

PRESENTATION

Presentation can be either oral or poster. The allocated time for each oral presentation will be 15 minutes followed by 5 minutes of question and answer session. Poster presentation session is throughout the conference. Please limit poster size to 90 cm in width and 150 cm in height.

PARTICIPANTS

Who should attend:

- Academicians from Institute of Higher Learning in the field of Solid State Science & Technology
- Scientists and Researchers from various Research Institutes
- Research Post-graduate Students
- Industrialists and Science Teachers
- All other interested individuals

VENUE

The conference will be held at the Tiara Beach Resort, Port Dickson, Negeri Sembilan, MALAYSIA

ACCOMODATION

Reservations at the hotel can be arranged by contacting the hotel at
Telephone: (606) - 662 8888,
Facsimile: (606) - 662 8989
Email: reservation@tbr.com.my

Relevant information relating to the venue and the city of Port Dickson is accessible via
<http://www.tbr.com.my/> and
<http://www.portdickson.net/> respectively.

LANGUAGE

Papers can be presented in Bahasa Malaysia or English.

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FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT and CALL FOR PAPERS



MASS

24th REGIONAL CONFERENCE ON SOLID STATE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY 2008 (RCSST 2008)

30 November – 2 December 2008

Tiara Beach Resort, Port Dickson
Negeri Sembilan, MALAYSIA

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Through Solid State Science and
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INTRODUCTION

The Regional Conference of Solid State Science & Technology is an annual event in Malaysia. This 24th Conference 2008 is jointly organized by the Department of Physics, Faculty of Science, Universiti Putra Malaysia as the host, and the Malaysian Solid State Science & Technology Society (MASS).

The aim of this conference is to provide a platform for discussions of Solid State Science and Technology in all aspects of physical and chemical properties, preparation and characterization techniques, optical properties, macro-, micro- and nano-structures. In addition, modelling, simulation, measurement methods as well as current developments in technology will also be discussed.

RESEARCH

This conference is designed to encourage extended free discussion of current results and ongoing related research in solid state science and technology. Topics include, but are not limited to the following areas:

- Ceramics and Glasses
- Magnetic Materials
- Materials' Preparation and Characterization Techniques
- Metals and Alloys
- Nanoscience and Nanotechnology
- Optical and Dielectric Materials
- Polymers and Composites
- Semiconductor and Devices
- Superconductors
- Theory, Simulation and Modelling and other related areas
- Thin Films

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

The registration fee includes the attendance at all scientific sessions, a program book, lunch, tea breaks, conference materials and conference dinner.

Payments should be made to "The MASS, Malaysia" by bank draft, money order, postal order or personal cheque only and should reach the Conference Secretariat before or on the day of registration of the conference. The rates are as follows:

MASS Member	RM 650
Non-Member	RM 750
Student	RM 500

ABSTRACT/PAPER SUBMISSIONS

The presented papers will be reviewed for consideration to be published in

Journal of Solid State Science & Technology
Journal of Solid State Science & Technology Letter
PERTANIKA Journal of Science and Technology

Deadline for receipt of Abstracts:

August 31, 2008

Notification of Abstract Acceptance:

September 12, 2008

Deadline for Full Paper Submission:

November 30, 2008

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