

ISG – NEWS AHMEDABAD CHAPTER

ISG NATIONAL SYMPOSIUM 2018

National Symposium on 'Advancements in Geospatial Technology for Societal Benefits ' and Annual Conventions of



Indian Society of Geomatics (ISG) and Indian Society of Remote Sensing (ISRS) with Silver Jubilee Celebrations of the ISG was organized jointly by ISG and ISRS, and was hosted by SAC during December 05-07, 2018.

Apart from large number of scientists from ISRO centers, the event was attended by many of the distinguished invitees , senior scientists, teachers and professors from various colleges, institutions and universities , professionals, students, etc. Pre-symposium tutorials on 5 topics were arranged for participants 2 days prior to the event.

The symposium covered all major topics of societal applications including - Geosciences, Agriculture, Navigation and Mobile Apps, Planetary Sciences, Environment, Geospatial Technology, Soil/Land Degradation, Machine Learning, Forestry, Coastal Applications, Hyperspectral Applications, Urban Applications, Marine Sciences, Microwave Applications, Advancements in Data Processing, Cryosphere and Water Resources— in various parallel sessions. The inaugural event included release of symposium souvenir cum abstract volume, Journal of Geomatics, ISG-Newsletter and a book authored by Dr George Joseph. Best papers awards were distributed for students and general categories , separately.

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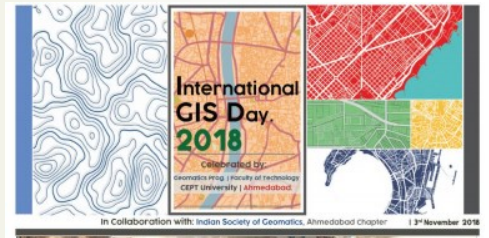
PYTHON WORKSHOP AT M.G.SCIENCE INSTITUTE

"Python for Everybody"- Half-day training workshop on Python was conducted by Botany department, M.G. Science Institute, covering basic aspects of Python technology and data structures. Nearly 50 students from various courses of M.G. Science institute and CEPT University participated in the event.



GIS DAY CELEBRATION AT CEPT UNIVERSITY

International GIS day was celebrated at CEPT University, Ahmedabad on November 3, 2018. Several students participated in various competitions and also displayed GIS projects. Lectures were delivered by subject experts from various institutions.



INDUSTRY - ACADEMIA COLLABORATION FOR GEOSPATIAL TECHNOLOGIES

National symposium was arranged on December 14-15, 2018 was arranged at CEPT University. Several experts from the field of Geomatics including participants from academia, industries and government sectors actively participated in the discussions.



EDUCATIONAL EXCURSION TO STATUE OF UNITY AND NARMADA DAM



One-day educational excursion was jointly organised by ISG-AC, ISRS-AC, IMSA and INCA-GB on March 16, 2019 by visiting Sardar Sarovar dam and Statue of Unity. The excursion received overwhelming response and was highly appreciated by the members. Total 168 members belonging to four societies participated in the event with families. Lectures were delivered by scientists on 'NAVIC and its applications' and 'Sardar Sarovar dam and its environment'. Participants also visited Sardar Patel museum and the viewing gallery showing the mesmerising view of Kevadiya.

ACHIEVEMENTS / AWARDS

BHASKARA AWARD

Dr Ajai was conferred with Bhaskara award, given by ISRS for year 2018 for his enormous contribution in the filed of remote sensing applications, scientific leadership in several programs and international acclaim.



The award was conferred to him during ISG National Symposium at SAC by Shri Kartikeya V. Sarabhai, Director, CEE.

PRESIDENT'S APPRECIATION AWARD

Shri N S Mehta was conferred with President's appreciation award for his un-tiring contribution to the society for past so many years. In the early days of society, he has been pioneer in starting new chapters, brining new members and institutions to the society via symposia, etc. The award was conferred to him during ISG National Symposium at SAC.



UPCOMING EVENTS

1. ISG-ISRS National Symposium (Nov. 13-15, 2019) jointly being organised by NESAC & NEHU at Shillong.

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