Opening Address - Prof. M.I.Panasyuk

Dear Colleagues, Ladies and Gentlemen,

On behalf of the Directorate of Skobeltsyn Institute of Nuclear Physics of Moscow State University, I glad to greet You, all participants of Sixth Annual RDMS CMS Collaboration Meeting "Physics Program with the CMS Detector". It is great pleasure and responsibility for us to hold this workshop here, in Physics Department of Lomonosov University. Institute of Nuclear Physics, as being a part of Lomonosov University, participates in different fields of nuclear and particle physics. One of the priority directions is collaboration in high energy physics experiments in many laboratories in Russia and over the world: in Dubna, Protvino, CERN, Fermilab, DESY and others.

At the moment, 26 researchers from our institute are involved in the CMS experiment: development of physics program of the experiment and physics simulations, development of software and reconstruction programs, participation in hardware activity. We believe that in the course of time more researchers will joint to CMS Collaboration, especially many young physicists - present students.

We wish for You effective and fruitful work during this meeting (many interesting reports are scheduled in the program). I was informed about main goals of CMS experimental program: discovery of Higgs boson and super-symmetric particles, studies of CP-violation, look at "extra dimensions", and also studies of properties of quark-gluon plasma in heavy ion collisions. I hope this meeting will close You to achievement of these tasks.

Thank You for attending this meeting and good luck.