About the Workshop

The national workshop is primarily aimed to bring the researchers as well as Ph.D. scholars together to share their experience in both, the development and application of Scanning Probe Techniques. We have seen a dramatic rise of these techniques beginning with invention of scanning tunneling microscopy and atomic force microscope in early 1980s. Today, there exist different versions of scanning probe technology and those are widely used in areas as diverse as nanotechnology, oxides, superconductors, nanotribology and single molecules research in biophysics. The tremendous impact that these techniques have on the emerging new areas in all disciplines. It is important that young Ph.D. Students have an opportunity to listen eminent scientists who have contributed to the development and applications of Scanning Probe Microscopes.

Topics Covered

- 1. Scanning tunneling microscopy/spectroscopy in ambient conditions
- 2. Scanning tunneling microscopy/spectroscopy in low temperature physics
- 3. New developments in Scanning Force Microscopy/spectroscopy
- 4. Near-field scanning optical microscopy

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