

CSIO signs MoU with Panjab University, Chandigarh

The Central Scientific Instruments Organisation (CSIO) and Panjab University (PU), Chandigarh, have signed an MoU on occasion of the former's Foundation Day on 30 October 2008, to promote joint research work and human resource development. The areas identified for co-operation included Health Monitoring, Geo-Seismic and Disaster Management Instrumentation, Medical Instrumentation, Sensors/ Transducers, Virtual Instrumentation, Soft Computing Techniques, Image Processing, Optical and Photonics-based Instrumentation, Physics-based Instrumentation, Material Science, Nanotechnology, Chemical and Biosensors, Chemistry and HRD.

The MoU was signed by Dr Pawan Kapur, Director, CSIO and Dr R.C.Sobti, Vice Chancellor, Panjab University.

Under the MoU, students of M.Sc., B.Tech., and M.Tech. in the respective areas of specialization at PU will be allowed to pursue their project work at CSIO and staff members from CSIO will be able to register for Ph.D. programmes at PU, with joint supervision on emerging areas of research and applications.

The MoU will help build stronger linkages between academia and R&D institutions towards quality manpower generation and utilization in various niche areas. It will also help in optimal utilization of R&D facilities in high priority area programmes of science & technology.