



The American Physical Society (APS) and Chinese Physical Society (CPS)
are pleased to announce the upcoming

U.S.-China Young Physicists Forum

for

Graduate Students in Condensed Matter & Materials Physics

Saturday, February 28 – Sunday, March 1, 2015
San Antonio, Texas

(To be held the weekend before the APS March Meeting begins.)

*Additional details will follow regarding registration, abstract submission, and the program. In the meantime, **please share this announcement** with your Condensed Matter and Materials Physics colleagues and graduate students.*

The American Physical Society (APS) and the Chinese Physical Society (CPS) have been working to bring together young physicists from our two countries. As many graduate students from the United States and China already plan to attend the 2015 APS March Meeting in San Antonio, Texas, the APS and CPS will hold a “U.S.-China Young Physicists Forum” on February 28 - March 1, 2015 (i.e., the weekend before the March Meeting officially begins on Monday, March 2.)

The U.S.-China Young Physicists Forum (YPF) will combine scientific sessions with career development and networking opportunities for the graduate students, with each country sending ~30 students (~60 total for this meeting).

The Forum will span a day and a half, and **focus upon Condensed Matter Physics and Materials Physics graduate students**. Through special topical and technical sessions, it will provide graduate students from the United States and China with a broader view of physics beyond their own classrooms and laboratories. Moreover, the event will foster an appreciation for international scientific collaboration and networking among young physics researchers, and promote long-term connections among graduate students from our two countries.