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Microanalysis Conference

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Nanoscience and Nanotechnology

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# WELCOME

## Welcome to the APMC-10, ICONN 2012 & ACMM-22

On behalf of the Organising Committee it is our pleasure to welcome you to the 10th Asia-Pacific Microscopy Conference (APMC-10), the International Conference on Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (ICONN 2012) and the 22nd Australian Conference on Microscopy and Microanalysis (ACMM-22) to be held in Perth, Western Australia, 5-9 February 2012.

Our 2012 Meeting has three core elements, as detailed on our website [www.APMC-10.org](http://www.APMC-10.org). Each can be attended as a discrete event. These elements have been designed to provide delegates with the maximum benefit from travelling to the world's most (geographically) isolated capital city.

Over 1,000 registrants, from more than 30 nations, have registered and will provide a unique science and technology forum. Around 300 registrants are students, thanks to the generous bursaries provided by the Australian Nanotechnology Network, the Australian Microscopy and Microanalysis Society and the International Federation of Societies for Microscopy. The Scientific Exhibition has also been well subscribed and ~100 booths are displaying the latest microscopy and nanoscience infrastructure.

The traditional scientific programs of each Conference will be run in nine parallel, with some joint sessions, with over 850 papers in total. Delegates may attend any they choose through the single registration process. The Exhibition and social events are shared, to enable our communities to network extensively.

The Event is being conducted under the auspices of the Council of Asia-Pacific Societies for Microscopy (CAPSM), The Australian Nanotechnology Network (ANN), the Australian Microscopy and Microanalysis Society Inc (AMMS) and the International Federation of Societies for Microscopy (IFSM). These organisations and a range of sponsors have allowed us to develop the largest combined microscopy and nanotechnology event in Australia.

We look forward to meeting you through the Conference.

*The Conference is dedicated to the memory of Professor David Cockayne FRS.*

**Brendan Griffin & Lorenzo Faraone**  
Co-Chairs  
APMC-10, ICONN 2012 & ACMM-22

Nanotechnology is one of the fastest growing areas of research and technology. The ANN is dedicated to substantially enhancing Australia's research outcomes in this important field by promoting effective collaborations, exposing researchers to alternative and complementary approaches from other fields, encouraging forums for postgraduate students and early career researchers, developing industry links, increasing nanotechnology infrastructure, enhancing awareness of existing infrastructure, and promoting international links. ICONN 2012 is the major forum designed to achieve these goals.

**Professor Chennupati Jagadish**  
Australian Nanotechnology  
Network (ANN)

**ICONN 2012**

6.5	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9
Nanotechnology in Energy & the Environment Nanotechnology Solar Cells - 2	Dim. Nanotechnology & Nano-Medicine Nanoparticles in Biology - 2	Nano-Diagnostics & Nano-Electromechanics Diagnostics - 1	Nano-Manufacturing, Safety & Standards Exposure	Nanotechnology Including Nanoparticles Mixed Materials
<p><b>Andrey Rogach</b></p> <p>MEETING ROOM 5</p> <p>Hybrid structures of semiconductor nanocrystals in photovoltaics and hydrogen generation <u>Andrey Rogach Invited</u> City University of Hong Kong</p>	<p><b>Isvan Toth</b></p> <p>MEETING ROOM 6</p> <p>Dendritic delivery systems for peptide vaccines <u>Isvan Toth Invited</u> (The University of Queensland)</p>	<p><b>Richard Blaikie</b></p> <p>MEETING ROOM 7</p> <p>Nanoscale Lithographic Imaging using Surface Plasmons and other Resonant Reflection Phenomena <u>Richard Blaikie Invited</u> (University of Otago)</p>	<p><b>Megan Diamond-McLeod</b></p> <p>MEETING ROOM 8</p> <p>The durability of carbon nanotubes, and their potential to cause inflammation <u>MJ Diamond-McLeod Invited</u> (CSIRO, CA Petland, P Murphy, L Waddington, H Morris, SC Hawkins, S Clark, R Aikman, MJ McCall, K Donaldson)</p>	<p><b>Ann Roberts</b></p> <p>RIVERSIDE THEATRE</p> <p>Electrochemistry Assisted Laser Ablation in Liquid: Applications in Synthesis of Polycrystalline Nanostructures <u>G.W. Yang</u> (Sun Yat-Sen University, P. R. C.)</p> <p>Synthesis of Mg<sub>2</sub>Zn<sub>1-x</sub>O nano-powder by urea based Chemical Combustion method <u>Kalapada Venkateswara Rao</u> (Jawahar Lal Nehru Technological University, Hyderabad), <u>Vanga Rajendar</u>, <u>Y Aparna</u>, <u>M Chandrashekar</u></p>
<p>A new strategy for constructing nanostructured electrodes for highly efficient flexible dye-sensitized solar cells: from pre-treatable building blocks to films <u>Fuzhi Huang</u> (Monash University), <u>Dahong Chen</u>, <u>Rachel Caruso</u>, <u>Yi-Bing Cheng</u></p>	<p>Insight into Serum Protein Interaction with Functionalized Magnetite Nanoparticles in Biological Media <u>Milica Wiggo</u> (The University of New South Wales), <u>May Lim</u>, <u>Wolga Bulmus</u>, <u>Lucia Guerrer</u>, <u>Robert Woodward</u></p>	<p>Nano-antenna arrays based on intersecting and interacting gold nanorods <u>Michael Corja</u> (University of Technology Sydney), <u>Nicholas Stokes</u>, <u>Richard Wainner</u>, <u>Andrew McDonagh</u></p>	<p>Herringbones, stacked-cups or bamboo... towards a standard nomenclature for sp<sup>2</sup> carbon nanoforams <u>Irene Suarez-Martinez</u> (Curtin University of Technology), <u>N Groben</u>, <u>C P Ewels</u></p>	<p>Mixture of fuel approach for the solution combustion synthesis of nanocrystalline bismuth ferrite <u>K Eswara Prasad</u> (Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Hyderabad), <u>V Sashai Sai Kumar</u>, <u>K Venkateswara Rao</u></p>
<p>TiO<sub>2</sub> Nanostructure Synthesized by Sol-Gel for Dye Sensitized Solar Cells (DSSC) <u>Ari Ramalan</u> (Physics Department Sebelas Maret University (UNS)), <u>Harjana Harjana</u>, <u>taufiq Sakri</u></p>	<p>Reduction of Titanium Dioxide Nanoparticle Cytotoxicity via Polymer Grafting <u>Roshni Jadia</u> (ARC Center Of Excellence for Functional Nanomaterials, University of New South Wales), <u>Alexander H Soeriyadi</u>, <u>Michael I Whittaker</u>, <u>Christopher Marquis</u>, <u>May Lim</u>, <u>Cyrille Boyer</u>, <u>Thomas P Davis</u></p>	<p>Processing the CNTs' interaction in Web using an Electrostatic Field Based Process <u>C. D. Tran</u> (University of Southern Queensland), <u>T. Tran-Cong</u>, <u>K. Lu-Cao</u>, <u>&amp; D. Ho-Minh</u></p>	<p>Risk Assessment for Nanotechnology - Exposure and systemic distribution <u>Michael Roberts Invited</u> (University of South Australia &amp; Queensland), <u>Jeff Grace</u>, <u>Tom Robinson</u>, <u>Qian Zhang</u>, <u>Jiping Wang</u>, <u>H Jin</u>, <u>Xiaowen Liang</u>, <u>Lari Prow</u>, <u>David Liu</u>, <u>Xin Liu</u></p>	<p>Synthesis of small Mg<sub>2</sub>Al-layered double hydroxide (LDH) nanoparticles <u>Zhiping Xu</u> (The University of Queensland), <u>Haiyan Dong</u>, <u>Harindra Parekh</u>, <u>Shahar Rahman</u></p>
<p>A Novel TiO<sub>2</sub> Material for High-Efficiency Dye-Sensitized Solar Cells <u>Xia Wu</u> (NIG), <u>Max Lu</u>, <u>Lianzhou Wang</u></p>	<p>Effects of Serum Protein Adsorption on the Uptake and Biological Impact of Titanium Dioxide Nanoparticles on Human Lung Cell Lines in vitro <u>Roshni Jadia</u> (ARC Center of Excellence For Functional Nanomaterials, University Of New South Wales), <u>May Lim</u>, <u>Rissa Amal</u>, <u>Christopher Marquis</u></p>	<p>Optical Properties of a Monolayer Array of Latex Spheres on a Flat Metal Surface <u>Jian Qi</u> (Fudan University), <u>Lei Shi</u>, <u>Xizoban Liu</u></p>	<p>Risk Assessment for Nanotechnology - Exposure and systemic distribution <u>Michael Roberts Invited</u> (University of South Australia &amp; Queensland), <u>Jeff Grace</u>, <u>Tom Robinson</u>, <u>Qian Zhang</u>, <u>Jiping Wang</u>, <u>H Jin</u>, <u>Xiaowen Liang</u>, <u>Lari Prow</u>, <u>David Liu</u>, <u>Xin Liu</u></p>	<p>Study of silica modified porous alumina membranes for protein transport and separation <u>Monesha Nambiar</u> (Flinders University), <u>Peter Evans</u>, <u>Serry Triani</u>, <u>Joe Shapter</u>, <u>Dusan Losic</u></p>
<p>Approach to Improved Dye Sensitized Solar Cell By Using Plasma Technology <u>Sayathi Devi Ramohan</u> (Deakin University) <u>Xiguan J Dai</u>, <u>Takuya Tsuzuki</u></p>	<p>Robust Fabrication of Chemical Micropatterns for Tumor Spheroid Preparation and Study of Nanoparticles Intratumoral-Transport <u>Jianping Liu</u> (Ian Wark Research Institute, University of South Australia), <u>Lorena Dieguez</u>, <u>Benjamin Thierry</u></p>	<p>Analytical Solution of the Fundamental Waveguide Mode of 1D Transmission Grating for TM Polarization <u>Anishur Rahman</u> (School of AME UniSA), <u>Krasimir Vasilev</u>, <u>Petar Majewski</u></p>	<p>Nanometrology for accurate nanoscale measurements <u>Jan Herrmann</u> (National Measurement Institute), <u>Bekir Babic</u>, <u>Hasthor J Carchipoole</u>, <u>Victoria A Coleman</u>, <u>Chris Freund</u>, <u>A. K. Jamming</u>, <u>Malcolm Lawn</u>, <u>Mairee Roy</u>, <u>John Miles</u></p>	<p>Selective catalyst reduction by NO<sub>x</sub> by NH<sub>3</sub> at low temperature window in presence/absence of O<sub>2</sub> over several of 5 wt% V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> <u>Hosang Ahn</u> (Korea Institute of Science and Technology) <u>Jung Jongsco</u>, <u>Chin Sungmin</u></p>

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