



THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR ELECTROSTATIC PRECIPITATION

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President's Message

Hello Fellow Clean Air Enthusiast,

Trust you and your Family are Healthy and Safe during these challenging times.

This Pandemic has been challenging, disruptive and unpredictable at the same time, and also affected one and all.

This has also posed various challenge for holding the ICESPXVI, Hangzhou Conference.

The Conference was scheduled to be held in October 2020. This was later rescheduled to October 2021. In view of the Pandemic and the associated travel restrictions, a Hybrid Conference was planned – 'In person' for Chinese residents and 'Virtual' for all other International Participants. Various challenges emerged from time to time and which were successfully addressed / overcome in close association with the Organizing Committee.

However, as the Pandemic situation continues to be Fluid with new restrictions / challenges, holding the Conference, has become unpredictable.

Despite our best efforts, new challenges have been emerging on a regular basis. Considering all aspects, in the larger interest of our community, the Board has regretfully decided to **call off the Hangzhou Conference.**

While this has certainly saddened our entire community, which was looking forward to the ESP School and Conference, we were left with no option.

At the same time, I am pleased to inform the Board has planned the next Conference in Budapest, Hungary, tentatively scheduled in late 2022 / early 2023.

Stay in touch with the ISESP web site for further announcements.

Thank You and Stay Safe!!

Best Wishes to you and your Families.

Regards

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