

First Announcement & Call for Papers

5th International Conference on Tribo-Chemistry

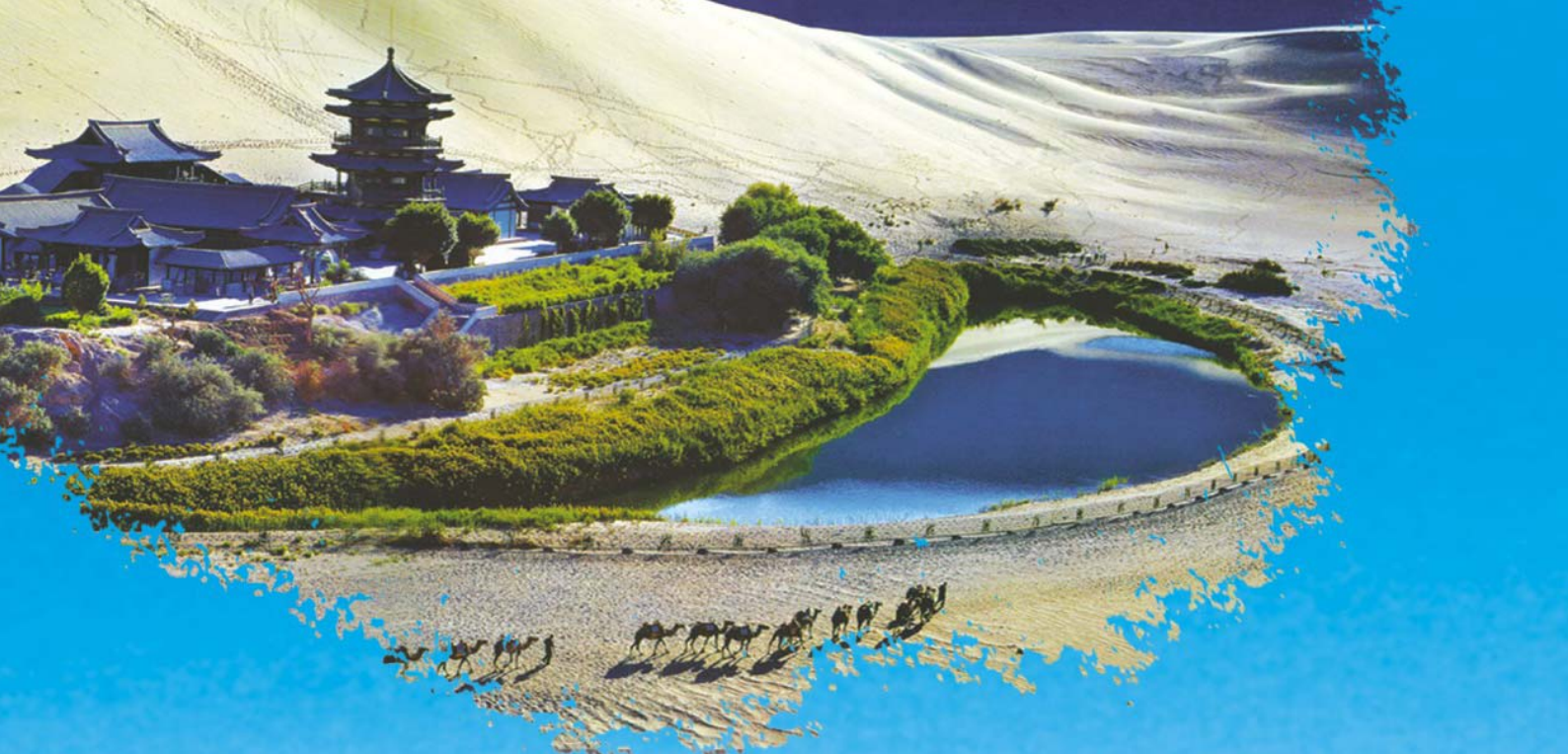
September 14th (Monday)—16th (Wednesday) 2009 Lanzhou, China

Organized by

Lanzhou Institute of Chemical Physical, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China

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Aims and Scope

The conference will focus on the tribochemistry phenomena, fundamental theory, and tribochemical application in engineering, and other fields related to tribochemistry. Tribochemistry research in nanotribology and advanced lubricant synthesis are also most welcome! The topics of the conference include:

Subjects	Organizers(to be announced)
Tribochemistry of Lubricants & Additives	
Surface, Interface & Nanotribology	
Surface Coatings & Tribology	
Wear of Composites Materials	

Abstract Submission

Original papers are invited on tribochemistry of theory, experiment, analysis, modeling and industry application. All papers related to tribology including tribochemistry, tribophysics, wear of materials, tribology in Micro-and nano-scales are encouraged. Intending authors are required to submit an abstract of not more than 2 pages through the conference Email. Authors of accepted papers are required to submit an extended abstract for publication of the conference proceedings electronically.



I mportant Dates

Abstract submission	30 th May 2009
Notification of acceptance	30 th June 2009
Extended abstract submission	30 th July 2009

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Language

The working language of the conference is English

Registration

Registration fee:

Standard rate: 500 US\$

Enterprise: 600 US\$

Students: 200 US\$

(The registration fee will include access to all presentations, printed bound volume, CD-ROM, welcome reception, banquet, luncheon, refreshments and conference facilities).

Registration form: Please go to the website: <http://www.tribochem.cn> to download the registration form or register online.

Hotel Accommodation

Several hotels are suggested here for your selection, such as Ningwozhuang Hotel, Legend Hotel and Huayu Hotel. They are near to the Lanzhou Institute of Chemical Physics and easy to travel to the conference venue. Registration will begin from Sep. 13th in the front of VIP Building in Ningwozhuang Hotel which is in the city center and hundred meters from the institute.



Location

The TC 2009 will be held from Monday 14th to Wednesday 16th September at the Grand Hall in Lanzhou Institute of Chemical Physics. Lanzhou used to be a key point connecting the central China and the western region as well as a vital city on the ancient "Silk Road". Lanzhou has been important for thousands of years because of the Hexi Corridor, or "Corridor West of the Yellow River, "in which early Chinese civilization began. Today, Lanzhou is a hub of the Silk Road, with Maiji Caves to the east, Bingling Thousand Buddha Caves to the west, Labrang Monastery to the south. With mountains in the south and north of the city and the Yellow River flowing from the east to the west, Lanzhou is a beautiful modern city with both the grand beauty of northern cities and the prettiness of southern cities.

