中国-南非光学 / 红外双边天文会议

兹定于 2017 年 10 月 30 日至 11 月 1 日在云南丽江召开中国-南非光学/红外双边天文会议。本次会议是中国-南非天文合作框架下的序列会议之一,旨在讨论如何更好的共享两国的光学/红外望远镜资源和天文仪器研发经验。会议的另一个主旨是促进两国天文学家的科学交流,希望在星系形成和演化、活动星系核、恒星和行星形成以及演化、星际介质、时域天文学以及天文教育和普及等方面形成广泛的科学合作。本次会议由中国科学院国家天文台和南非国家研究基金会联合资助。

本次会议已得到南非方面的积极响应,有南非天文台(SAAO)和南非各高校的二十余名天文学家报名参加。他们的研究涵盖诸多领域,其中即将继任的下任 SAAO 台长、SAAO 天文仪器主任、南非 10 米望远镜(SALT)的天文科学主任和望远镜主管等将参会重点介绍 SAAO 的望远镜资源和天文仪器研发情况,并希望与中国同行讨论今后的合作和资源共享事宜。我们诚挚地邀请国内天文同事参会。

会议报名截止日期是 2017 年 10 月 15 日。请在如下会议网站报名:

http://cnsa-jointworkshop.csp.escience.cn/dct/page/1

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We are pleased to announce the workshop "Open Skies from China to South Africa -- Sharing Resources and Building Collaborations in Optical and Infrared Astronomy". It will be held in Lijiang, Yunnan province, during Oct 30 - Nov 1, 2017. The goal of the workshop is to bring together astronomers from China and South Africa to focus on astronomical observations in the optical and near-infrared bands. One key objective of the workshop is to determine how to share optical telescope facilities and experience in instrumentation development and telescope technologies in order to maximize the impact of scientific exploration. Furthermore, we hope to foster China-South Africa collaborations in active overlapping science areas, including (but not limited to) galaxy formation and evolution, AGN phenomena and physics, formation of stars & planets, process of interstellar medium, stellar evolution, and time-domain astronomy, as well as a component of astronomy outreach.

The deadline of registration is Oct 15, 2017, and the website for registration is http://cnsa-jointworkshop.csp.escience.cn/dct/page/1

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