

25TH NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON LIQUID CRYSTALS

December 19-21, 2018

Organized by: Centre of Materials Science, University of Allahabad

In association with: Indian Liquid Crystal Society



About the Conference

The aim of 25th National Conference on Liquid Crystals (NCLC-2018) is to bring together young and senior researchers from nationally and internationally reputed institutions working in the field of soft matter, particularly liquid crystals and biological systems. This conference will provide a platform to discuss recent advancements in the field of liquid crystals as well as emerging interdisciplinary areas between soft matter, nanotechnology and biological systems.

Invited Speakers

A. M. Biradar, New Delhi

B. T. Thaker, Surat

C. V. Yellamaggad

D. Shankar Rao

G. Geeta Nair

J. K. Vij, Ireland

K. A. Suresh, Bangalore

K. K. Raina, Patiala

K.S.Krishnamurthy, Bangalore

M. K. Das, Siliguri

M. Srinivasulu, Manipal

M. B. Pandey, Kanpur

Scientific Topics

Soft Matter Physics and Chemistry **Biological Liquid Crystals** Photonics and Liquid Crystals **Liquid Crystal Colloids** Nano-structure and LC Composites Complex and Adaptive Matter Theory and Modeling of LCs Design and Synthesis of LCs Interfacial and Constrained **Systems**

Thermotropic/Lyotropic LCs Discotic, Ionic, Dendrimeric LCs Chiral Smectic and Polar LCs Display, Electro-optic Application of Liquid Crystals Liquid crystal Polymers and

> Elastomers **Advanced Materials Bio Materials**

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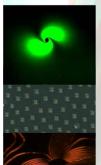
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Places of Attraction













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Allahabad is situated at the confluence (Sangam) of rivers Ganga, Yamuna and mythical Saraswati. It has been an important place in the history of India for religious and its involment for the struggle for the independence. Maha Kumbha/Kumbha are organized every successive 12/6 years beside annual congregation during the month of Magha (Jan/Feb). It is one of the main centres of education of the country. The city is placed in the central part of India and is well connected by rail and air to other cities of India. The University of Allahabad is a public Central University located in Allahabad, Uttar Pradesh, India. Established on 23 September 1887, it is the fourth earliest university in India. It used to be called as the "Oxford of the East". On 24 June 2005, its Central University status was restored through the University Allahabad Act 2005 of the Parliament of India. It was Allahabad where first Science Academy in India, The National Academy of Sciences was established by Prof. M. N. Saha in the year 1930.

Important Dates

Start of Abstract submission 15 Oct. 2018 Deadline for Abstract submission 31 Oct. 2018 Notification of acceptance 12 Nov. 2018 **Deadline for Registration** 20 Nov. 2018

E-mail for abstract submission and communication: 25nclc@gmail.com

Registration Fees

Be	fore deadline	After deadline
Regular	Rs. 4000/-	Rs. 5000/-
ILCS member	Rs. 3500/-	Rs. 4500/-
PhD Students	Rs. 2500/-	Rs. 3000/-
PhD Students (ILCS member)	Rs. 2000/-	Rs. 2500/-
UG & PG students	Rs. 1500/-	Rs. 1800/-
Corporate	Rs. 10,000/-	Rs. 10,500/-

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