

## REGISTRATION

The registration fees for foreign delegates are:

	<i>Regular</i>	<i>Early Bird</i>
Contributing Authors	USD 550	USD 500
Delegates	USD 600	USD 550
Student	USD 350	USD 300
Accompanying person	USD 350	USD 300

- Only those papers for which registration fee has been paid will be scheduled for presentation / included in the proceedings.
- Early bird discounts are valid till December 31 2017.
- Late registrations after 01-Feb-2018 will be USD 100 more than regular registration fee.
- An Alumni Meet / Dinner will be held on 21 Feb. 2018.

The conference proceedings will be published online through Elsevier / Science Direct. Further details may be had from [www.icoe.doe.iitm.ac.in](http://www.icoe.doe.iitm.ac.in). A major portion of the registration fees of delegates from India will be covered by Sponsors from Government agencies. Hence, the fee structure for delegates, authors, students and accompanying persons from India will be ₹ 15000/-, 12000/-, 6000/- and 10000/- respectively. An additional sum of ₹ 2000/- will apply after 31 December 2017.

## EXHIBITION & SPONSORSHIP

An exhibition will be arranged during the conference for the industry and others to showcase their products and services. Details of the fee and booking will be available in the conference web site soon. Organisations and industries are also invited to sponsor the Conference. For conditions of sponsorship and privileges of sponsors, please contact the Organising Secretary or visit the conference web site.

## IMPORTANT DATES

- Submission of abstract : June 15, 2017
- Acceptance of abstract : July 15, 2017
- Submission of full paper : Sep 30, 2017
- Acceptance of full paper : Oct 30, 2017
- Early bird registration : before Dec 31, 2017
- Conference date : Feb 18 - 21, 2018

**Conference Venue: ICSR Auditorium, IIT Madras**

## CONFERENCE TOURS

A few technical tours are being planned. These tours will run during and after the conference. The tours that are planned during the conference will focus on ocean, coastal and harbour related engineering projects in and around Chennai. The post conference tours will be planned to cover tourist attractive places in India. Cultural tours to various destinations could be arranged originating from Chennai.

Mahabalipuram, Backwaters of Kerala, Forest reserves of South India, Pondicherry and Pichavaram, Temple towns of Tamil Nadu are some of the options for post conference tours.



## CONFERENCE SECRETARIAT

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A Local Organising Committee with the Director of IIT Madras as the patron and faculty of the Department of Ocean Engineering and other sister agencies will oversee the smooth running of the Conference.

# The 4th International Conference in Ocean Engineering (ICOE2018)



**SECOND ANNOUNCEMENT**  
**February 18 to 21 2018**



*Theme*  
**Emerging Opportunities and Challenges**

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## INTRODUCTION

The Fourth International Conference in Ocean Engineering (ICOE2018) will be organized by the Department of Ocean Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology Madras (IITM). During the 60 years of its existence, the IITM has consolidated itself as an Institute of excellence in technology and research and has become the number one institute in the technological education in the country. The Department of Ocean Engineering has achieved significant success with a very dynamic profile in terms of training graduate and postgraduate professionals for careers across the globe. The department is a centre of excellence in disciplines spanning across the areas of ship design, coastal and harbor structures, deep-water technologies, marine geo-techniques, energy and areas in oil and gas. The department has an internationally acclaimed rare combination of hydrodynamic test facilities that include a towing tank, a wave basin, wave flumes, harbor modelling basin, ocean energy, oil and gas supported by state of the art instrumentation as well as the expertise of the faculty team. The department organized ICOE in 1996, 2001 and 2009. With this background, the fourth International Conference in Ocean Engineering 2018 (ICOE2018) offers an exciting platform for academicians, engineers from industry, policy makers and administrators from all over the globe to deliberate on various conference themes.

## INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY MADRAS

Set in verdant wooded surroundings, the campus of IIT Madras offers an ideal environment for the most stimulating research activities. The Institute campus extends over an area of 2.5 square kilometers in Chennai, the political and cultural capital of Tamil Nadu. The IITM campus is a self-contained township with all the facilities of a modern university, situated in wooded surroundings. The conference will be held at the Industrial Consultancy and Sponsored Research (IC&SR) building of the Institute.

## CALL FOR PAPERS

The technical program of the Conference will consist of keynote addresses, contributed papers and special sessions with invited speakers. Contributed papers reviewed by an International Technical Committee will be selected for oral presentation. Prospective authors be requested to submit an abstract online of maximum 500 words as per format provided. Abstract should include the corresponding authors' affiliation, address, and electronic contact information.

Once the abstract accepted, the full papers (6-8 pages) should be prepared as per the guidelines provided. Conference proceedings will be published prior to the conference and will contain keynote addresses and all registered papers accepted for presentation in the conference, for which at least one of the authors is a registered delegate of the conference. Working language of the conference will be English.

There will be a few preconference workshops conducted by distinguished experts. More details will be available on the website.

## CONFERENCE THEMES

The Conference will deliberate to disseminate, discuss and interact with peers on the following themes, but not limited to:

Port, Harbour and Coastal Structures  
Offshore Structures and Deepwater Technology  
Marine Foundations and Reclamation  
Marine Vehicles and Floating Systems  
AUVs, ROVs and Underwater systems  
Ocean optics & Acoustics, GIS and Satellite imaging  
Petroleum Engineering & Technology  
Climate change and its impacts  
Ocean Renewable Energy  
Marine and Coastal Hydrodynamics  
Computations in Ocean and Petroleum engineering  
Safety, risk and reliability including environment

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