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Professor Vitaly Konov's research areas include laser-matter interaction, micro and nano-technologies and advanced carbon materials (CVD diamond, nanotubes, graphene, etc.). He is the author of more than 500 publications, 3 books and 24 patents. His citation index according to Web of Knowledge – 2516, h-index is 27.

Vitaly Konov graduated from Faculty of Physics of Moscow State University in 1969. In 1974 he obtained PhD degree and in 1983 degree of Doctor of Physical-mathematical sciences.

Professor Konov started his scientific career in P.N. Lebedev Physical Institute and continued at the General Physics Institute of the Russian Academy of Sciences since 1983. At the present time he is the director of Natural Sciences Center of this Institute. In the period 2004-2008 V. Konov combined his activities at the Academy with the position of Vice-president of the Russian Foundation for Basic Research. In 2000 was elected as corresponding member of the Russian Academy of Sciences. He is also a fellow of the Russian Academy of Engineering Sciences and International Society for Optical Engineering – SPIE. In 1999 V. Konov received State Award for Science and Technology.

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