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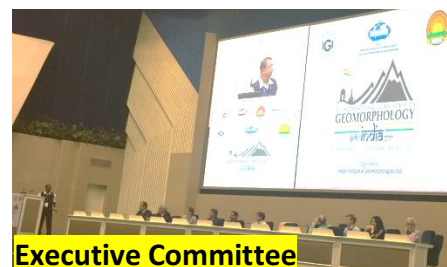
Report on the 9th International Conference on Geomorphology And post-conference Intensive Course for Young Geomorphologists

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9th International Conference on Geomorphology organised in India, the second most populous country of the world. It was my first trip abroad and my first time in the international conference on geomorphology, as well. It was a great opportunity for me to know the atmosphere of an international conference and distinguished scientists from different countries for the first time and I upgrade my knowledge in interesting meetings of my favorite theme (coastal geomorphology). This conference held in Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi, from 6 to 11 November 2017. During the Conference time, I had my paper to present entitled: "Review of Delta Geomorphological Changes Considering Changes in Geochemistry of Sedimentary Facies (Case Study: Arvandrud Delta, Southwest of Iran)" in hall no 5.

One of the strengths and admirable points of this international conference on geomorphology was offering grants for young geomorphologists from less-favoured countries worldwide. I think this is a prominent characteristic that should be strengthened in the next periods of conference, because participating in this famous conference for me; it was only possible through Grant.



The conference was accompanied with an intensive course for around 22 Young Geomorphologists from India, Brazil, Argentina, Indonesia, Cameroon, Ethiopia, Iraq, China, Mexico, Italy and Iran countries. This course was held November 12 to 16 in the northern part of India (Dehradun, Mussoorie, Paonta Sahib and Sataun).

It was a great opportunity for me to visit the Himalaya Mountains and increase my knowledge about fault system of Himalaya and active tectonic evidence in landslide zone, terraces,

The first day began as theoretical with the lecture by eight outstanding geomorphologists and geologists like Prof. Peter Van der Beek, Prof. Mauro

Soldati, Prof. Irasema Alcantara Ayala, Prof. Giuseppe Mastronuzzi and ... in inside hotel. They had interesting presentations on sea level change, tectonic events in Himalaya, landslides especially in Italy and disaster risk and management theme. Field trip was defined for next two days. This field trip was very different experience for me. Field trips are held exactly practical in my country but on this trip, I just saw the speeches of the speakers unfortunately without any practical training. In my opinion, this was a weakness point of field trip. In a real trip, everyone should be involved. I hope could be more participatory and practical in next field trip.

Finally, I would like to thank the International Association of Geomorphologists (especially dear Prof. Mauro and Prof. Sunil) for the chance to attend at this wonderful conference and training course.



Theoretical Training



Field Training



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