

The inaugural ceremony



At the turn of the century, it became obvious that a research centre with focus on nanoscience and nanotechnology was desirable for the sustainable development in this area. Hence INST was established in 2001 at the HKUST, with Physics Professor Ping Sheng appointed as the founding Director. An inaugural meeting was held on May 15, 2001, during which the basic directions of INST were discussed and laid out.

