Awards

With a view to encourage young researchers, the following awards will be presented.

- Best Oral Presentation Award
- Best Poster Award

Registration fee

Delegates from R&D/Academic Institutions

| and Industries | :₹2500 |
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| Students/Research Scholars/Project Assistants | :₹1000 |
| Accompanying Spouse | :₹1000 |

Registration fee is mandatory for all participants. Registration fee includes lunch for two days, one dinner and conference kit. The registration fee may be paid online or in the form of a crossed DD and should reach SAEST on or before 20 May, 2018. DD should be drawn in favor of *SAEST*, *Karaikudi* and payable at Karaikudi. Details of online payment (RTGS) to *SAEST*, *Karaikudi*:

Indian Bank, A.C. Campus Branch, Karaikudi, A/c. No.530826817, IFSC Code: IDIB000A008.

About Vellore

Vellore, a district capital in Tamil Nadu, has long been known for its stately fort and temple, renowned hospital and medical college. Vellore's history record several dynasties and powers. The famous Vellore Fort was built in the 16th Century. Vellore Fort, Government Museum, Science Park, Vainu Bappu Observatory, Amirthi Zoological Park, Religious places such as Jalakandeswarar Temple, Balamathi Hills, Vallimalai, Rathnagiri, Sri Lakshmi Golden Temple, Big Mosque and St. John's Church and Yelagiri Hill station are the top tourist attractions in and around Vellore.

How to Reach VIT

VIT University, situated 230 km from Bangalore and 130 km from Chennai by road, is less than 2 km away from the Katpadi Railway Station.





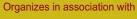
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Society for Advancement of Electrochemical Science and Technology







Circular & Call for Papers

Twentieth



1-8 June 2018

National Convention of Electrochemists

NCE-20

Venue: Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore



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Society for Advancement of Electrochemical Science and Technology (SAEST): Electrochemistry is truly an interdisciplinary science, swathing chemistry, physics, materials science as well as chemical, metallurgical, electrical, electronics and civil engineering. Besides, electrochemistry spreads its tentacles to disparate areas such as space, nuclear, medicine and transportation. SAEST is a professional body of electrochemists and technologists that provides a common platform for scientific researchers, technocrats and industrialists to exchange knowledge in electrochemical science and technology and its allied fields. To realize this goal, SAEST organizes a number of national and international conferences/seminars/symposia to brainstorm the recent trends and cutting edge technologies in the field of Electrochemical Science and Technologies.

CSIR-Central Electrochemical Research Institute (CECRI) is a constituent laboratory under the Council of Scientific & Industrial Research. It undertakes research in all facets of electrochemical science and technology, which, in particular, covers corrosion science & engineering; electrochemicals; electrodics & electrocatalysis; electrochemical materials science; functional materials; electro plating & metal finishing; electro-organinc; electro-inorganic chemicals and pyrometallurgy; electrochemical power systems including batteries, fuel cells and supercapacitors; electrochemical pollution control and nanoscale electrochemistry. The institute also conducts a four-year B.Tech course in Chemical and Electrochemical Engineering.

Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT) was founded in 1984 as Vellore Engineering College by the Chancellor Dr.G.Viswanathan. VIT attracts students from all the 29 states of India and more than 41 different countries because of its academic excellence. The credentials of VIT in academics and research, has placed VIT in the 13th position among the engineering institutions and VIT Business School has placed 17th position among the business schools in India by NIRF, Govt. of India Ranking. The world ranking body namely the QS has given 4 STAR rating to VIT, with that VIT becomes the first institution in India to have the 4 STAR rating. In addition to this, the consortium of industries, FICCI has adjudged VIT as the "Excellence in Faculty". VIT has the record of publishing maximum number of SCOPUS Indexed Research Journal papers in 2016, among Indian Universities, overtaking all the premier institutions. VIT has also completed 3 cycles of NAAC accreditation and has been rated

as "A" grade institution. In addition, VIT also has obtained for the coveted ABET accreditation by US agency.

VIT has introduced many innovations in academic processes which adds value to every student. FFCS (Fully Flexible Credit System), PBL (Project Based Learning) for better learning, fully digitized academic portals that assists students in equipping themselves for 2020 market place, Hackathons / Makeathons as part of curriculum exercise which kindles the interest and the curiosity of students, which moulds them to be better problem solvers, 8th module in every subject being handled by industry experts, making the students contextualize the concepts they study in the classroom, are a few of the innovations that VIT has introduced.

SAEST, in association with VIT and CECRI, is organizing the 20th National Convention of Electrochemists (NCE-20) at VIT, Vellore during **7-8 June, 2018**.

Special Lectures

- Prof. KSG Doss Memorial Lecture
- Prof. SK Rangarajan Memorial Lecture
- Prof. SSathyanarayana Memorial Lecture

Technical Sessions

Contributory papers are solicited in the following areas:

- Corrosion Science & Engineering
- Electrocatalysis and Electrochemical Sensors
- Electrochemical Energy Conversion and Storage
- Electroplating and Metal Finishing
- Electrochemicals
- Electrometallurgy and Fused Salt Electrolysis
- Environmental Electrochemistry & Bio-Electrochemistry
- Materials Science
- Nanoscale Electrochemistry

Accepted papers will be presented in oral/ poster sessions. Those desirous of contributing papers are requested to send soft copies of abstracts (maximum 300 words, two figures and one table) to saestkkd@yahoo.com. Online registration may be made at www.saest.com on or before **10 May, 2018**. Please indicate the session name on the abstracts page and also your choice for oral/poster presentation. Please note that the conference technical committee reserves the right to assign presentations as oral/poster. All communications will be sent by e-mail only.



Registration Form

Twentieth National Convention of Electrochemists (NCE-20) 7-8 June, 2018 Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore.

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| | Delegates are requested to send their requirements for accommodation in VIT Campus well in advance. | | | | |
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