

# 1<sup>st</sup> INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON NANOPARTICLES AND THEIR APPLICATIONS IN MEDICINE

### <u>NAM - 2012</u>

3-4 January, 2012













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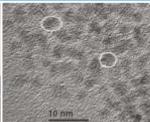
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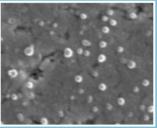
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#### **Background**

Recent years have witnessed unprecedented growth of research and applications in the area of nanoscience and nanotechnology. The use of nanotechnology in medicine and more specifically drug delivery is increasingly gaining popularity. The biomedical applications of nanoparticles as efficient drug delivery carriers have attracted great attention in the last decade.

As part of Diamond Jubilee Celebrations of Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, School of Medical Science and Technology (SMST), Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, India, in collaboration with Centre for Research in Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (CRNN), University of Calcutta, India, World Academy of Biomedical Sciences and Technologies (WABT), Paris, France, International Council for Engineering and Technology (ICET), Paris, UNESCO, France and NanoScience Technology Center & Advanced Materials Processing and Analysis Center (AMPAC), University of Central Florida, USA is organizing the 1<sup>st</sup> International Workshop on Nanoparticles and their Applications in Medicine (NAM – 2012) on 3-4 January, 2012.

NAM–2012 aims to provide an overview on recent advances and challenges in the development of nanoparticles and their applications in health care. Faculty members, clinical researchers, scientists, technologists and students from various national and international Institutes/Universities are expected to participate in the workshop. This workshop will consist of a number of talks by key experts and well known speakers on developments and therapeutic applications of nanoparticles in medicine. Arrangements will be made for live demonstration of nanoparticle characterization tools. A panel discussion with a goal to review the current state of technology and associated R&D challenges in this emerging field is also proposed. Translating nanoparticle research into medicine for improved patient care and the role of commercialization will be discussed. A specific goal of the workshop is to define a set of proposed research directions and motivate joint research proposals with Europe and USA.

#### **Invited Speakers**

- W. Selvamurthy, Chief Controller R&D for Life Sciences and International Cooperation, DRDO, Govt. of India
- Sanku Mallick, North Dakota State University, USA
- Sudipta Seal, University of Central Florida; USA
- Kewal K. Jain, Jain PharmaBiotech, Basel, Switzerland
- Ueli Aebi, M.E. Müller Institute for Structural Biology, Biozentrum, University of Basel, Switzerland
- Amarnath Maitra, University of Delhi, New Delhi, India
- Gopal K. Khuller, Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh, India
- Jayesh R. Bellare, Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, India
- Arup Mukherjee, University of Calcutta, Kolkata, India
- Tarakdas Basu, University of Kalyani, Kolkata, India
- Anjan Dasgupta, University of Calcutta, Kolkata, India
- Arnab Chattopadhyay, Institute of Haematology & Transfusion Medicine, Calcutta Medical College, Kolkata, India
- Panchanan Pramanik, Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, India

#### **Workshop Themes**

- Development of nanoparticles for clinical applications
- Nanoparticles and drug delivery systems
- Nanoparticles and health: pros and cons
- Nanoparticles and alternative medicine

### **Live Demonstration of Nanoparticle Characterization Tools**

- Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM)
- Atomic Force Microscope (AFM)
- Particle Size and Charge Analyzer
- Fourier Transform Infrared (FT-IR) Spectrophotometer
- High Pressure Liquid Chromatograph (HPLC)

#### Venue:

Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, Kharagpur- 721 302, India

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#### **Registration Form**

Please complete the form and send it along with the requisite demand draft to the Workshop Convener.

If you have any queries, please mail us at iwnam2012@gmail.com

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#### **Accommodation**

Limited accommodation is available in the guest house on personal payment basis. Please contact at iwnam2012@gmail.com regarding your room requirements.

#### **Summary of Payment**

\*Registration fee (Please tick appropriate box / Demand Draft should reach on or before the dates specified respectively)

		By 10 <sup>th</sup> November	After 10 <sup>th</sup> November
Faculty / Scientist	Indian	☐ Rs. 3500	☐ Rs. 4000
	Foreign National / NRI	☐ US\$ 100	☐ USS 120
Post Doctoral Fellow	Indian	☐ Rs. 3000	☐ Rs. 3500
	Foreign National / NRI	□ US\$ 80	☐ US\$ 100
PhD Scholar	Indian	☐ Rs. 2500	☐ Rs. 3000
	Foreign National / NRI	☐ US\$ 60	☐ US\$ 80
Student	Indian	☐ Rs. 2000	☐ Rs. 2500
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#### **Registration Cancellation Policy**

Cancellation of a registration must be notified in writing to Workshop Management. Cancellations prior to 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2011, applicant will receive a refund of 40% of registration fee. No refund will be given for cancellation after 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2011.

\*Agreement to terms and conditions: I wish to register for the NAM 2012 workshop and acknowledge the registration terms including the cancellation policy.

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