


Personal Information

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Short Biography

Dr. Yong-Hyeon Shin has been working for Korea Research Institute of Standards and Science (KRISS), the National Metrology Institute (NMI) of Korea, since 1984. At that time, KRISS was at its early stage and she worked to establish and develop the national standards system in the field of vacuum technology which was the core element for the development of Korean industries including semiconductor, LEC/LCD, etc. Over the last 30 years, Dr. Shin has served various positions in KRISS such as the head of Pressure & Vacuum Center, director of the Physical Metrology Division, and director of Strategy Technology Division.

In December 2014, she was appointed as the 12th President of KRISS. As the President of KRISS, she seeks not only the excellence of R&D capability but also the social responsibility of government funded research institute in Korea. Especially, she puts a great emphasis on the convergence research activities with domestic and abroad partners.

Dr. Shin also actively worked as a physicist in Korea and global science community. She served as a member of Presidential Advisory Council on Science and Technology in 2012, and as the President of Association of Korean Woman Scientists and Engineers (KWSE) from 2012 to 2013. She also worked as a member of National Science & Technology Council from 2013 to 2015, and as a member of the board of directors at National Research Foundation of Korea (NRF) from 2012 to 2015. In addition, she has been working as the ISO TC 112 Project leader and expert since 2006 for the development of global standardization.

Born in March 1961, Dr. Shin received her MSc in Solid-State Physics from Yonsei University in 1985, and Ph. D. in Physics from Chungnam National University in 1999.