




THE 19TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON MAGNETISM

with Strongly Correlated Electron Systems (SCES)

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Hosted by  The Korean Physical Society

 The Korean Magnetics Society

 International Union of Pure and Applied Physics (IUPAP)

About ICM 2012 with SCES

The major research societies in Korea, the Korean Physical Society (KPS) and the Korean Magnetics Society (KMS) are honored to co-host the 19th International Conference on Magnetism (ICM 2012), under the auspices of the International Union of Pure and Applied Physics (IUPAP). Since 1958, a series of ICM meetings have been held every three years in various parts of the world and has become recognized as one of the largest and most prestigious conferences in the field of magnetism. Previous ICM conferences were successfully held in Karlsruhe, Germany (2009), and Kyoto, Japan (2006). ICM 2009 attracted more than 1,500 people and ICM 2006, held in Asia, was attended by more than 2,000 participants along with about 100 companies participating in the exhibition.

ICM 2012 will incorporate the International Conference on Strongly Correlated Electron Systems (SCES) held annually. Especially for ICM 2012, we are planning the technical program including not only plenary session, oral and poster session, also satellite symposium that will be filled with the participation of over 500 world-leading experts from all different countries. In addition, we expect researchers and experts will contribute more than 2,200 papers in 20 sessions in ICM 2012. The papers will be published at Journal of Korea Physical Society (JKPS) and Journal of Magnetism (JOM) under strict screening procedure.

A number of Satellite Conferences are scheduled;

- 1 **Korea Superconductivity Society Meeting 2012**
July 5-7, 2012 in Gyeongju KyoYuk MunHwa HoeKwan, Korea
- 2 **The 10th International Conference on Research in High Magnetic Field**
July 3-6, 2012 in Venue Ramada Plaza Optics valley Hotel, Wuhan, Hubei, China
- 3 **International Conference on Heavy Electrons and Novel Quantum Phases**
July 14-17, 2012 in Sungkyunkwan University, Korea
- 4 **The 21st International Colloquium on Magnetic Films and Surfaces (ICMFS 2012)**
September 24-28, 2012 in Fudan University, Shanghai, China
- 5 **Spin Dynamics in Nanomagnets**
July 15-18, 2012 in Hoam Convention Center in Seoul National University, Korea



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Scientific Program

Presentations will consist of plenary talks, half-plenary talks, invited talks and contributed talks. In addition, poster sessions with ample time for discussion will be conducted. The program will focus on following topics;

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| 1 Strongly Correlated Electron System (SCES)
(including Superconductivity/ Multiferroics) | 3 Magnetic Structures and Interactions |
| 1-1 Multiferroics | 4 Magnetization Dynamics and Micromagnetics |
| 1-2 Superconductivity | 5 Spin-Dependent Transport |
| 1-3 Topological Insulators | 6 Spin Electronics |
| 1-4 Heavy Fermion Systems | 7 Magnetic Thin Films, Particles and Nanostructures |
| 1-5 Valence Fluctuations | 8 Soft and Hard Magnetic Materials and Their Applications |
| 1-6 Non-Fermi Liquids and Quantum Phase Transitions | 9 Novel Materials and Device Applications |
| 1-7 Kondo Impurity and Kondo Lattice Systems | 10 Magnetic Recording and Memories |
| 1-8 Theory of Strongly Correlated Matter | 11 Measuring Techniques and Instrumentation |
| 1-9 New Developments | 12 Industrial Applications |
| 2 Quantum and Classical Spin Systems | 13 Interdisciplinary Topics |

Tentative Schedule of the Conference

Time	July 8 (Sun)	July 9 (Mon)	July 10 (Tue)	July 11 (Wed)	July 12 (Thu)	July 13 (Fri)
09:00			Oral Session			
10:00		Opening	Oral Session			
11:00		Coffee Break				
12:00		Oral Session				
13:00		Lunch				
14:00		Poster Session		Excursion	Poster Session	
15:00		Oral Session			Oral Session	
16:00		Coffee Break			Coffee Break	Closing
17:00	Registration	Oral Session		Oral Session		
18:00	Welcome Reception				Conference Dinner	
19:00						
20:00						

Invited Speakers

1. Plenary Speakers

Albert Fert

*Universite de Paris-SUD,
France*

**Nobel laureate in Physics (2007)*

Andre Geim

*University of Manchester,
UK*

**Nobel laureate in Physics (2010)*

Klaus von Klitzing

*Max-Planck-Institut FKF,
Germany*

**Nobel laureate in Physics (1985)*

Sang-Wook Cheong

*Rutgers University, USA and
POSTECH, Korea*

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*University of California, Irvine,
USA*

Sadamichi Maekawa

*Japan Atomic Energy Agency
(JAEA), Japan*

Roland Wiesendanger

*University of Hamburg,
Germany*



2. Half-Plenary Speakers

Bernhard Keimer (*Max Planck Institute, Germany*)

Yoshinori Tokura (*University of Tokyo, Japan*)

Hideo Ohno (*Tohoku University, Japan*)

Stuart Parkin (*IBM Almaden Research Labs, USA*)

Caroline A. Ross (*MIT, USA*)

LJ Heyderman (*Paul Scherrer Institute, Switzerland*)

Shoucheng Zhang (*Stanford University, USA*)

Claudia Felser (*Johannes Gutenberg-Universität, Germany*)

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Call for Abstract

Abstract submission is now available on the conference website, www.icm2012.org. Contributions covering all aspects of magnetism are solicited. ICM2012 Program Committee cordially invites you to submit abstracts for oral and poster presentations. All abstracts will be reviewed by the program committee and assigned to appropriate oral or poster sessions.

The guidelines on the abstracts format can be found on the conference website. At least one author of each presented paper must be registered at the conference. The authors will be notified of the acceptance of the abstract on March 14, 2012

**Abstract Submission Deadline: February 14, 2012*

Publication

If your abstract is accepted for presentation at the ICM2012, you are encouraged to submit your manuscript(s) for publication in a special issue of the Journal of the Korean Physical Society (JKPS) or the Journal of Magnetism (JoM). All manuscripts must be submitted via the web submission system. The system will be available starting March 14, 2012.

Presenting the manuscript in the conference does not guarantee its publication in the proceedings. Each of registered authors can submit one manuscript if the manuscript is presented in the conference. You can decide whether you wish to have your paper published in the Journal of the Korean Physical Society or the Journal of Magnetism. However the publication committee can move papers to the more appropriate journal without the consent of the authors.

More detailed manuscript submission guidelines and requirements are also announced at the website.

**Manuscript submission opens: March 14, 2012*

**Manuscript submission Deadline: May 14, 2012*

Travel Grant

1 For Students: The Conference will offer travel grants to a limited number of students. The grants are intended to partially offset travel costs for presenting students to attend the ICM2012. To be eligible for a conference travel grant, a student must be presenting a paper at the conference and the student's supervisor must submit a letter of recommendation. Only one application per research group will be accepted. Preference will be given to students who are nearing completion of their PhD graduate studies, although a limited number of Conference travel grants will be awarded to Masters and Undergraduate students. Postdoctoral fellows and non-students are not eligible.

2 For attendants from developing countries: The Conference will offer travel grants to a limited number of attendants from developing countries. The grants are intended to partially offset travel costs for presenting attendants to attend the ICM2012. To be eligible for a Conference travel grant, a paper must be presented at the Conference. Only one application per research group will be accepted.

The deadline for travel grant applications is on March 31, 2012. Applications must be submitted online, and incomplete or late applications will not be considered. All students who will be presenting a Conference paper are eligible for travel support, and subject to the conditions stated above, will be selected among the applicant pool. Applicants will be notified of the committee's decision on April 30, 2012



Venue

The host city, Busan, is the second largest and the most beautiful port city in Korea. It has an attractive balance between a long, rich heritage of dynasties and a recently developed modern culture. Notably, Busan was the place where the most advanced ancient iron age bloomed throughout 5,000 years of Korean history. The city's natural endowments and rich history have resulted in Busan's increasing reputation as a world class city of tourism and culture, and is also becoming a renowned international convention destination. BEXCO (Busan Exhibition Convention Center) where the conference will be held, a landmark in the world-famous port city of Korea, has emerged as the most competitive exhibition and convention center in Northeast Asia. BEXCO'S impressive convention facilities are capable of simultaneously accommodating 5,340 people. Occupying an of 92,761m, consisting of one basement and seven ground floors, BEXCO is an exhibition & convention center of global scope. For the further information, please refer to the BEXCO's website, www.bexco.co.kr/english/main/main.jsp

Registration

	Category	Pre-registration (By June 15, 2012)	On-site Registration
Registration Fee	Regular Participant	KRW 650,000	KRW 750,000
	Student/Retired	KRW 350,000	KRW 400,000
	Accompanying Person	KRW 200,000	KRW 250,000
Banquet Fee	All Participants	KRW 60,000	

- * The registration fee for participants includes: Welcome reception, coffee breaks, admission to all technical sessions, and conference bag including book of abstracts.
- * The registration fee for accompanying persons includes: Welcome reception, coffee breaks, and conference bag. Admission to technical sessions is not included.

1. Methods of payment

Payment must be made in KRW by credit card (Only VISA, Mastercard and American Express cards are accepted). Payment after June 15, 2012 is only possible at the conference site either by cash (KRW) or by credit card.

2. Cancellations and refund policy

Requests for cancellations must be made in writing and sent to ICM 2012 secretariat by e-mail or fax. Registrants who cancel before June 15, 2012 will receive a refund with the charge of an administrative charge of KRW 100,000. Registrants who cancel after June 15, 2012 will not receive a refund but the book of abstracts will still be mailed to them.

- * All bank charges for remittance must be paid by the registrants.
- * Refunds will be made after the Conference.

Accommodation

The Organizing Committee has selected hotels in different rate categories for participants of the ICM2012. Special rates have been secured by the committee but can be obtained only until June 15, 2012.

In order to secure hotel accommodations, please visit the following link, <http://www.icm2012.org/hotel.htm>, and download the reservation form of each hotel. Once fill out the official reservation form, send it to each hotel directly. Addition to the hotels below, more various hotels information is being posted on the conference website, simply choose the appropriate hotel for you.

No.	Grade	Hotel	Room Type	Rates (KRW)	Distance
1	Residence	Haeundae Centum Hotel (Organizing Committee Hotel)	Deluxe (Double/Twin)	120,000	2~3 min. on Foot
			Suite 1	250,000	
			Suite 2	300,000	
2	★★★★★	The Westin Chosun Busan (Official Organizing Committee Hotel)	Deluxe Park	200,000	10 min. by Car
			Deluxe Beach	220,000	
			Executive Park	240,000	
			Executive Beach	270,000	
			Exec-Grand	400,000	
			Family Suite	600,000	
			Exec-Suite	700,000	
3	Residence	Seacloud Hotel	Superior	90,000	15min. by Car
			Executive	180,000	
4	★★★★★	Novotel hotel busan ambassador	Deluxe Room (Twin/Double)	130,000	12min. by Car
			Deluxe Ocean Room (Twin/Double)	160,000	
5	★★★★★	Paradise Hotel Busan	Deluxe City View	190,000	15min. by Car
			Deluxe Side Sea View	210,000	
			Deluxe Sea View	230,000	
			Executive City View	230,000	
			Executive Side Sea View	250,000	
6	★★★★★	Lotte Hotel Busan	Deluxe	160,000	30min. by Car
			High Deluxe	190,000	
			Club Deluxe	240,000	
7	★★	Hotel Riviera Haeundae	Double	80,000	12min. by Car
			Twin	80,000	
8	Youth Hostel	Arpina Buasn Youth Hoste	Bedroom for 2 Guests	92,950	15 min. on Foot
			Bedroom for 3 Guests	92,950	
			Bedroom for 4 Guests	92,950	
			Oneroom for 4 Guests	114,400	
			Condo for 5 Guests	178,750	

Transportation

Airline

Busan's accessibility by air is exceptional. Gimhae International Airport is one of the South Korea's major hubs, served by 21 airlines offering over 462 scheduled flights per week. It is only 40 minutes from downtown.

KTX

The High-speed KTX, the cutting-edge technological integration which connects the whole nation within a three-hour living area in a fast and comfortable way, is the newest and most preferred transportation.

1. Incheon Int'l Airport → Gimhae (Busan) Int'l Airport → BEXCO
2. Incheon Int'l Airport → Gimpo Domestic Airport → Gimhae (Busan) Int'l Airport → BEXCO
3. Incheon Int'l Airport → Seoul Station (KTX) → Busan Station (KTX) → BEXCO
4. Incheon Int'l Airport → Busan Central Bus Terminal → BEXCO

The detailed information way to the venue is posted on the page of Information> Transportation of ICM2012 website, www.icm2012.org/info2.htm.

General Information

Korea Visa

All foreign visitors entering the Republic of Korea must possess a valid passport. Delegates, except those from countries who have visa exemption agreements with Korea, should apply to a Korean diplomatic mission in their countries for visas prior to departure. For details, delegates are advised to contact the Korean Embassy in their countries, or view the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade website at www.mofat.go.kr. Please contact the Conference Secretariat if you have difficulties in obtaining a visa.

Invitation Letters

Upon request the conference secretariat will be pleased to send a personal invitation for participation of the conference. It should be understood that an invitation is only to help participants raise travel funds or to obtain a visa. If a formal invitation letter is needed please contact the conference office well in advance.

Currency and Foreign Exchange

The unit of Korean currency is the Won (₩/KRW). Coin denominations are ₩10, ₩50, ₩100 and ₩500. Banknotes are ₩1,000, ₩5,000, ₩10,000 and ₩50,000. As of January 2012, the exchange rate is approximately US\$1 to KRW1144. Foreign banknotes and traveler's check can be exchanged at foreign exchange banks and other authorized money changers.

Insurance

Participants are advised to get adequate travel and health insurance before leaving their respective countries.

Weather

Korea's climate is regarded as a continental climate from a temperate standpoint and a monsoonal climate from a precipitation standpoint. The climate of Korea is characterized by four distinct seasons: spring, summer, fall, and winter. Summer in Korea is normally very humid, monsoon, and hot.





Important Dates

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Acceptance Notification ▶ March 14, 2012

Paper Submission Deadline ▶ May 14, 2012

Pre-registration Deadline ▶ June 15, 2012

For the latest information on the conference, including announcements, registration and accommodation, and preliminary program please visit our website at: www.icm2012.org.

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