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St Thomas College Pala is one of the first institutions in India to introduce masters program in Statistics. To celebrate the 75th birth anniversary of Professor A.M. Mathai who is one of our prestigious alumni and former faculty, we organize an international conference in his honour during January 3-5, 2011. For a cv of Professor A.M. Mathai log on to www.math.mcgill.ca/mathai/.

The International Conference on Mathematical Sciences (ICMS 2011) aims to bring together academic scientists and researchers to exchange and share their experiences and research findings in Mathematical Sciences, and discuss the practical challenges encountered and the solutions adopted. To promote international participation of researchers from outside India, foreign experts are proposed as invited speakers. The section titles of ICMS-2011 include but are not limited to:

Integral transforms and special functions; Differential equations and applications; Integral, difference, functional equations and fractional calculus; Real and complex analysis; Applied problems of analysis; Theoretical and applied problems of mechanics; Astrophysics; Distribution theory; Stochastic processes; Statistical inference; Multivariate analysis; Mathematical and stochastic modeling; Computation and simulation.

Call for Abstracts

The organizers will accept papers for presentation at the conference subject to approval by referees. Please send abstracts electronically (preferably in LaTeX or Word format) to Dr. Joy Jacob at the email address jjstc2000@yahoo.com. The title of the abstract must be followed by the name(s) of the author(s) (please underline the name of the presenter), their affiliation(s) and e-mail address (es), the body of the abstract, AMS classification numbers, and up to five keywords.

Deadline for submission of abstract: 31 August 2010.

Paper Submission

All full papers will be peer reviewed and chosen based on originality, content, correctness, relevance to conference, contributions and readability. Prospective authors are kindly invited to submit full text including results, tables, figures and references. Full text (.doc, .tex with .pdf) will be accepted only by electronic submission through seemonpala@rediffmail.com or jjstc2000@yahoo.com.

Deadline for submission of full manuscript: 30 September 2010.

Special Journal Issue

All submitted papers in ICMS 2011 will have opportunities for consideration for a Special Issue of a reputed international journal. The selection will be carried out during the review process as well as at the conference presentation stage. Submitted papers must not be under consideration by any other journal for publication. The final decision will be made based on peer review reports by the guest editors and the Editor-in-Chief jointly.

Important Dates

Submission of abstract	by August 31, 2010
Submission of full manuscript	by September 30, 2010
Notification of acceptance for presentation	by October 15, 2010
Conference dates	January 3-5, 2011

Registration

All participants will have to be registered and the registration form in word format is available from www.stcp.ac.in. Early registration is recommended since the number of participants will be limited.

Registration Fees	For foreign participants	For Indian participants
By October 31, 2010	US \$150.00	Rs 1200
Between November 1, 2010 and December 31, 2010	US \$175.00	Rs 1300
After December 31, 2010	US \$200.00	Rs 1500

Students and local participants who do not require accommodation are allowed a reduction of US \$50 or Rs 400 in the above tariffs. Registration fee includes:

Food and moderate accommodation in the guest house during conference days, conference materials, banquet and entertainment programs.

Registration fee can be transferred electronically to: A/c- Co-ordinator ICMS 2011, Account No. 0453053000006856, South Indian Bank, Arunapuram, India. For transfer in India (RTGS or NEFT) use IFSC Code: SIBL0000453. For international transfer use SWIFT Code: SOININ 55. Electronic transfer of fee must be indicated with full reference in the registration form.

Please send completed registration form through email or by post to: Seemon Thomas, Co-ordinator, ICMS 2011, Department of Statistics, St. Thomas College, Pala-686 574, INDIA, Ph: +91-4822-201288, Fax: +91-4822-216313, Email: seemonpala@rediffmail.com, seemon@stcp.ac.in.

Presentation certificate will be issued to those who present papers, and all others will be issued attendance certificate provided they attend all sessions.

Technical Equipments for Electronic PowerPoint/Acrobat Presentations will be available. For more details regarding the conference log on to our website www.stcp.ac.in.

Information concerning hotels and their charges will be provided later. We also plan to have a cultural event, and a short sightseeing trip.

For details regarding nearby places of tourist interest log on to www.keralatourism.org.