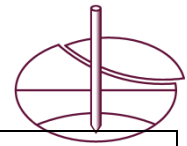


**ISSMGE FOUNDATION  
REPORT ON CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE**

<b>Your Name:</b> Mohamed Sobhey Labeeb	<b>Your Organization:</b> Tanta University, Egypt	<b>Date of report:</b> 24/9/2017
<b>Conference Title:</b> 6 <sup>th</sup> International Young Geotechnical Engineers' Conference, 2017 (iYGEC6)	<b>Location of Conference:</b> At the Global Education Center for Engineers (GECE) of Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea from	<b>Dates of Conference:</b> (From 16 to 17) September, 2017)
<b>What you learned:</b>		
<p>My participation at the 6<sup>th</sup> International Young Geotechnical Engineers' Conference, Seoul, 2017 (iYGEC6) was a great chance for me to meet with some of the greatest professors, researchers, authors and senior consultants in the field of Geotechnical Engineering, that provide me a wide range of experience and develop my skills.</p> <p>There were great two Keynote lectures and great sections. It was largemouth knowledge in geotechnical engineering that was served to me.</p> <p>Performing my oral presentation and had a discussion with the attendance, I think, it learnt me more about how to exchange information and share ideas with others.</p> <p>Discussing with authors that performed their presentations, it increased my knowledge in geotechnical engineering and it will serve me in the future.</p> <p>This knowledge is what are the main geotechnical concerns in other countries and what are my colleagues dealing with in their professional life.</p>		
<b>People you met:</b>		
<p>Pro. Roger Frank, President of ISSMGE, France          Pro. Moonkyung Chung, Chair of iYGEC6, Korea          Pro. Sangseom Jeong, President of Korean Geotechnical Society , Korea          Pro. Young-Hoon Jung, Kyunghee University, Korea          Pro. Choong –Ki Chung, Seoul National University, Korea          Pro. Yu- Hsing Wang, the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong          Pro. Ihan Chang, University of New South Wales, Australia</p>		
<b>Main features of conference:</b>		
<p>The 6<sup>th</sup> International Young Geotechnical Engineers' Conference, Seoul, 2017 (iYGEC6) was held in two days from 16 to 17 September, 2017, which include two Keynote lectures and several sections about Foundations, In-situ investigation and characterization, Soil behaviors, Ground improvement, Slope stability, Soil dynamics, Geotechnical practices, Excavation, Liquefaction, Rock mechanics, Engineered soil and Energy Geotechnics.</p> <p>After each section there was time for taking with other participants and the conference turned into an interactive communication between us</p>		



***Your comments on the conference:***

First I want to thank very much the ISSMGE Foundation for helping me to attend the (iYGEC6). My participation in this event has a great impact in my career of geotechnical engineering. I am more motivated than ever to present studies of interesting and innovative researches.

***Please attach short report (maximum 400 words) suitable for publication in the ISSMGE Bulletin:***

**6<sup>th</sup> International Young Geotechnical Engineers' Conference, (iYGEC6)**

Seoul, Korea, From 16 to 17 September, 2017

Egyptian Geotechnical Society

**Nominee : Mohamed Sobhey Labeeb**

As a nominee member of the Egyptian Geotechnical Society, I participated representing this Society in an International event of greater importance, performing an oral presentation of my research to the audiences and exchanging information/comments with other young geotechnical researchers from several countries.

The participation in this important event was a great success for my professional career. It provided me a wide range of experience and developed my skills.

The most interesting feature of the conference were the great two Keynote lectures and the several sections. Moreover, discussing with authors, it increased my knowledge in geotechnical engineering and it will serve me in the future. During these discussions I had the opportunity to create contacts and links with researchers.

Finally I want to thank all the people that helped me to attend this conference, starting from the President of ISSMGE, Prof. Roger Frank, ISSMGE Foundation. To Prof. Gihan Waked, President of Egyptian Geotechnical Society, for the continuous support for the young geotechnical members. A special thanks to my wife for their support and encourage me.

***Photographs from Conference:***

