

MILESTONES OF THE SA/JINR COOPERATION



- Signing the MoU between the Government of South Africa and JINR in Moscow on October 5, 2005



Minister of Foreign Affairs of South Africa N. C. Dlamini-Zuma and Director of JINR V. G. Kadyshesky.

- The Forum «SA/JINR: 5 years together» in Pretoria on February 8–10, 2010



Advantages of cooperation on NICA were considered. Discussion on the Road Map of cooperation started.

Joint Coordination Committee first activities:

- February 2006, Pretoria: focal areas of the cooperation defined
- October 2006, JINR, Dubna: joint research projects list approved
- March 2007, Cape Town: first practice for SA students in JINR planned
- September 2007, JINR, Dubna: first results reported

- Large international conference jointly organized



SA/JINR Joint Symposia: tracking the cooperation development



1st Symposium: Sukuza, February 2007: Ideas for cooperation development were discussed.



2nd Symposium: JINR Dubna, September 2010: First outcome from Joint Projects were reported.



3rd Symposium: Stellenbosch, November 2012: First students' section: young researchers from SA and JINR working on the joint research projects.



4th Symposium, Dubna, September 2015: Full-scale conference with plenary and parallel sessions, concluded with a round table discussion.

- Next SA/JINR milestone: 28 November – 3 December 2016, South Africa **Forum «10 years together»**

