



Government of Pakistan  
Ministry of Textile Industry

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No. 5(8)TID/11-P-II

Islamabad: Wednesday, February 23, 2011

Subject:- INVITATION TO ATTEND THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON VALUE ADDITION AND INNOVATION IN TEXTILES

Dear Sir,

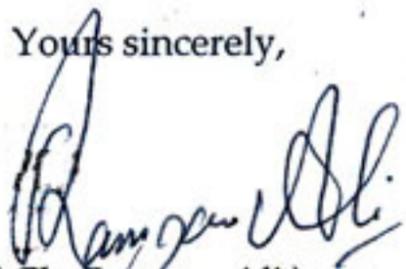
National Textile University (NTU), Faisalabad is the leading national institution of Pakistan imparting quality education in the field of textiles since 1962. The university maintains a strong linkage with the industry. Its strength can be gauged from the fact that more than 85% textile industry is being managed by its graduates.

2. The University has recently undertaken a number of steps to establish linkages with the leading universities/research institutions of the world to enhance the research activities in textiles. In order to increase the cohesion among the researchers, academics, process managers and engineers, university is organizing an International Conference on Value Addition and Innovation in Textiles (COVITEX-2011) on 14-15 March, 2011 in collaboration with HEC and some foreign universities in the NTU, Faisalabad. The main objective of the conference is to present, discuss and disseminate the state-of-the-art knowledge in textile material, research and innovation. Technical papers will be presented by textile experts on various topics from fibre to end products of textiles. More than 250 national and international textile professionals are expected to participate in this conference including delegates from United Kingdom, Australia, France, China, Iran, Turkey and Sri Lanka. Some copies of the Brochure and Registration Form are enclosed.

3. You are invited to attend the conference. Moreover, this letter may kindly be circulated among the members of your association with the request to attend the said conference by the relevant managers and engineers. Further information in this regard can be obtained from the Website: [www.covitex2011.com](http://www.covitex2011.com). The last date for registration is 8<sup>th</sup> of March, 2011.

Encls: As above:

Yours sincerely,

  
( Ch Ramzan Ali )  
Section Officer (P-II)  
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All Chairmen of Textile Associations  
(List enclosed)

Sl. No.	Name of Association
1.	<b>Chairman</b> All Pakistan Textile Mills Association, <u>Karachi</u>
2.	<b>Chairman</b> All Pakistan Bedsheets & Upholstery Manufacturers Association (APBUMA), <u>Multan</u>
3.	<b>Chairman</b> Pakistan Hosiery Manufacturers Association, <u>Karachi.</u>
4.	<b>Chairman</b> All Pakistan Cotton Power Looms Association, <u>Faisalabad.</u>
5.	<b>Chairman</b> Pakistan Knitwear & Sweater Exporters Association (PAKSEA), <u>Karachi</u>
6.	<b>Chairman,</b> All Pakistan Bedwear Exporters Association, <u>Karachi</u>
7.	<b>Chairman,</b> Pakistan Cotton Fashion Apparel Manufacturers & Exporters Association, <u>Karachi</u>
8.	<b>Chairman,</b> Pakistan Canvas & Tents Manufacturers & Exporters Association, <u>Lahore</u>
9.	<b>Chairman,</b> Towel Manufacturers Association of Pakistan <u>Karachi</u>
10.	<b>Chairman,</b> Pakistan Readymade Garments Manufacturers & Exporters Association <u>Karachi</u>
11.	<b>Chairman,</b> Pakistan Silk & Rayon Mills Association, <u>Karachi.</u>
12.	<b>Chairman,</b> Pakistan Denim Manufacturers & Exporters Association, <u>Karachi.</u>
13.	<b>Chairman,</b> All Pakistan Textile Processing Mills Association, <u>Faisalabad.</u>
14.	<b>Chairman,</b> Pakistan Textile Exporters Association, <u>Karachi</u>

Copy to:-

1. Prof. Dr. Niaz Ahmed Akhtar, Rector, NTU, Faisalabad.
2. Mr. Kanwar Usman, Director, RD & A Cell, MINTEX.
3. Mr. Anees Khan, Networking Administrative, MINTEX.

  
Section Officer (P-II)



# REGISTRATION FORM

1<sup>st</sup> International Conference  
COVITEX 2011

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Institute/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Ph. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Mob. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Fax No. \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Participant fee enclosed: Yes  No

Cheque(s) / draft (s) No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Bank: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Accommodation: Required  Not Required

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Send Filled Form to,

Dr. Rashid Masood,  
Chief Organizer  
1<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Value Addition and Innovation in Textiles  
National Textile University  
Sheikhupura Road, Faisalabad-37610, Pakistan

\* If accommodation required than the person will have to bear its actual expenses



*Stainless Steel Wire Containing Interlock Knitting Fabrics On Electromagnetic Shielding Effectiveness (Emse).*

*Dr. Tahir Hussain (UK): Biomedical Materials for Smart Textile Applications: Progress & Challenges.*

*Zulfiqar Ahmad (Pakistan): Impact of Crossing Yarn Linear Density on the Tensile Strength of Polyester/Cotton Blended Woven Fabrics.*

*Dr. Tanveer Hussain (Pakistan): Effect of Cationization of Cotton on its Reactive Dyes Printing.*

*Dr. Rashid Masood (Pakistan): Development of a novel low dose/slow release silver containing biomaterial for wound dressing applications.*

*Mr. Farooq (Pakistan): Effect of Rotor Speed and Twist on pilling propensity of Knitted Fabrics.*

*Prof. V. E. Jones (UK): 'What's lurking in laundry' and potential use of antimicrobial fabrics to combat infection control.*

*Dr. Irshad Hussain (Pakistan): Nano-Technologies: Present and Future applications.*

*Dr. Mumtaz Hussain (Pakistan): High Performance Fibres and their Application in Advanced Textiles.*

*Dr. S. Ilker MISTIK (Turkey): Investigation of Tensile, Flexural and Charpy Impact Strength Properties of Multiaxial Carbon Fiber Reinforced Vinylester Composites.*

*M. Mushtaq Mangat (C. Republic): Influence of Cationic and Silicone Softeners and Weft Variation on Thermal and Sensorial Characteristics of Denim: Subjective and Objective Evaluation.*

*Dr. Umair (Pakistan): Value addition in Textiles.*

*Dr. S. Ilker MISTIK (Turkey): Investigation of Tensile, Flexural and Charpy Impact Strength Properties of Multiaxial Carbon Fiber Reinforced Vinylester Composites.*

*M. Owais Raza Siddiqui (Pakistan): Design Modification of Main Nozzle of Air Jet Loom to Minimize the Air Consumption by Using Solid Modeling and Computational fluid dynamics.*

#### **Registration:**

Registration Fee: Rs. 5000/-  
last date of registration 04-03-2011  
Registration fee should be sent in form of bank draft or cheque payable to COVITEX, 2011.

#### **National Textile University**

Sheikhupura Road, Mananwala  
Faisalabad-37610, Pakistan  
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## 1<sup>st</sup> International Conference

### Value Addition and Innovation in Textiles

(14-15, March-2011)



National Textile University, Faisalabad is the leading national institution of Pakistan, imparting quality education in the fields of textile since 1962. Knowing the importance of textiles for Pakistan, the faculty and graduates of the University have always played a leading role for the economical development of the country. National Textile University has taken an initiative to organize International Conference on Value Addition and Innovation in Textiles (COVITEX-2011) in collaboration with the local and foreign institutions on March 14-15, 2011, at National Textile University, Faisalabad.



### **Collaborative Partners:**

- Marmara University, Istanbul Turkey
- University of Bolton, Bolton United Kingdom
- Manchester Metropolitan University, United Kingdom

### **Topics of the Conference:**

- Recent developments in fibres and polymers;
- Advancements in yarn and fabric manufacturing;
- Advancements in coloration and finishing;
- Recent developments in apparel manufacturing;
- Developments in textile machinery;
- Sustainability, environment and clean technologies;
- Water and energy conservation in textile industry;
- Protective, medical and geo-textiles; Recycling in textiles;
- Use of nano and biotechnologies in textiles;
- Modeling and simulation in textiles;
- Productivity and quality management in textile manufacturing processes;
- 3D Textiles

### **Conference Objectives:**

COVITEX is an international meeting, which is gathering of academic scholars,

scientists, engineers and industrial individuals interested in the present and future of textiles.

- The main objective of the conference is to present, discuss and disseminate the state-of-the-art knowledge in textile material research and innovation.
- The conference will also provide concise platform to bring in front cultural and conceptual issues that hinder contemporary textile research in various part of the world.

### **Conference Participants:**

More than 250 textile professionals will participate in this conference including delegates from United Kingdom, Australia, France, China, Iran, Turkey and Sri Lanka.

### **Finalized Technical Papers of the Conference:**

Dr. Samudrika (Srilanka): *Elimination Of Inconsistency In Dip Dyeing Process In Sri Lankan Garment Industry.*

Dr. Mustafa Ozen (Turkey): *An Investigation Of Electromagnetic Shielding Properties Of Woven Fabrics With Stainless Steel Wire.*

M. Mohsin (UK): *Development of Environmentally Friendly Easy Care Finishes for Cotton.*

S.Palamutcu (Turkey): *Performance Properties Of Antimicrobially Finished 100% Cotton Knitted Fabrics.*

Prof. Mehmet Akalin (Turkey): *Recent Textile Innovations.*

M. Idrees Ahmad (Pakistan): *History of Pakistan Textile Industry.*

Merve Kucukali (Turkey): *Use Of 3d Knitted Spacer Fabric With Chipboard Backing To Improve Sound Absorbency.*

Dr. Uzma Syed (Pakistan): *Dyeing Of Tencel Woven Fabric By Continuous Dyeing Methods Using Reactive Dyes.*

Fereshteh Mirjalili (Iran): *Application of Special Cubic Mixture Experimental Design in Order to Predict the Optimal Polypropylene/polyethylene terephthalate Blend's Disperse Dyeability.*

Dr. Siamak Moradian (Iran): *Polypropylene/polyethylene Terephthalate Blend Fiber and Its Dyeing Performance with Disperse Dyestuffs.*

Gülden Turhan (Turkey): *The Role Of Perceived Value In Achieving Brand Commitment.*

Yasir Nawab (France): *Effect of fibre friction on thermal/cure Deformation of Thermoset Composites.*

Dr. Khalid Pasha: *Effect of Cationic Pretreatment on Rubbing Fastness of Pigment Printed Cotton Fabric.*

Metin Yuksek (Turkey): *Effect Of Fine*