



ISSMGE TECHNICAL COMMITTEES – 2009 - 2013

Category	TC #	TC Official Name	TC Short Name	Host Country	TC Chair	TC Vice Chair	TC Secretary	Members Proposed by TOC (4)	Members Proposed by Chair (4)	Terms of Reference
Fundamentals	TC 101	Laboratory Stress Strain Strength Testing of Geomaterials	Laboratory Testing	France	H. di Benedetto	S. Shibuya (Japan)				
	TC 102	Ground Property Characterization from In-Situ Tests	In-Situ Testing	USA	P Mayne					
	TC 103	Numerical Methods in Geomechanics	Numerical Methods	Hong Kong	K.T. Chau					
	TC 104	Physical Modelling in Geotechnics	Physical Modelling	Hong Kong	C.W.W.Ng					
	TC 105	Geo-Mechanics from Micro to Macro	Geo-Mechanics	UK	M. Bolton					
	TC 106	Unsaturated Soils	Unsaturated Soils	Spain	E. Alonso					
Applications	TC 201	Geotechnical Aspects of Dykes and Levees, Shore Protection and Land Reclamation	Dykes and Levees	Netherlands	M.A. Van					
	TC 202	Transportation Geotechnics	Transportation	Portugal	A. Gomes Correia					
	TC 203	Earthquake Geotechnical Engineering and Associated Problems	Earthquake	Greece	K. Pitilakis					
	TC 204	Underground Construction in Soft Ground	Underground Construction	France	R. Kastner					



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Applications	TC 205	Limit State design in Geotechnical Engineering	Limit State	UK	B. Simpson					
	TC 206	Interactive Geotechnical design	Interactive Design	Canada	K. Been					
	TC 207	Soil-Structure Interaction and Retaining Walls	Soil-Structure	Russia	V. Ulitsky					
	TC 208	Stability of Natural Slopes	Landslides	Canada	J. Fannin					
	TC 209	Offshore Geotechnics	Offshore	USA	P. Jeanjean					
	TC 210	Dams and Embankments	Dams	China	Jia Jinsheng*					
	TC 211	Ground Improvement	Ground Improvement	France	S. Varaskin					
	TC 212	Deep Foundations	Deep Foundations	Germany	R. Katzenbach					
	TC 213	Geotechnics of Soil Erosion	Soil Erosion	Germany	M Heibaum					
	TC 214	Foundation Engineering for Difficult Soft Soil Conditions	Soft Soils	Mexico	J.L. Rangel					
	TC 215	Environmental Geotechnics	Geo-Environmental	Italy	M. Massanero					



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	TC 216	Frost Geotechnics	Frost	Norway	A. Instanaes					
Impact on Society	TC301	Preservation of Historic Sites	Historic Sites	Italy	C. Viggiani	Y. Iwasaki (Japan)				
	TC302	Forensic Geotechnical Engineering	Forensic	India	V.V.S. Rao					
	TC303	Coastal and River Disaster Mitigation and Rehabilitation	Hurricanes and Floods	Japan	Susumu Iai					
	TC304	Engineering Practice of Risk Assessment and Management	Risk	Singapore	K.K. Phoon					
	TC305	Geotechnical Infrastructure for Megacities and New Capitals	Megacities	Brazil	A. Negro					

* Institute for Water Hydrology Research (IWHR), Beijing. Dr. Jia Jinsheng (president ICOLD is asked to suggest a name from his institute) – name to be received soon.

** Members to be suggested in consultation with TOC members (TOC has already a fair number; the plan is to have the names ready by mid-April 2010)