

ACTIVITY REPORT - 04

IGS Activity update from 1st July 2023 to 30th September 2023

Attended the technical webinar Rendezvous 2.0, organized by IGS Kochi chapter on “Revamping the traditional heritage” by Dr. Durgadevagi Shanmugavel, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Civil Engineering, SRM Institute of Science and Technology 3rd July 2023 at 7.00pm.

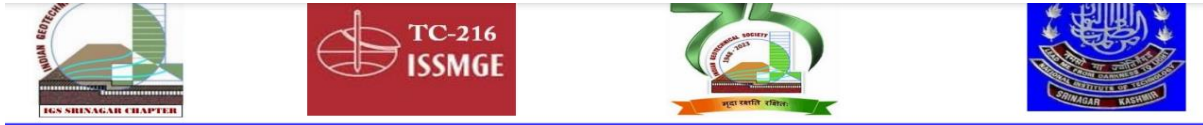


The poster is for a webinar titled "RENDEZVOUS TECHNICAL WEBINAR - 18 ON REVAMPING THE TRADITIONAL HERITAGE" by Dr. Durgadevagi Shanmugavel. It is organized by the Indian Geotechnical Society Kochi Chapter. The event is scheduled for 3rd July 2023 at 7:00 PM. The speaker is Dr. Durgadevagi Shanmugavel, Assistant Professor at SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Kattankulathur, Tamil Nadu. The poster also lists the organizers: Dr. Benny Mathews Abraham (Chairman), Dr. Babu T Jose (Patron), and Er. A V S Chakravarti (Hon. Secretary).

Visited plots in Delhi for purchasing land for IGS House along with Dr. A.P Singh, Hon. Secretary IGS and Dr. Abhay Gupta, Member SC16 – Infrastructure committee on 4th July 2023.



Attended 5 day ISSMGE TC -216 Workshop on “Advancements in Geotechnical and Foundation Engineering for difficult ground conditions” organized by IGS Srinagar Chapter at NIT Srinagar held during 26th to 30th July 2023. Congratulations to the IGS Srinagar team led by Prof. B.A Mir and Prof. F.A Mir.



Five Day ISSMGE TC-216 Workshop on “Advancements in Geotechnical and Foundation Engineering for Difficult Ground Conditions (AGFEDGC-2023)”

26-30 July 2023

Organized by Department of Civil Engineering, NIT Srinagar



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Prof. F. A. Mir
Vice Chairman, IGS Srinagar



CONVENOR
Prof. (Dr.) B. A. Mir
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Attended National Seminar titled “Geotechnics- Recent Advancement in Research and Practice” organized by IGS-Kolkata Chapter during 4th to 5th August 2023 at Jadavpur University along with Dr. A.P Singh, Hon. Secretary. Congratulations to the team led by Prof. J. J. Mandal: Chairman, Dr. Abhijit Saha: Co-chairman, Er. Sudip Nath: Org. Secretary and Prof. Supriya Pal: Jt. Org. Secretary for conducting the seminar.





Met Er. Partha Gangopadhyaya, National President of Indian Concrete Institute and team on 4th August 2023 for organizing a national event in collaboration with IGS and ICI in the near future. Thanks to Prof Kaushik Bandyopadhyay for coordinating the meeting.



Attended the technical webinar Rendezvous 2.0 organized by IGS Kochi chapter on “Reinforced Soil Structures – Some case Studies” by Dr. Jaymohan J, Vice Professor and Principal (Incharge), LBS Institute of Technology for Women, Thiruvananthapuram on 7th August 2023 at 7.00pm.

**INDIAN GEOTECHNICAL SOCIETY
KOCHI CHAPTER**

**RENDEZVOUS
TECHNICAL WEBINAR - 19
ON
REINFORCED SOIL STRUCTURES
- SOME CASE STUDIES
BY**

DR. JAYAMOHAN. J
PRINCIPAL (IN CHARGE)
PROFESSOR IN CIVIL ENGINEERING
LBS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY FOR WOMEN,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM

7 TH AUGUST 2023, 07:00 PM

DR. BENNY MATHEWS ABRAHAM
CHAIRMAN

DR. BABUT JOSE
PATRON

ER. A V S CHAKRAVARTI
HON. SECRETARY

Attended 17th Asian Regional Conference organized by Kazakhstan Geotechnical Society (KGS) held at Hotel Hilton, Astana during 14th to 18th August 2023. The main theme of the conference was “Smart Geotechnics for Smart Societies”. About 600 delegates from various geotechnical societies under ISSMGE from across the world attended the Conference. From India, 43 papers were submitted and 28 delegates from India attended the conference.



Attended ISSMGE Council Meeting at Nazarbayev University Astana on 13th August 2023.



Attended meeting of South Asian Association of Geotechnical Society held at Hotel Hilton, Astana on 14th August 2023.



Independence day gathering at Hotel Hilton, Astana 17th ARC venue with Indian delegate team on 15th August 2023.



Chaired Special Lecture delivered by Prof. E.C Shin, Incheon University, Korea on 15th August 2023.



Conducted meeting with ISSMGE Membership Development Committee for improving membership from India on 15th August 2023.



Attended ISSMGE Asian Council meeting and bid for 1st Geotech Asia conference 2025 on 15th August 2023.



Happy to inform you all that India had won the bid for hosting the 1st Geotech Asia to be held in 2025 in the Asian Council Meeting held at Astana, Kazhakstan. The idea of starting Geotech Asia was proposed and won with 18-3 voting of the member countries present. After India's

presentation for 1st Geotech Asia, all the other three contestants, Thailand, Iran and Pakistan agreed not to challenge India for 1st Geotech Asia. After the 1st Geotech Asia was awarded to India, India withdrew from 18th ARC contest and the voting was carried out. For the 18th ARC Thailand got 13 votes, Iran got 8 votes and Pakistan 3 votes. 1st Geotech Asia will be held in Mumbai, India in 2025 and 18th ARC will be held in Thailand in 2027. Request all your support to host the mega event in Mumbai in 2025.

Attended First meeting of Advisory Committee of 1st Geotech Asia 2025 held at Hotel Hilton, Astana along with past Vice Presidents on 16th August 2023.



Attended the Gala dinner with conference delegates at Wyndham Garden Astana Hotel on 16th August 2023.



Delivered Special Lecture on “Engineering Challenges behind Demolition of High Rise Structures by delayed detonation technique” on 17th August 2023.

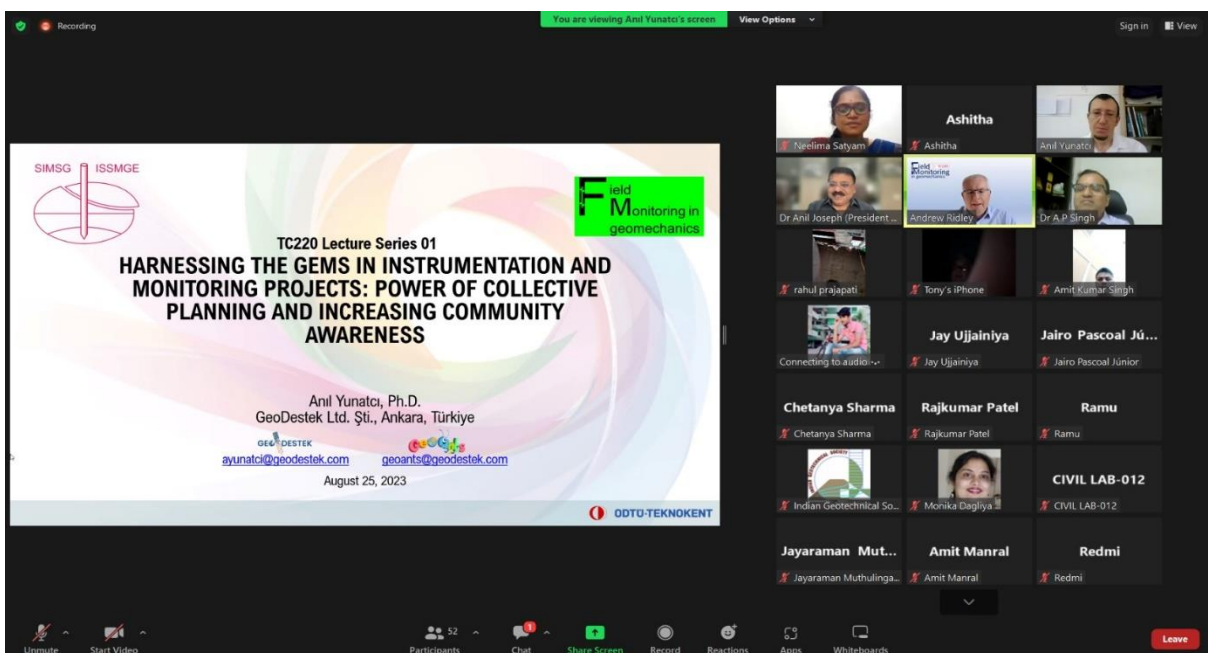


Indian team welcomed all delegates to the 1st Geotech Asia in 2025 during the closing ceremony of 17 ARC at Astana, Kazakhstan.





Attended the 1st lecture organized by TC220 “Field monitoring in Geomechanics” lecture series on 25th August 2023. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Anil Yunatci on “Harnessing the Gems in Instrumentation and Monitoring Projects: Power off Collective Planning and Increasing Community Awareness”. Thanks to Dr. Neelima Satyam for initiating and co-ordinating the monthly webinar series as curtain raiser for 12th International Symposium on Field Monitoring and Geomechanics which will be held at IIT Indore in 2026.



Met Dr. R.K Bhandari sir along with Dr. A.P Singh, Hon. Secretary on 31st August 2023 at Delhi and had discussions regarding bidding for International Symposium on Landslides to be held in 2028.



On 1st September 2023, conducted meeting at office of Bureau of Indian Standards along with Shri Sanjay Pant, Dy Director General (Standardization-II) and team along with Dr. A.P Singh, Hon. Secretary for ensuring active representation from IGS in the revision and formulation of IS Codes connected with Geotechnical Engineering and also ensuring adequate representation of IGS in the committee for revision of National Building Code.



Attended lecture on Demolition of buildings and Pile foundations organized by IGS students chapter at Jamia Millia Islamia Central University, Delhi on 1st September 2023. Congratulations to Ms. Aarti Bhargava, Chairperson and Dr. Manna, Co-chairperson for organizing the lecture.



The banner features a teal background with a grid pattern. On the left is the IGS logo (Indian Geotechnical Society) and on the right is the JMI logo (Jamia Millia Islamia). The central text reads "IGS-JMI PRESENTS LECTURE ON DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS AND PILE FOUNDATIONS". Below the text are three circular portraits of the organizers: Dr. Anil Joseph, Ms. Aarti Bhargava, and Dr. Manna.

IGS-JMI PRESENTS
LECTURE ON DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS AND PILE FOUNDATIONS

DR. ANIL JOSEPH
President
(IGS)

MS. AARTI BHARGAVA
Chairperson
(IGS DC)

DR. MANNA
Co-Chairperson
(IGS DC)



The banner has a teal background with white text. It provides the date and time of the event: Friday, September 1st, 2023, at 02 PM. The venue is listed as FET Auditorium.

Discover and learn about new modern technique


FRI DAY | **SEPT 01** | **02 PM**

VENUE: FET AUDITORIUM






The 52nd Chapter of IGS was inaugurated at Ujjain Engineering College on 5th September 2023. Appreciation to Dr. Neelima Satyam for the efforts put for the formation of the new IGS Chapter. I wish all the very best to the team led by Dr Raghvendra Singh for the chapter's future endeavors.



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UJJAIN LOCAL CHAPTER


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Dr. ANIL JOSEPH
NATIONAL
PRESIDENT OF IGS

Inauguration
&
TECH TALK

Date - 05/09/2023
Time - 11:00 am



Dr. NEELIMA SATYAM
NATIONAL EXECUTIVE
MEMBER OF IGS



Attended “MAHAFEST” a national event, organized by IGS Pune Chapter along with 4 local chapters of Maharashtra as part of celebrations being organized for 75 glorious years of establishment of IGS. The event was held during 12-13th September, 2023 at MIT World Peace University at Pune. Congratulations to the team led by Dr. Dasaka S. Murty, Er. Vikas Patil, Er. Ramesh Kulkarni and all the local chapters of IGS Maharashtra for conducting such a well-organized event.



The poster for MAHAFEST 2023 features a blue and white color scheme. At the top, it displays the logos of the Indian Geotechnical Society (IGS) and MIT World Peace University. The main title "MAHAFEST 2023" is prominently displayed in large white letters on a blue background. Below the title, the subtitle "Tunnelling and Underground Construction" is written in white, followed by "Technical Expert Sessions and Student Competitions". The organizing institutions are listed as the Indian Geotechnical Society Maharashtra and the Department of Civil Engineering at MIT World Peace University. A large circular image on the right shows a tunnel with a boat passing through it. The event dates "12-13 SEPTEMBER 2023" and the venue "Department of Civil Engineering MIT WPU Pune" are also included.

Indian Geotechnical Society (IGS) Diamond Jubilee Fest
MAHAFEST 2023
Tunnelling and Underground Construction
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Organized by
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National Executive Committee Member
IGS New Delhi

Convener
Prof. Dr. Dasaka S. Murty
Chairman, IGS Mumbai Chapter
National Executive Committee Member, IGS New Delhi

12 -13 SEPTEMBER 2023
VENUE
Department of Civil Engineering
MIT WPU Pune











IGS Students chapter at TKMCE Kollam was inaugurated on 14th September 2023. Appreciations to the efforts put forward by the office bearers of IGS Thiruvananthapuram chapter Dr. N Unnikrishnan, Chairman, Dr. Jaymohan J, Hon Secretary and Dr. K Balan and Congratulations to the new student's chapter at TKMCE, Kollam, led by Dr. Amal Azad Sahib, Faculty advisor of IGS TKMCE Students chapter.

INDIAN GEOTECHNICAL SOCIETY
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM CHAPTER

ANNOUNCES THE

INAUGURATION OF THE 10TH STUDENT CHAPTER

AT
TKM COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, KOLLAM
ON
14TH SEPTEMBER 2023, 9:30 AM

			
Dr. Anil Joseph President Indian Geotechnical Society	Dr. Balan K. Executive Committee member Indian Geotechnical Society	Dr. Unnikrishnan N. EC Member, IGS & Chairman IGS Thiruvananthapuram Chapter	Dr. Jayamohan J. Principal, LBSITW & Secretary IGS Thiruvananthapuram Chapter



Attended the planning meeting of GeoKeralam 2023, a two-day conference by all local chapters of Kerala as part of 75th Year Celebration of the society which is scheduled to be held from 17th to 18th of November 2023.



Based on the invitation from the Moscow State University of Civil Engineering, participated in the “International Scientific and Practical Symposium: The future of the Construction Industry: Challenges and Development Prospects” organized during 18th to 22nd September 2023 at Moscow, Russia. Invited all delegates present in the Symposium for the 1st Geotech Asia Conference to be held in Mumbai in the year 2025.





Attended 2-day conference DEMTECH organized by Indian Demolition Association (IDA) on behalf of Indian Geotechnical Society held during 28th to 29th September 2023.



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28th & 29th September 2023

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Attended One-day workshop on Sustainable Geotechnical infrastructure organized by IGS Jalandhar chapter at NIT Jalandhar on 29th September. Congratulations to the team led by Prof. A K Agnihotri, Chairman and Dr. H S Chore, convener of IGS Jalandhar chapter for organizing the event.

ONE DAY WORKSHOP

on

SUSTAINABLE GEOTECHNICAL INFRASTRUCTURE

(Hybrid Mode)

29th September 2023

Organized by

INDIAN GEOTECHNICAL SOCIETY

Jalandhar Chapter

In association with

DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING

Dr. B R Ambedkar NIT Jalandhar




Patron: Prof. B K Kanaujia, Director Chairman Prof. A K Agnihotri Convener Dr. H S Chore Coordinators Dr. S. Rupali Dr. Vinil K Gade Dr. Koteswaraaraao Jadda	Resource Persons Dr. Anil Joseph, President, Indian Geotechnical Society (Case Studies: Forensic Studies of Foundation Failures and Monitoring Impact During High Rise Demolition) Dr. Awadhesh P Singh, Honorary Secretary, Indian Geotechnical Society (Deep Foundations For Large Infra Projects) Prof. R Ayothiraman, IIT Delhi (Metro tunnels in urban areas: challenges and Solutions) Prof. Vishwas Sawant, IIT Roorkee (Assessment of Liquefaction Potential)	Who can participate: Students, Research Scholars, Faculty, Industry Person, Scientists Registration Fee: Online Mode Students, Research Scholar, Faculty, Industry Person, Scientists: Rs. 150 (Non NITJ) Offline Mode (With working Lunch) Students, Research Scholar, Faculty, Industry Person, Scientists: Rs. 500 (Non NITJ) Venue: Video Conferencing Hall, Computer Centre and IT Park Building, Dr. B R Ambedkar NIT Jalandhar
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Attended 236th National Executive committee meeting held at NIT Jalandhar on 30th September 2023. Thanks to team of IGS Jalandhar Chapter and NIT Jalandhar for hosting the National Executive committee meeting and the excellent hospitality.



