# INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON STRONGLY COUPLED COULOMB SYSTEMS

# June 20-25, 2005

# Moscow, Russia

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# SECOND ANNOUNCEMENT

The International Conference on Strongly Coupled Coulomb Systems (SCCS-2005) will be hosted by the Russian Academy of Sciences and will be held in Moscow, June 20-25, 2005. The conference location is the Building of Presidium of the Russian Academy of Sciences.

#### **Conference Scope**

Strongly Coupled Coulomb Systems represent a wide range of physical states that are all many-body systems characterized by strong long-ranged interactions. Topics of particular interest for SCCS-2005 include:

- General statistical physics of Coulomb systems
- Thermodynamic properties
- Transport and optical properties
- Phase transitions in Coulomb systems
- Kinetic theory and ionization processes
- Bound states
- Astrophysical plasmas: physics of the Sun, planetary and stellar interiors
- Dusty plasmas, charged colloids
- High energy density plasmas
- Plasmas generated by strong shock waves
- Plasmas generated by intensive ion, electron and laser beams

## Organizers

- Russian Academy of Sciences
- Ministry of Education and Science of the Russian Federation
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- Rydberg matter
- Chemically reactive plasmas
- Ionic liquids and electrolytes
- Liquid metals and metal vapors
- Plasma in metals and semiconductors
- Electron-hole plasmas
- Cryogenic and ultracold plasmas
- Non-neutral plasmas
- Nanostructures
- Bilayers
- Charges in bubbles
- Quantum and classical Monte-Carlo, molecular dynamics etc.
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#### **Scientific Program**

The scientific program of the Conference will consist of 12 invited plenary talks (45 minutes), 25 invited topical talks (30 minutes), ordinary oral presentations (20 minutes) and poster section. The official language of the Conference is English. The list of the invited plenary speakers is given below:

M. Barbosa	Univ. of Porto Alegre, Brazil	Charged DNA beyond mean field theory;
G. Chabrier	Lyon, France	Review of recent results in astrophysical plasmas applied
		to giant planets, white dwarfs, and neutron stars;
D. H. E. Dubin	UCSD, La Jolla, USA	Recent results with strongly coupled ion plasmas;
W. Ebeling	Humboldt University, Berlin,	The method of effective potentials in the quantum
	Germany	statistical theory of plasmas;
V. Filinov	IHED RAS, Moscow, Russia	Monte-Carlo simulations of dense quantum plasmas;
M. Fisher	University of Maryland, USA	Criticality in ionic systems;
F. Hensel	Phiipps-Univ., Marburg, Germany	Liquid metals;
H. M. Thomas	Munich, Germany	Dusty plasmas: theory and experiment;
G. A. Mesyats	RAS, Moscow, Russia	Strongly coupled plasma in the near-cathode region;
V. B. Mintsev	IPCP RAS, Chernogolovka, Russia	Dense plasmas equation of state and transport properties;
G. Senatore	University of Trieste, Italy	Understanding the spin susceptibility of the 2D electron
		gas in real devices;
A. N. Starostin	TRINITY, Troitsk, Russia	Corrected EOS of weakly non-ideal plasmas without
		mysteries.

#### Accommodation

A varied range of accommodation is available in the neighborhood of the Conference site (Leninsky prospekt, 32a). Preferred is the hotel "Sputnik" (<u>www.hotelsputnik.ru</u>). To reserve a room for a special rate, please contact us by e-mail <u>sccs2005@ihed.ras.ru</u>.

For other accommodation possibilities visit the web page <u>www.ihed.ras.ru/sccs2005/accomodation</u>. To reserve a room for a special rate, please contact directly the official tour operator of the Conference (International Ecology Fund-Traveller, Director: Zakharova Olga, e-mail: <u>meftra@kks.com.ru</u>) or the Local Organizing Committee.

#### Social Events

- <u>Welcome party</u> is planned to be held aboard a comfortable ship which will give a wonderful opportunity to see the historical sites on scenic banks of the Moskva-river.
- <u>Moscow sightseeing bus tour</u> will include visiting the Red Square, Cathedral of Christ the Savior, memorial complex on Poklonnaya Gora, panorama of Moscow from Vorob'yovi Gori.

Additional information about social events is available at www.ihed.ras.ru/sccs2005/cultprog.

## **Visa Application**

If you need a visa to visit Russia, please contact the LOC providing the following information: date and place of birth, nationality, city and address of the embassy where you are going to apply for visa, the dates of your visit and copy of the first page of your passport with the passport number and issue/expiration dates.

#### Deadlines

Abstract submission	March 31, 2005
Acceptance notification	April 20, 2005
Registration fee payment	May 1, 2005
Final program	June 1, 2005
Publication of full papers	August 31, 2005

#### **Abstract Submission**

One-page abstracts should be submitted electronically via web site <u>www.ihed.ras.ru/sccs2005/abstracts</u>. No submission by e-mail is available. Abstracts should not contain figures. For information please contact us by e-mail sccs2005@ihed.ras.ru.

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#### **CONFERENCE FEES**

Registration fee	450 Euro
Student's fee	150 Euro
Accompanied persons	250 Euro

Conference fee includes the Conference abstracts, coffee breaks, welcome reception and the Moscow sightseeing bus tour.

## **METHOD OF PAYMENT**

Please transfer registration fees to the following **bank account** of the official tour operator of the Conference (IEF-Traveller):

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