

Registration

All participants are required to register for the Conference.

Registration fee will cover refreshments, lunch and Conference material.

Online registration will be available on SUPARCO & IST websites from 15 Feb 2016.

Registration Fee

Foreign

Participants: | USD 500/-
Students: | USD 250/-

Locals

Participants: | Rs 5000/-
Students: | Rs 1500/-

Registration fee waiver is available for participants presenting papers at the Conference.

Financial Support

Within the limited resources available, only a few foreign participants can be provided financial support for presenting papers at the Conference. Applicants requesting funding should upload duly-filled and endorsed sponsorship application (available on the Conference webpage

www.suparco.gov.pk/pages/ics-2016.asp along with their abstract.

Financial support is also available for a limited number of paper presenters and local students to facilitate participation in the conference. Participants and students applying for funding support should upload duly-filled and endorsed sponsorship application form available on the Conference webpage

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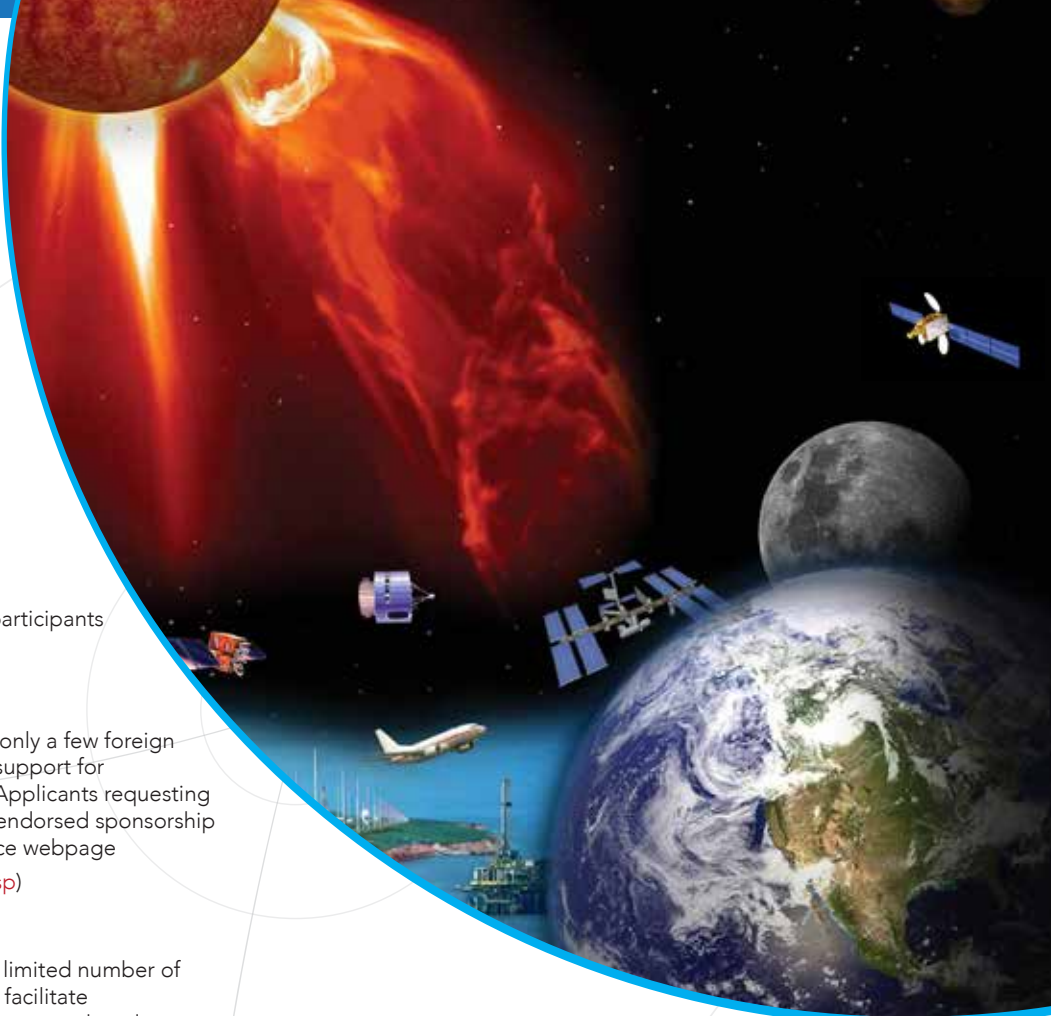
Exhibition

An exhibition area will be available during the Conference. Related details will be available on conference web page.

Life and Health Insurance

Life and major health insurance shall be the responsibility of the participant or his/her organization.

Conference organizers and sponsors will not bear any responsibility in this regard.



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Detailed Conference program is available on : www.suparco.gov.pk

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Introduction and Background

Pakistan Space & Upper Atmosphere Research Commission (SUPARCO), the national space agency of Pakistan, in collaboration with Institute of Space Technology (IST), Islamabad is organizing 2nd International Conference on Space (ICS-2016). Inter-Islamic Network on Space Sciences & Technology (ISNET) will be co-sponsor of the Conference.



International Conference on Space is a biennial event focusing on all aspects of space. It is aimed at providing a forum connecting researchers, scientists, administrative heads of public-sector space agencies and commercial space industries as well as academia from around the world at one forum to enable them to share latest developments in space technologies and applications, and discuss ways and means of using these space-based technologies and their applications to address issues of international concern.

ICS-2016 will be a complete package for space professionals, decision-makers, academicians, researchers and scientists as well as students of space sciences and technologies to showcase their achievements, share experiences and voice their opinions on important space and development issues in a highly interactive and cross-disciplinary environment.



Program

The Conference will feature a plenary, technical sessions & panel discussions in addition to a poster display, student project display and an exhibition.

The key focus areas of the ICS-2016 include the following:

Space Sciences

- Astronomy, Astrophysics, Cosmology, Dark Energy, Dark Matter, Black Holes, Expanding Universe, Higgs Boson and its Implication
- Space Exploration & Planetary Science
- Microgravity Sciences and applications
- Atmospheric Sciences & Space Weather
- Ionospheric and Geomagnetic research

Space Applications

SRS & GIS applications in:

- Natural resources management
- Agricultural management
- Coastal and marine resources management
- Disaster monitoring and management
- Urban Planning & Transport
- Health
- Environment & Earth Sciences
- Satellite Communication Applications (Global Navigation Satellite Systems, GNSS Applications)

Space Technology

- Infrastructure for space technologies development
- Launch Opportunities
- Innovative/Low Cost small satellite platform for Earth observation
- Space Project Management
- Satellite System Engineering/Concurrent Engineering
- Space Power Systems, Solar Cell Manufacturing and Solar Panel Fabrication
- Aerospace Systems
- Guidance, Navigation & Control System
- Innovative Materials & Structures
- Advance Propulsion Systems
- Nano-technology for space missions

Space & Youth

- Student satellite projects
- Student research projects
- Industry-University collaboration
- Higher education and research opportunities
- Pakistan Astronaut Program

Space Law, Policy & Regulatory Issues

- International Space Treaties
- National Space Laws and Regulatory Issues
- Legal Issues under Debate

Venue & Accommodation

ICS-2016 will be held at 20-22 Sept, 2016, Comstech Islamabad. Accommodation for foreign participants will be arranged by the organizers.

Who Should Attend

Space researchers, scientists, engineers, technologists, professionals, policy experts, government decision-makers, academicians and students of space sciences, space technology, space law and space engineering.

Abstract & Paper Submission

Those wishing to present papers are invited to upload abstracts of about 250-400 words in English language on MS Word format and fill online application form available on conference webpage.

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An international panel of experts will evaluate abstracts. Full length manuscripts of accepted abstracts are required to be submitted by the specified date.

Language of the Conference

The language of the Conference will be English.

Important Dates (Final Call)

Call for Abstract	15 Feb 2016
Abstract submission deadline	15 Mar 2016 05 Apr 2016
Notification of acceptance	11 Apr 2016 20 Apr 2016
Full paper (Paper + plagiarism report + CV)	
Submission Deadline	05 Jun 2016 15 Jun 2016
Notification of accepted papers	31 Jul 2016
Registration deadline (Local/International)	16 Aug 2016
Conference dates	20-22 Sept 2016