

Name Change Notification of Sanya International CSP Forum

Sanya International CSP Forum, which began in 2007, has been held for eight sessions (the eighth session merged with 2014 IEA-SolarPACES conference). With the support of relevant departments of Chinese government, and the positive participation and unremitting efforts of officials, researchers, enterprises and investors who love CSP technology both at home and abroad, the forum has become world-renowned, and has made a significant contribution to the development of China's CSP industry.

However, with the development of China's solar energy industry, more issues and theories need to be discussed and explored. After repeated consultations the organizers decide to change the host city of the forum and rename "Sanya International CSP Forum" as "China Solar Thermal Electricity Conference" from 2015. The organizers hope to take this opportunity to improve the level and influence of the conference, and make its contents and topics richer and more professional.

China Solar Thermal Electricity Conference is to continue with the tradition of Sanya International CSP Forum. Its main topics are still CSP science and technology, and relevant CSP supporting policies are

included, and also it is aimed to promote the combination of technology, capital and market. The host city can be any city in China, and members of National Solar Thermal Energy Alliance can make application to the Alliance to host the conference.

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