

# *“WORKSHOP ON ASTRONOMY FOR SCIENCE EDUCATORS AND SCHOOL TEACHERS”*

*IUCAA Resource Centre (IRC), Udaipur*

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IRC, Udaipur invites applications from the school teachers (interested in Astronomy & Astrophysics) to participate in three day **WORKSHOP ON ASTRONOMY FOR SCIENCE EDUCATORS & SCHOOL TEACHERS**. The teachers must have keen interest in Astronomy & Astrophysics.

In workshop each participant would learn about introductory Astronomy in gazing stars and planets in the dark nights under the guidance of expert scientist from Inter University Centre for Astronomy & Astrophysics (IUCAA), Pune. There would be popular lectures in the field of Astronomy.

The participant would be provided travel amount (TA) & local hospitality during workshop and no registration fee.

## **Speakers:**

- (1) **Prof. P. C. Agrawal** (Prof. P.C. Agrawal, Chair Professor of ISRO & Principal Director of ASTROSAT Mission, ISRO)
- (2) **S. N. A. Jaaffrey** (Professor, MLSU, Udaipur)
- (3) **Arvind Paranjpye** (Scientist, IUCAA, Pune)

**Topics to be covered in workshop:** General Astronomy, Our Solar System, Eclipses and Transits, astronomical telescopes, Observing the sky, doing hand-on-experiments on (different methods of finding north, Eratosthenes Method of finding circumference of the earth, observing the sun and sunspots) open discussion of debunking astrology and other misconception.

## **Important dates:-**

Nov. 17, 2011	:	Registration Begins
Nov. 28, 2011	:	Last date of Registration (by e-mail)
Nov. 29, 2011	:	Information to Registered Schools
Dec. 1, 2011	:	Workshop Begins
Dec. 3, 2011	:	Workshop Ends

**Venue: Department of Physics, University College of Science, MLSU, Udaipur.**

Note: The seats are limited and registration request can be sent by e-mail.  
(e-mail: [sna\\_jaaffrey@yahoo.co.in](mailto:sna_jaaffrey@yahoo.co.in))

Truly,

**Prof. S.N.A. Jaaffrey**  
Coordinator  
IRC, MLSU, Udaipur.

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**Application Format**

To

The Coordinator  
IRC, Udaipur

Name of School/institution .....

District & State of School .....

Name of Teacher/applicant .....

Note: The Applications must reach to Coordinator IRC, Udaipur, till Nov. 29, 2011 by email.

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