

FINAL REMINDER

**The Annual Meeting of International Chinese Hard Tissue Society (ICHTS)
in conjunction with ORS 55th Annual Meeting**

**February 23, Monday, 2009
Meeting Room 4402,
The Venetian Resort Hotel Casino
3355 Las Vegas Blvd. South
Las Vegas, NV 89109
Phone: 702.414.1000 or 877.883.6423
<http://www.venetian.com/>
Time: 7:00 -9:30 pm**

Dear members and friends of ICHTS,

I am pleased to announce that our preparation of the annual meeting at the 55th ORS meeting is in good progress. We have booked the venue and delicious food for refreshment, and most importantly, we have chosen the winners for this year's Webster Jee Travel award! This year we will give 3 such prestigious awards, so I strongly encourage all the members, especially those who have submitted their papers for the travel award competition to be presented at the meeting, as the prize could be yours. The ICHTS tradition is that if the awardee was not present at the meeting, the award will be automatically given to the person next on the potential awardees' list who is present at the meeting, so don't miss your opportunity.

This year, we will invite Prof. Mitchell Schaffler to share with us his career development stories and advices. In addition, we will also have Prof. Huiling Yang from SuZhou University to announce some excellent faculty positions in SuZhou, China. So our ICHTS meeting is a good opportunity for our ICHTS members to share and inspire each other.

Please do come along and enjoy the evening with ICHTS family!!

Yours sincerely

Prof. Gang Li
ICHTS Program Committee

Meeting Agenda

7:00 -7:25pm	Registration and refreshment
7:25-7:30pm	Opening address Prof. Gang Li ICHTS Programme Committee
7:30-8:00pm	Gust Speaker- Prof. Mitchell Schaffler Distinguished Professor, Department of Bioengineering City University of Now York Tentative title: Career development in academics

- 8:00-8:30pm** **Report of ICHTS activities in 2008**
Prof. Yi-xian Qin
ICHTS President
- 8:30-8:45pm** **China Development Initiatives**
Prof. Ling Qin
President-elect ICHTS
- 8:45-9:00pm** **Address of Change of ICHTS by-law**
Prof. Qian Chen
Chairman of Board of Directors, ICHTS
- 9:00-9:15pm** **Announcement of ICHTS-ORS Webster Jee Travel Awards**
Prof. Gang Li
ICHTS Programme Committee
- 9:15-9:30pm** **Member Discussion (Prof. Yang Huiling from SuZhou address potential**
new research positions in his department and others)
- 9:30pm** **Meeting Adjourns**