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#### ABOUT KERALA

Kerala state is located in the south-west part of India inhabited by a fully literate



population and blessed with panoramic backwater stretches, lush paddy fields, highlands, hills and hillocks, associated with many legends. Kerala is illustrious for its rustic natural beauty, thick with rivers, lagoons and mountains. Kumarakom (serene, emerald green peninsula set in the backdrop of Vembanad Lake), Malabar (the Western Ghats Hill Resorts), Kovalam (for the refreshing bath in the cool sea), Munnar (the chill in Kerala round the year), Kochi (the Queen of Arabian sea) and Allepey (the Venice of the East) are major tourist destinations in the Kerala state, fondly known as the 'God's own country'.

#### ABOUT CALICUT



Calicut (Kozhikode), the place where Vasco De Gama landed during the dynasty of Samoothiri (Zamorins), is one of the major centers of higher education, learning and

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Wayanad the neighboring district, known as the land of spicy hills, offers excellent wild-life viewing opportunities, an insight into tribal culture evocative of earlier centuries, trekking and other adventure activities. Almost all the crops like coconut, areca nut, rubber, tea, coffee, pepper, ginger, turmeric, cocoa, cardamom, clove and vanilla are grown here. Pookode lake, Lakkidi View Point, Banasura Sagar Lake, Thirunelli Temple, Papanasini, Pakshi Pathalam, Tholpetty Wild Life Sanctuary, Kuruva Island, Muthanga Wild Life Sanctuary, Edakkal Caves, Ambalavayal Heritage Museum, Meenmutty Waterfalls, Kanthanpara Waterfalls, Soochippara Waterfalls and Chembra Peak are the major attractions in Wayanad.

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#### **ABOUT NIT CALICUT**



Set in a picturesque landscape at the foothills of the Western Ghats, National Institute of Technology Calicut (NITC) is

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NITC has thirteen departments, six centers and three schools. It offers nine undergraduates and twenty four postgraduate programmes apart from Ph.D. The institute has good infrastructure in computing, information technology, laboratories and central library including digital library. All departments have separate computing facility in addition to the central facility.

#### **ABOUT DEPARTMENT**

Department of Mechanical Engineering, the largest department in the Institute, offers regular undergraduate, postgraduate and doctoral degree programmes. It also offers part time doctoral degree programmes, mainly meant for those employed in industries and academic institutions. It offers a number of continuing education programmes too for industry personnel. Summer/Winter schools sponsored by the AICTE/ISTE have also been organized by the department. The faculties also provide guest lectures at many of the neighboring institutions. Besides teaching, the faculty members are involved in consultancy work (Design & Development, Energy Auditing, Industrial Sickness Evaluation, Testing etc.), sponsored research work (sponsored by DST, AICTE, ARDB etc.), and product development.

#### BACKGROUND

National Conference on I. C. Engines and Combustion has been biennial event under the auspices of the Combustion Institute-Indian Section. This conference provides a unique forum for engineers and scientists from academic/research laboratories/institutions/industries both from India and abroad to meet and exchange technical information on new developments in the field of I.C. Engines, Combustion and Propulsion. The deliberations of the conference will be focused on various themes under the following major thrust areas:

#### IC ENGINES

Alternative Fuels, Green fuels, Advanced IC Engine Technology, HCCI engines, Engine Diagnostics, Emissions and control

#### COMBUSTION

Basic Combustion, Combustion Diagnostics and instrumentation, Combustion of hydrogen, Combustion instability, Combustion in rockets and air-breathing engines, Supersonic Combustion, Industrial Combustion, Coal gasification and combustion, IGCC and UGC, Industrial applications of coal combustion

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Plenary Lecture on Conference Theme Invited and Keynote Addresses Technical Sessions and Presentations Technical Exhibition

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#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Receipt of full paper 15<sup>th</sup> September 2011 Acceptance of paper 15<sup>th</sup> October 2011 Registration due 30<sup>th</sup> October 2011

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