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First Call for Papers

The 21th Sede Boqer Symposium on Solar Electricity Production

<u>March 6-8, 2018</u>

Announcing the First **CALL FOR PAPERS** for **21st Sede Boqer Symposium**, organized by the *Ben-Gurion National Solar Energy Center*, on Ben-Gurion University's Sede Boqer campus.

The Sede Boqer symposia are unusual in that they combine presentations on all methods of solar energy conversion to electricity (photovoltaic, solar-thermal, etc.) in a single conference *without* parallel sessions.

Abstracts on the following subjects are of interest: solar energy conversion systems, optics of solar systems, models of systems and components, photovoltaic materials and devices, concentrated solar energy, measurements and characterization, solar thermal systems, thermoelectricity, electricity and heat storage, solar applications.

We are pleased to announce that the following leaders in their respective fields have agreed to be our Keynote Speakers:

Prof. Dr. Silke Christiansen

Helmholtz-Zentrum Berlin für Materialien und Energie (HZB) "Three-dimensional nano-architectures for solar energy conversion - synthesis, characterization and device integration"

Prof. Michael Graetzel

Ecole Polytechnique Federale de Lausanne "Molecular Photovoltaics and Perovskite Solar Cells"

Dr. Katharina Krischer

Technische Universität München

"Solar Fuel Generation with Plasmonic Photoelectrochemistry"

<u>Please send a title and short abstract in English to:</u> <u>sbsolarsymposium@bgu.ac.il</u>. DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACTS: October 31, 2017.

Updates, registration and other information, will be updated at our site.

On behalf of the Organizing Committee

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