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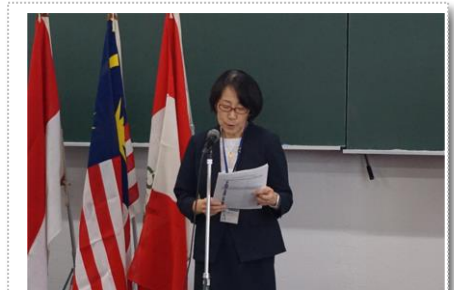
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IISEE Annual Training Course 2023-24 started

By Mr. Yasuhiko Akiba, Head of Administration Division, IISEE

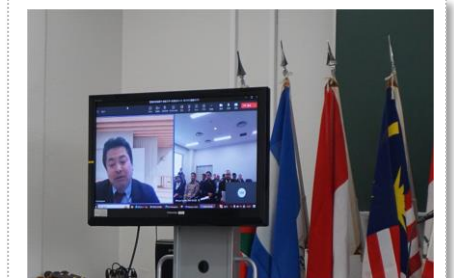
On October 2nd, the opening ceremony of IISEE annual training course 2023-24 was held at JICA Tsukuba, and the 1 year course has started. This year, 13 participants from 8 countries were divided into Seismology, Earthquake Engineering, Tsunami Disaster Mitigation. They are going to have specialized lectures on the study. We will strive to make this training fruitful for each participant. Also, we hope that all the participants spend time in Japan with many funs and that this training course will be an opportunity for them to develop friendships with each other. We also hope that this will help them to form a human network that will be useful for disaster mitigation in the future. We highly appreciate the support of all the concerned people for this training course.



Ms. Emiko MUTSUYOSHI,
Deputy Director General,
Tsukuba Center, JICA



Dr. Takao SAWACHI,
President of BRI



Mr. Koji KATAYAMA,
Director of Disaster
Management Policy
Program of GRIPS



Mr. HAOUAS
(from Algeria, E-Course)

Earthquakes

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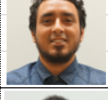


Earthquake Catalog






Group Photo

New Participants of 2023-24

地盤工学(S)グループ (4名)				
1		ALGERIA	Mr. ABOUDA <u>Moustafa</u>	Research Associate / PHD Student, SEISMIC HAZARD, National Center for Applied Research in earthquake Engineering (CGS)
2		EL SALVADOR	Mr. MADRID MADRID Omar <u>Anthony</u>	Technician, Subdirection of Urban Development Control, Planning Office of the Metropolitan Area of San Salvador(OPAMSS)
3		INDONESIA	Mr. SAMAPTA <u>Brilian</u> Tatag	Geophysical Observer, Center of Earthquake and Tsunami, Meteorology, Climatology, and Geophysical Agency
4		INDONESIA	Mr. YUSUF <u>Fadly</u>	Geophysical Observer, Center of Earthquake and Tsunami, Meteorology, Climatology, and Geophysical Agency

耐震工学(E)グループ (6名)				
1		ALGERIA	Mr. HAOUAS <u>Islam</u>	Master II Student, Civil Engineering, National Polytechnic
2		EL SALVADOR	Mr. ULLOA UMANZOR Jose <u>Ricardo</u>	Technician, Subdirection of Urban Development Control, Planning Office of the Metropolitan Area of San Salvador (OPAMSS)
3		MALAYSIA	Mr. Mohamad <u>Hazwan</u> Bin Zahari	Civil Engineer, Maintenance Division, Public Works Department(JKR)
4		PERU	Mr. JARAMILLO DEL AGUILA <u>Joseph</u> Darwin	Assistant Researcher, Observation Center for Seismic Engineering (CEOIS), JAPAN-PERU CENTER FOR EARTHQUAKE ENGINEERING AND DISASTER MITIGATION (CISMID)
5		TÜRKIYE	Mr. EYUGILLER Mustafa <u>Mert</u>	Research Assistant, Earthquake Engineering Department/Disaster Management Institute, Istanbul Technical University
6		TURKMENISTAN	Mr. CHARYYEV <u>Perhat</u>	MAIN SPECIALIST, EXPERT, MAIN ADMINISTRATION OF STATE EXAMINATION, MINISTRY OF CONSTRUCTION AND ARCHITECTURE OF TURKMENISTAN



津波助災(T)グループ (3名)			
1		INDONESIA	Mr. HARYANTO <u>Fajar</u> Tri Geophysics Analyst, Geophysics, Meteorology, Climatology, and Geophysical Agency
2		INDONESIA	Mr. SRIYANTO <u>Sesar</u> Prabu Dwi Geophysical Observer, Center for Earthquake and Tsunami, Meteorology, Climatology, and Geophysical Agency
3		PHILIPPINES	Mr. PONCE Engracio <u>Jr</u> Engineer III, Water Projects Division, Bureau of Design, Department of Public Works and Highways

The Activities of Ex-Participants

By Mr. Marino Protti, Seismology Course 1983-84

On August 1983, exactly 40 years ago, when I was only 22 years old, I started my training in seismology at the IISEE in Tsukuba, without knowing that such opportunity was going to shape my professional and academic life forever. I must admit that at that time I did not like seismology, and I was only interested in pursuing a career in petroleum geology. The quality of the training I received during that year at IISEE and the personal interaction with some of my fellow classmates, paved the pathway for the rest of my life.

When I came back to Costa Rica, after my studies at IISEE, I was hired at the Costa Rica Volcanological and Seismological Observatory (OVSICORI-UNA) and was given the opportunity to contribute to building what is today the densest seismographic network in Latin America. A few years later I went to California to get a MSc. in Earth Sciences and a PhD. in Geophysics at the University of California at Santa Cruz. I have been working in seismology at OVSICORI-UNA for 39 years and all



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We also welcome your co-workers and friends to register our mailing list.

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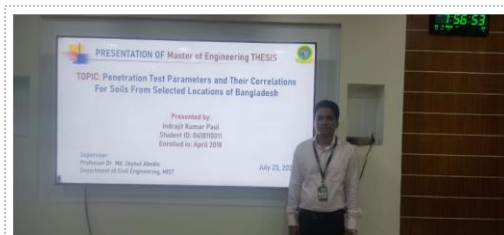
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because of a single year I spent at IISEE. This career in seismology has taken me to all continents of this planet, including Antarctica.

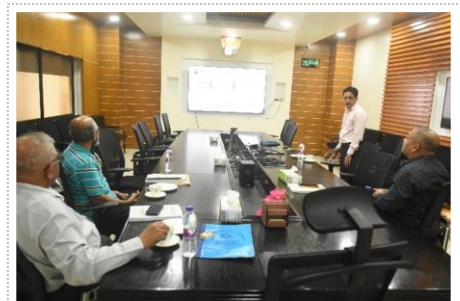
Currently I am working on subduction processes and taking advantage that in Costa Rica two peninsulas sit over the seismogenic zone of large subduction earthquake, allowing recording changes in the near field. It was this way that we were able to anticipate the rupture area and magnitude of the Nicoya, 2012, Mw=7.6 earthquake. We are now recording data in southern Costa Rica to try to repeat the successful experience in Nicoya peninsula, to anticipate the next earthquake under Osa peninsula. I am also promoting the development of an international subduction zone observatory in Osa peninsula, where the seismogenic zone is accessible by drilling onshore.

By Mr. Indrajit Kumar Paul, Earthquake Engineering Course 2021-22

After returning from Japan, I concentrated on my thesis work. The topic was "Penetration Test Parameters and Their Correlations for Soils from Selected Locations of Bangladesh." Finally, I Obtained another Master's Degree in Geotechnical Engineering from the "Military Institute of Science and Technology (MIST)" in Bangladesh. Here I have shown some evidence during close door examination.



Presentation Title



During Presentation with my supervisor and the external & internal members



After Satisfactory Presentation



After Satisfactory Presentation

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Besides this, I attended the "Second International Conference on Advances in Civil Infrastructure and Construction Materials (CICM-2023)". I submitted two papers, one as an author and the other as a co-author. Both papers were presented to me. One paper was part of my master's degree individual study at IISEE. The title was "Seismic Site Classification Based on Average N_{30} Values in Four Seismic Zones in Bangladesh". The other title was "Discrepancies Between Automatic Trip Hammer and Donut Hammer in Standard Penetration Test on Bangladesh Perspective." Here I have shown some evidence during presentation mode in international conference.



July Presentation mode in CICM-2023



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