicited in all areas of Sol-Gel Science and Technology, including:

- Sol-gel Chemistry and Fundamentals
- Self-assembly
- Organic-inorganic Hybrids Materials
-Nano- and Micro-structured Materials: Particles, Fibers, Whiskers, and Composites
-Films, Coatings, and Membranes
-Nanoporous and Supramolecular Materials
- Aerogels
- Sol-gel for Optic, Electronic, Photonic, Magnetic and Electromagnetic Applications
- Sol-gel for Catalysis, Sensors, Biological and Medical Applications
- Sol-gel Versatility (Environment Protection, Energy, Foods, Cosmetics, etc.)
- New Characterization Techniques for Sol-gel Materials
-Industrialization of Sol-gel Science & Technology

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Pre-announcement

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Important Dates

- *Preliminary Registration* *01/09/2010*
- *Second Announcement and Call for Papers* *15/11/2010*
- *Abstract Deadline* *15/03/2011*
- *Notification of Acceptance* *15/04/2011*
- *Early-bird registration* *30/06/2011*

Proceedings

Proceedings containing presented papers will be available.

Boards, Speakers and Exhibitors

Prominent scholars that have offered great assistance to previous conference will continue serving for this Conference, together with eminent scientists from China such as academicians of Chinese Academy of Sciences.
The Conference will invite well-known speakers from different countries and regions, covering a wide range of topics.
Representatives of Industries and institutions will be welcomed to exhibit your organizations and products to scholars from all over the World.

About Hangzhou – "heaven on earth"

Hangzhou is the capital city of Zhejiang Province and its cultural and economic center. It boasts a history of over 2,200 years and is one of seven ancient capital cities in China. It lies on the lower reachers of Qiantang River and is the southern end of the 1, 7920-meter long Grand Canal. With unique natural beauty and cultural heritage, the 13th-century Italian traveler Macro Polo admired Hangzhou as "the most beautiful and splendid city in the World". For detailed information, please go to: http://eng.hangzhou.gov.cn/

Social Program

The conference will begin during the evening of Sunday August 28, 2011, with a Welcome Reception. An excursion showcasing the renowned "West Lake" will be arranged for the afternoon of Wednesday 7 September, and the conference banquet will be held on the evening.
Accompanying-person's programs will also be available.

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Pre-Registration Form

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