# RECENT ADVANCES IN FUNCTIONAL & SMART MATERIALS (RAFSM-2025)

The objective of the programme is to upgrade the knowledge and skill of teachers employed in various disciplines of science and engineering with a special focus on material science, as it is the core of all engineering and science subjects. The FDP will cover common areas of interest to cater the need of faculty members across various disciplines focusing on properties of cutting edge functional and smart materials and their novel applications. The amalgam of academia, scientists and researchers from central universities, NIITs & IITs and other research organizations/ industries will give an opportunity to interact with them.



## **Google Form Link for Registration:**

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Development Programme
03 Feb. —07 Feb. 2025

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Organized by:

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& Material Science

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### **ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY**

Madan Mohan Malaviya University of Technology, Gorakhpur has been established in year 2013 by the Government of Uttar Pradesh in the form of a nonaffiliating, teaching and research University after reconstituting the Madan Mohan Malaviya Engineering College, Gorakhpur which was established in 1962. Fifty-Four batches of students have entered its portals to emerge after four years of rigorous education under the tutelage of some of the most venerable teachers, engineers ready to face the world and create new worlds. The University is located in the Gorakhpur-Deoria road about 9 Km away from Gorakhpur Railway Station. In addition to UG in Civil Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Computer Science & Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering and Electronics & Communication Engineering, Information Technology, University also offers MCA, BBA, MBA, M. Tech, M.Sc. and Ph.D. courses in various specializations.





## **ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT**

The Department of Physics and Material Science was established on 22nd June, 2019, which has been inaugurated by Shri Yogi Adiyanath Ji Maharaj, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh. Previously, it has been the constituent part of Department of Applied Sciences. The erstwhile Madan Mohan Malaviya Engineering College, Gorakhpur, which was started in 1962, by the then Government of Uttar Pradesh to foster technical education, has been upgraded as Madan Mohan Malaviya University of Technology, Gorakhpur on 1<sup>st</sup> Dec. 2013 by the UP-Government Act (22). The department of Physics and Material Science has been founded for imparting high quality education through the programs; B. Tech in Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Science & Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Electronics & Communication Engineering, Information Technology, Mechanical Engineering and M.Sc. in Physics with specialization in electronics. The main objective of the department is to disseminate knowledge in the area of Physics and Material Science, in order to promote the implementation of practical aspects related to it and to build a solid foundation of physics for science and engineering graduates. The department offers Ph. D. degree in Physics, with an objective to produce trained and skilled human resources; who can take the challenges to cater the need of the society. The research is focused to thrust areas as: Con-densed Matter Physics, Solar Energy Physics, Thin Films, Opto-electronic Materials and Devices, Fiber Optic Sensors, Solar Cell, Energy Storage, Applications of Nanomaterial, Micro & Nanofluids. Molecular Simulation etc.

# **Organizing Committee:**

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- 1. Prof. B K Pandey (Ex-head PMSD)
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- 3. Dr. Anand Kr. Vishwakarma (Guest Faculty)
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- 1. Ms. Shweta Agrahari
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**One Week Faculty Development Programme On** 

# **Recent Advances in Functional & Smart Materials**

(RAFSM-2025, 03 Feb. – 07 Feb. 2025)

**Department of Physics & Material Science** 

Madan Mohan Malaviya University of Technology, Gorakhpur (U.P.) India-273010 (A NAAC "A" Accredited and NIRF 84th Ranked Institution in Engineering Discipline)

| S No | Date/Day        | Lecture No.                  | Time                | Resource Persons/Guests   |
|------|-----------------|------------------------------|---------------------|---|
| 1.   | 03 Feb.         | Registration                 | 9.30 am-10.00 am    | Aryabhatt Hall, ITRC, Madan Mohan Malaviya University of Technology, Gorakhpur                                      |
|      | Day-1<br>Monday | Inauguration<br>Ceremony     | 10.00 am- 11.00 am  | Prof J P Saini, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor & Patron Madan Mohan Malaviya University of Technology Gorakhpur            |
|      |                 |                              |                     | Prof A C Pandey, Chief Guest Director, Inter University Accelerator Center (IUAC) New Delhi                         |
|      |                 | High Tea                     | 11.00 am- 11.30 am  |   |
|      |                 | Keynote Address              | 11.30 am- 12.30 pm  | Expert-1 Prof. Prabhakar Singh  |
|      |                 | Lecture-1                    |                     | Department of Physics, IIT (BHU), Varanasi, UP  |
|      |                 |                              |                     | <b>Title:</b> Innovations and Applications in Functional and Smart<br>Materials                                     |
|      |                 | Lunch Break                  | 12.30 pm- 2.00 pm   |   |
|      |                 | Lecture-2                    | 02.00 pm- 3.00 pm   | Expert-2 Prof. Prabhakar Singh Department of Physics, IIT (BHU), Varansi, UP  |
|      |                 |                              |                     | Title: Functional Materials: Driving Innovation in Energy Storage and Conversion Technologies                       |
|      |                 | Tea Break                    | 03.00 pm- 03.30 pm  | 9   |
|      |                 | Interactive                  | 03.30 pm- 04.30 pm  | Prof. Prabhakar Singh, IIT(BHU)   |
|      |                 | Session-1                    |                     |   |
| 2.   | 04 Feb.         | Keynote Address              | 10.00 am- 11.00 am  | Expert-2 Prof. R. K. Singh  |
|      | Day-2           | Lecture-3                    |                     | Department of Physics<br>BHU, Varanasi  |
|      | Tuesday         |                              |                     | Title: Innovation in Energy Storage Materials and Devices for Automotive Applications                               |
|      |                 | Tea Break 11.00 am- 11.30 am |                     |   |
|      |                 | Lecture-4                    | 11.30 pm - 12.30 pm | Expert-2 Prof. R. K. Singh Department of Physics BHU, Varanasi  |
|      |                 |                              |                     | <b>Title:</b> Sodium-Ion Batteries: A sustainable Alternative to Lithium-Ion Batteries for Efficient Energy Storage |

|    |                           | Lunch Break                   | 12.30 pm- 02.00 pm  |   |
|----|---------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|---|
|    |                           | Lecture-5                     | 02.00 pm- 03.00 pm  | Expert-3  Dr. Anurag Prakash Sunda  Department of Chemistry, J. C. Bose University of Science & Technology Faridabad, Hariyana  Title: Introduction to Molecular Modelling Tools: Simulations Approach and Applications |
|    |                           | Tea Break                     | 03.00 pm- 03.30 pm  |   |
|    |                           | Lecture-6                     | 03.30 pm – 4.30 pm  | Expert-3  Dr. Anurag Prakash Sunda  Department of Chemistry, J. C. Bose University of Science & Technology Faridabad, Hariyana  |
|    |                           |                               |                     | Title: Molecular Insights on Polymer-Electrolyte Membranes: Structure and Dynamics of Ion-Water Molecules   |
| 3. | 05 Feb.  Day-3  Wednesday | Lecture-7 Keynote Address     | 10.00 am- 11.00 am  | Expert-4 Prof. B C Yadav Department of Physics, BBAU Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh   |
|    |                           | Tea Break                     | 11.00 am- 11.30 am  | Title: Self-healing Nano-Materials  |
|    |                           |                               |                     |   |
|    |                           | Lecture-8                     | 11.30 am - 12.30 pm | Expert-4 Prof. B C Yadav Department of Physics, BBAU Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh   |
|    |                           |                               |                     | <b>Title:</b> Self-powered sensors using functional materials   |
|    |                           | Lunch Break                   | 12.30 pm- 02.00 pm  |   |
|    |                           | Lecture-9                     | 02.00 pm- 03.00 pm  | Expert-5 Prof. Ravindradhar Department of Material Science University of Allahabad, Prayagraj  Title: Anti-ferroelectric Liquid Crystals: Smart Materials for Future Displays   |
|    |                           | Tea Break                     | 03.00 pm- 03.30 pm  |   |
|    |                           | Interactive<br>Session-2      | 3.30 pm-4:30 pm     | Laboratory Visit (Prof. B C Yadav)  |
| 4. | 06 Feb.<br>Day-4          | Lecture-10<br>Keynote Address | 10.00 am- 11.00 am  | Expert-5  Prof. Ravindradhar  Department of Material Science University of Allahabad, Prayagraj   |
|    | Thursday                  |                               |                     | Title: Liquid-Crystal Composites for Efficient Solar Cells  |

|    |               | Tea Break                          | 11.00 am- 11.30 am  |   |
|----|---------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|---|
|    |               | Interactive<br>Session-3/Quiz      | 11.30 am - 12.30 pm | Prof. Ravindradhar  |
|    |               | Lunch Break                        | 12.30 pm- 02.00 pm  |   |
|    |               | Lecture-11                         | 02.00 pm – 3.00 pm  | Expert-6  Dr. Fouran Singh  Scientists-G  Inter-University Accelerator Center, New Delhi                                |
|    |               |                                    |                     | <b>Title:</b> Heterojunction Diodes and Their Manipulations by Ion Beams for Multi-functional Applications              |
|    |               | Tea Break                          | 03.00 pm- 03.30 pm  |   |
|    |               | Interactive<br>Session-4<br>& Quiz | 03.30 pm- 04.30 pm  | Expert-6 Dr. Fouran Singh   |
| 5. | 07 Feb. Day-5 | Lecture-12  Keynote Address        | 10.00 am- 11.00 am  | Expert-6  Dr. Fouran Singh Scientists-G Inter-University Accelerator Center, New Delhi                                  |
|    | Friday        |                                    |                     | Title: Research & Innovation for Sustainable Development  |
|    |               | Valedictory                        | 11.00 am-12.00 pm   | Prof J P Saini, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor  Madan Mohan Malaviya University of Technology  Gorakhpur  Patron & Chief Guest |
|    |               | High Tea                           | 12.00 pm- 12.30 pm  | ITRC Lounge   |