## **SIRAJ HASAN**

Professor Siraj Hasan is currently a Senior Professor and Director of the Indian Institute of Astrophysics in Bangalore, India. Hasan is well known internationally for his distinguished academic and research work in solar astrophysics. He has held visiting faculty positions in many premier institutions such as Harvard and Oxford. Hasan received his doctorate in theoretical astrophysics from the University of Oxford, U.K. in 1977 and thereafter he joined the faculty of the Indian Institute of Astrophysics. He has been a recipient of the Alexander von Humbolt and Smithsonian Fellowships and is an Associate of the Harvard College Observatory. He is on the editorial board of Solar Physics.