

INFORMATION ON ISSF-2021

INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE-2021

Theme: Innovative Solutions for Sustainable Energy, Environment and Development.

About the ISSF-2021

The ISSF (International Symposium on a Sustainable Future) is a Flagship Event of the NEEF and ISCLA focusing on Innovative Research and Action in **Sustainable Energy, Environment and Development (SEED)**. The ISSF-2021 will be held at Mumbai, India, in January 2021. It is aimed at providing a common platform for academicians, researchers, corporate executives, government officers, policymakers and other stakeholders to exchange viewpoints and find innovative solutions for the SEED.

The issues of Energy, Environment and Sustainable Development are of critical importance, particularly, in developing economies. Energy needs of development, throughout the world, are facing an unprecedented challenge. Rising socio-economic and environmental concerns of energy use have resulted in search for the new and renewable energy forms such as biomass energy, solar energy, wind energy, etc. The burgeoning environmental problems, both at local and global levels, are posing a serious threat to the mankind and urgent measures are needed to tackle them. Paradigm shift from GDP oriented growth to overall welfare of the society is the need of hour for a sustainable future, which is the focus of the ISSF-2021.

About NEEF and ISLCA

The National Ecology and Environment Foundation (NEEF) is a not-for-profit, non-government Organization (NGO) having its Head Office at Mumbai, India and several Branch Offices across the country. The NEEF has been promoted by experts in the fields of engineering, science, humanities and social sciences and policy making. Its affiliates have several Collaborative Agreements with Individuals/ Organizations within India and abroad. The NEEF focuses on the "Energy and Environment Sectors" through its Programs on Education, Research, Consultancy, Action and Advocacy and Media and promotes sustainable development.

Indian Society for Life Cycle Assessment (ISLCA) is promoted by the NEEF to focus on LCA and provide a neutral forum where all viewpoints of environmental management and LCA can be addressed. The Advisory Boards of NEEF and ISLCA include outstanding experts and researchers having recognition at national and international levels in their areas of expertise. In addition, NEEF and ISLCA have several Life-members, Consultants, and Center Coordinators and Volunteers, contributing towards the promotion of their activities.

The Objectives and Activities of NEEF and ISLCA include-

- Theoretical and Action-oriented, Educational, Training and Mass Media Programs.
- Basic and Advance Research with an inter-disciplinary perspectives.
- Consultancy and Expert Advice to private and public sector organizations.

More details of the NEEF and its other programs, the ISSF and the ISLCA are available at WWW.NEEF.IN

Themes and Topics:

Broadly, theme of the ISSF events is **“Innovative Solutions for Sustainable Energy, Environment for Development (SEED).”** ISSF-2021 is will cover national and international concepts, methodology, case studies, action and advocacy on sustainability aspects of energy and environment sectors. Within its broad themes, among others, following topics will be covered.

- Problems of Local Ecosystems and Pollution of Air, Water, and Solid Waste and their possible solutions.
- Issues of Global Importance with particular focus on Greenhouse Gas Emissions and resulting Global Warming and its Impacts;
- Socio-Economic Dimension of Energy and Environment; Natural Resource Accounting; Trade and Environment Linkages;
- Role of various stake holders in SEED including Corporate Social and Environmental Responsibility;
- Challenges of and Possible Solutions for Pollution Prevention and Control including economic and technological measures; and,
- Sustainable Production and Consumption for Mitigating Climate Change.

Join the ISSF-2021

Organizations and Individuals are invited to join the ISSF-2021 to be held in Mumbai in January, 2021. Govt. organization, Corporates, Education and Research Organizations, NGOs, etc., are invited to join as Co-organizers/ Sponsors/ Co-Sponsors / Supporters of the ISSF-2021 and Individuals can join them as speakers and participants of the ISSF-2021. There are several benefits of joining the ISSF-2021, some of which are listed as follows:

Benefits of Joining the ISSF-2021:

- All material and logistics of the ISSF-2021 materials, such as, Website of NEEF, Banners, Displays, etc., will include the name and logo of the Co-organisers, sponsors, co-sponsors, and supporters, and thus, they will gain visibility at India / International level and may also utilize their contributions toward CSR.
- All individual delegates and any two delegates from an organization joining the ISSF-2021 get life membership of NEEF and ISLCA, which is a direct monetary benefit of Rs.5000/- to Rs.21000/-. In addition, Life members of NEEF/ ISLCA are entitled for several monetary benefits such as free/ discounted publications of NEEF; upto 50% discount on NEEF/ ISLCA future events, training programs, information on job opportunities, local and global events, etc.
- The Individuals / Organizations, who intend to open a NEEF Centre within their State/ District/ City will be offered a highly discounted fees for opening the Centre. A Centre of NEEF has potential to earn from upto 50% of the funds generated by from NEEF’s programs and activities.
- All presentations and papers submitted to the ISSF-2021 are published in the ISSF proceedings. Some papers, after a peer review process, may be published in the International Journal for Sustainable Innovations (IJSI) without any fee. Thus, a fee of INR5000 or USD200 per paper payable for publication in the IJSI is waived.
- Presentations and Papers having substantial component of public awareness may be published in ‘Savitarka’ free of cost and may be highlighted in the National/ International News Papers and Magazine.

Financial Contribution to Join the ISSF-2021

For Organizations:

Organizations are invited to be a Co-organizer, Sponsor, Co-sponsor or Supporter of the ISSF-2021. Financial contribution payable as per the Organization's Status (joining Category) in the ISSF-2021 are listed in the Table below.

Financial Contribution by Organizations for joining the ISSF-2021

Financial Contribution by	Status of Organization in the ISSF-2021			
	Co-Organizer	Sponsor	Co-sponsor	Supporter
Indian Organization	INR 10,00,000	INR 5,00,000	INR 3,00,000	INR 1,00,000
Foreign / International Organizations	USD 20,000	USD 10,000	USD 5,000	USD 3,000

For Exhibitors:

Organizations interested in displaying/ sharing their Products, Processes and Services during the ISSF-2021, which may offer Innovative and Sustainable Solutions in Energy, Environment for Development, can contact the organizers for their financial contribution for their Exhibits/ Displays.

For Individuals:

Individuals are invited to join as Session Chairs, Panel Members, Keynote Speakers, Speakers, and Participants of the Seminar Series (SS-2020) and the ISSF-2021. Financial contribution payable by individuals as per their category is listed in the Table below.

Registration Fee for Individual Participants of ISSF-2021

Registration Fee for	Category of Individual Participant				
	Govt. Org.	Corporate	Academic	Small NGO	Student
One day	INR 4000 (USD 200)	INR 5000 (USD 300)	INR 3000 (USD 100)	INR 3000 (USD 100)	INR 1000 (USD 50)
Two days	INR 6000 (USD 300)	INR 8000 (USD 400)	INR 5000 (USD 200)	INR 5000 (USD 200)	INR 2000 (USD 100)
Three days	INR 8000 (USD 400)	INR 10000 (USD 500)	INR 7000 (USD 300)	INR 7000 (USD 300)	INR 4000 (USD 300)

Notes:

- All above financial contributions/ fees must be paid by Bank Transfer/ Pay Order/ Demand Draft / Cashier's Cheque in the name of "The National Ecology and Environment Foundation (NEEF), Mumbai, India" payable at Mumbai, India.
- Registration Fee includes lunch, morning and evening tea/ coffee on events days.
- Fees in USD are for Foreign Participants with Current exchange rate (approximately) is: One US Dollar = INR74.
- Discount on financial contributions/ fees may be available at the discretion of the Organizers.

For further details, please contact:

Organizers:



National Ecology and Environment Foundation (NEEF), Mumbai, India



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