Brief Report of One Week STTP on "Advances in Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering" Organised by IGS – Aurangabad Chapter (25- 29 Oct. 2021)

One Week STTP on "Advances in Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering" was jointly Organised by IGS – Aurangabad Chapter & Soil Dynamics Forum, ISET in association with Civil Engineering Department, Marathwada Institute of Technology, Beed by pass road, Aurangabad & Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Technological University, Lonere, Raigad on 25th – 29th October 2021.

The workshop started with a formal inauguration session at 10:45 am on 25October 2021 through the online platform of ZOOM app. This included a welcome speech of the Convener; Dr. M.S. Dixit (HCED, MIT Aurangabad &IGS Aurangabad chapter) followed by introductory speeches by co-conveners Dr. R. S. Jakka (Secretary, Soil Dynamics forum, ISET) and Dr. S.M. Pore (Professor, DBATU, Lonere). After this, Dr. N.G. Patil (Director, MIT, Aurangabad) and President IGS, Dr. N.K. Samadhiya (IIT Roorkee) addressed the participants.

The aim of the STTP was to enhance the participants with the concepts of Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering, Seismic response of reinforced retaining walls, Influence of local soil conditions on seismic site response, Influence of Soil Conditions on Design Response Spectra, Seismic hazards and Risk Assessment, Seismic design of slopes and embankments, Physical modelling of earthquake effects, liquefaction, Modeling of Elements for Analysis, Seismic aspects of Pile

165 participants registered for this STTP out of which 50% were faculty members, 12% Industry person/ Consultants, 14% Research Scholars and 24 % UG/ PG Students. Participants consisted of Faculty members of renowned institutions, Research scholars and UG/PG Students from Odisha, Telangana, Karnataka, Maharashtra, Chennai, New Delhi, Guwahati, Gujrat, Uttarkhand, Roorkee, Rajasthan, West Bengal, Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Assam, Port Blair-Adaman & Nicobar Islands, Mizoram and from other countries like United Kingdom and Bhutan.

During valedictory session, some of participants shared their overall feedback about STTP. Vote of Thanks was done by Er. S. G. Quadri, Joint Secretary IGS Aurangabad Chapter.











SCHEDULE OF SESSIONS

DAY/TIME	I	II	III
	11:00 am - 12:15 pm	12:15 pm - 1:30 pm	1:30 pm – 2:30 pm
25 th October (Day1)	"Introduction to Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering"	"Seismic response of reinforced retaining walls"	
	Dr. Vasant A Matsagar	Dr. Madhavi Latha Gali	
	Professor, IIT Delhi	Professor, IISc Bangalore	
26 th October (Day2)	"Influence of Local soil conditions on Seismic Site Response and their estimation" Dr. Ravi S. Jakka	"Liquefaction" Dr. Ajanta Sachan, Associate professor,	"Seismic aspects of Pile/shallow Foundation" Dr. Viswas A.Sawant Professor, Civil Engineering Department, IIT Roorkee
	Associate professor, IIT Roorkee	IIT Gandhinagar	
27 th October	"Influence of soil conditions on Design response spectra"	"Seismic Design of Slopes and Embankments"	
(Day3)	Dr. Vipul Prakash	Dr. Amit Prashant	
	Professor, IIT Roorkee	Professor, IIT Gandhinagar	
28 th October	"Physical modeling of Earthquake effects and Liquefaction remediation"	" Seismic Hazard and Risk assessment"	
(Day 4)	Dr. Ing. B.V.S. Viswanadham	Dr. Sreevalsa Kolathyar	
(j · j	Professor, IIT Bombay	NIT, Surathkal	
29 th	"Modeling of Elements for Analysis"	"Stress Management through Yoga" Dr. U.B. Kalwane	
October	Dr. Sachin M Pore	MIT, Aurangabad	
(Day 5)	Professor, DBATU Lonere	Feedback & Valedictory session	

CONVENOR
Dr. Manish S. Dixit,
HCED, MIT &
Hon. Secretary,
IGS Aurangabad Chapter