Seminar Title: "Developments on fiber optic sensing technologies at the National Engineering Lab for Fiber Optic Sensing Technology"

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**Abstract:** The National Engineering Laboratory for Optic Fiber Sensing Technologies (NEL-FOST) at the Wuhan University of Technology China has conducted research and development activities on optical fiber sensing technologies for more than 30 years. The talk will present some fundamental research work on optical fiber sensors for chemical and bio applications, such as hydrogen gas sensor and relative-humidity sensor. Moreover, other works based on traditional FBG technology and draw-tower FBG array will be presented for industrial applications.