



Asian-Pacific School on Statistical Physics and Interdisciplinary Applications

11 - 19 September 2006

and

International Conference on Recent Advances in the Interdisciplinary Applications of Statistical Physics

20 - 22 September 2006

GUIDELINES FOR REQUESTING PARTICIPATION

GENERAL

- Graduate students and post-docs Scientists and students from all countries which are members of the United Nations, UNESCO or IAEA, may attend these activities. Preference will be given to applicants from the Asian-Pacific region.
- Participants must have an adequate working knowledge of English.
- Although the main purpose of the Centre is to help research workers from developing countries, a limited number of students and post-doctoral scientists from developed countries are also welcome to attend.
- There is no registration fee to be paid.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

- May be requested only by candidates who are nationals of, and working in, a developing country, and who are not more than 45 years old.
- Limited funds are available for a few participants, to be selected by the Organizers, and who accept to attend the entire activity.

REQUEST FOR PARTICIPATION

The **Application Form** should be completed and returned before **31 May 2006** to:

Secretariat for applicants from China Mainland: The applicants should consult the webpage: <http://www.icts.cn/science/school060911.htm> (which will be constantly up-dated), and submit applications on-line. For any queries please consult the secretariat: Ms. Hui Tang, Interdisciplinary Center of Theoretical Studies, CAS, #55 Zhong Guan Cun Dong Lu, P.O. Box 2735, 100080 Beijing, China (tel.: +86-10-82640456 - fax: +86-10-82640409 - email: icts@itp.ac.cn)
ICTS Home Page: <http://www.icts.cn/>

Secretariat for applicants from other countries and regions: The Application Form can be obtained at the activity webpage: <http://agenda.ictp.trieste.it/smr.php?1786> (which will be constantly up-dated) or from the activity Secretariat: Ms. Rosa del Rio, Abdus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics (Ref. smr 1786), Strada Costiera 11 - 34014 Trieste, Italy (tel.: +39-040-2240396 - fax: +39-040-224163 - email: smr1786@ictp.it)

EDUCATION (higher degrees)

<u>University or equivalent</u> Name and place	<u>Years attended</u> From to		<u>Degrees</u>

SCIENTIFIC EMPLOYMENT AND ACADEMIC RESPONSIBILITY

<u>Research Institution or University</u> Name and place	<u>Period of duty</u> From to	<u>Academic responsibilities</u>

Present employment and duties, and foreseen employment upon return to home country after the activity:

Have you participated in past ICTP activities? If yes, which? Yes No

Are you applying to any other 2006 ICTP activities? If yes, which? Yes No

Mention briefly your current research experience, and explain your reasons for wishing to participate in this activity:

NB: Our Scientific Information System keeps track of all applications made by the candidate to earlier ICTP activities. As a consequence, when the subject of the present activity is far from your previous applications, an explanation (not more than 200 words) of your change of interest should be included.

Kindly supply a keyword description of your current scientific activities, as follows (*strictly within indicated lengths*) :

1) Area of research

_____ (no more than 50 characters)

2) Specific topic of interest

_____ (no more than 50 characters)

List your **scientific publications** including books and articles (authors, title, Journal) in the last five years:

Indicate below your proficiency in the English language

Reading:	Good	<input type="checkbox"/>	Writing:	Good	<input type="checkbox"/>	Speaking:	Good	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Average	<input type="checkbox"/>		Average	<input type="checkbox"/>		Average	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Poor	<input type="checkbox"/>		Poor	<input type="checkbox"/>		Poor	<input type="checkbox"/>

REQUEST for Financial Assistance

APPLICABLE ONLY TO CANDIDATES WHO ARE NATIONALS OF, AND WORKING IN, A DEVELOPING COUNTRY, AND WHO ARE NO MORE THAN 45 YEARS OLD.

(Important: Owing to limited funds, support for travel will be granted only in exceptional cases. Therefore, every effort should be made by applicants to secure support for their fare --or at least a partial contribution-- from their home country).

Please mind that financial support can be granted only when attending both activities.

(Please tick ONE box only)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Full Travel + Subsistence | <input type="checkbox"/> Subsistence only |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Half Travel + Subsistence | <input type="checkbox"/> No financial support requested |

I certify that if granted funds for my travel, I shall attend the whole activity

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Signature

- I am applying for attendance:**
- ONLY TO THE SCHOOL
 - ONLY TO THE CONFERENCE
 - BOTH TO SCHOOL AND CONFERENCE

Signature of applicant

Date