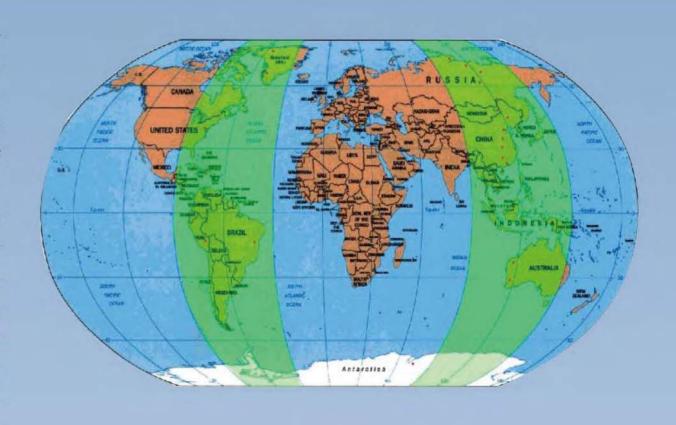
first Announcement

2011 workshop on the International Space Weather Meridian Circle Project (ISWMCP)

Website: http://iswmcp2011.csp.escience.cn/dct/page/65560

Sanya, Hainan Island, China Feb. 20 - 25, 2011

Chinese Meridian Project is a ground-based chain mainly along 120°E to monitor China's geospace environment, which will start operation from Jan. 1, 2011. An new initiative, called the International Space Weather Meridian Circle Project (ISWMCP), is proposed to connect 120°E and 60°W chains of ground-based monitors all over the world (mainly in Australia, Brazil, Canada, Russia, and the USA), which will enhance the ability of scientists to monitor the space environment worldwide. The main purpose of ISWMCP would be to coordinate observations and share data among stations along the meridian to obtain the most scientific benefit for the global space weather community. The 2011 workshop will focus on the scientific objectives, collaboration framework, and future implement plans etc. of ISWMCP.



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Program

Feb. 20, 2011, Registration

Feb. 21, 2011, Welcome address and breakout sessions

Feb. 22, 2011, Discussion

Feb. 23, 2011, Summary and Minutes

Feb. 24, 2011, Professional tour

Feb. 25, 2010, Closing meeting

Venue

Located in Hainan Island, China's largest tropical island, Horizon Resort & Spa sits in the center of the Sanya Bay, which is known as the "No.1 Bay in the World".

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