

# Webinar on "Scope for Research in Opto Mechatronics"

#### Presented by

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#### **Society of Mechanical Engineers**

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Dr. H. Siddhi Jailani, Professor & Head	
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Date	03.03.2022
No. of Participants	25
Nature of participants	Students & Faculty Members

#### **PREAMBLE**

The webinar on "Scope for Research in Opto Mechatronics" was organized by the Society of Mechanical Engineers, Department of Mechanical Engineering. The presentation was delivered by Mr. Saran Kumar, Research Scholar, Opto Mechatronics Lab, IIT Madras. The event was coordinated by Dr. S. Jeavudeen.

The webinar offered awareness to the undergraduate students about opto Mechatronics. A brief introduction to the field of Opto Mechatronics that deals with the integration of optical components in Mechatronic systems was offered to the students. Optical sensors are used as measuring devices to control mechatronic systems. He touched upon the applications of these equipment's and its research potential.

He pointed out few success stories of research scholars and emphasized the benefits of doing research in eminent institutions. He also insisted the students to prepare for GATE Exams and aim for doing higher studies and collaborate with IIT, NITs for Research and utilize the facilities available there.

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# SCOPE FOR RESEARCH IN OPTO MECHATRONICS

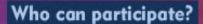
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Dr. S. Jeavudeen, Asst. Prof.

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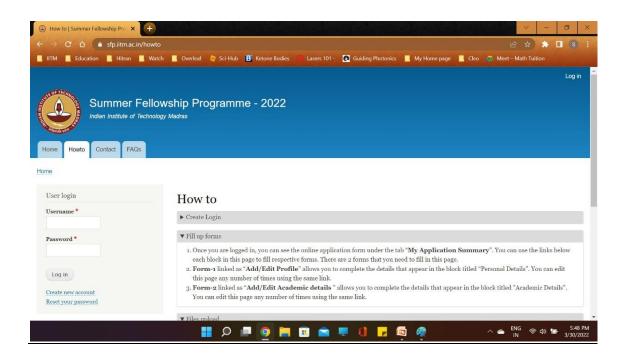
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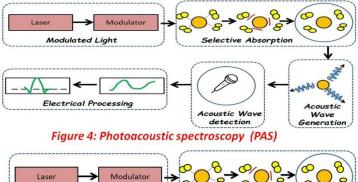
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# PA and QEPA Spectroscopy



The Photoacoustic (PA) [2] effect can be divided into three steps:

- Heat release in the sample material due to optical absorption.
- Acoustic and thermal wave generation in sample.
- Detection of the PA signal in a PA detector.

➤QEPAS sensor [3] has the merits of high sensitivity ranging from (ppm-ppt) level, low cost, a large dynamic range and compactness.

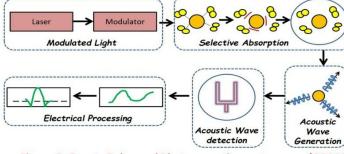


Figure 5: Quartz Enhanced Photoacoustic spectroscopy (QEPAS)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> A. G. Bell, "On the production and reproduction of sound by light," in Proc. Am. Assoc. Adv. Sci., vol. 29, pp. 115–136, 1881.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> A. A. Kosterev, Y. A. Bakhirkin, R. F. Curl, and F. K. Tittel, "Quartz-enhanced photoacoustic spectroscopy," Optics letters, vol. 27, no. 21, pp. 1902–1904, 2002

# **Attendees**

