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Introduction

With the flourishing exploitation and development of the ocean oil and gas engineering, port engineering, submarine communication engineering as well as the coastal reclamation engineering, quite a number of engineering geological problems have been encountered in the process of planning, construction and service in coastal and submarine regions. In order to make sure the rational development of marine engineering geology, the International Symposium on Marine Engineering Geology (ISMEG 2016) will be held in Qingdao, China on 21-23 October, 2016. The theme of this symposium is "*Marine Engineering Geology and Geo-environmental safety*". ISMEG 2016 aims to gather academic scientists, leading engineers, industrial researchers and students to exchange their ideas, experiences and share their research results about marine engineering geology.

Welcome to Qingdao in 2016!

Topics

- ◆ Engineering characteristics of marine soil.
- ◆ Exogenic marine geo-disasters.
- ◆ Endogenic marine geo-disasters.
- ◆ Regional engineering geology.
- ◆ Coastal engineering geology.
- ◆ Marine engineering geological survey technology and methodology.
- ◆ Marine engineering geological data fusion.

Program

Technical sessions will run over two days consisting of plenary (40 minutes) and keynote speeches (30 minutes), delegate oral (15 minutes) and poster presentations. Coffee breaks and luncheons will be provided as well as a welcome reception, banquet and tours.

Call for abstracts

Abstracts should be submitted to ismeg2016@sina.com. The template and instructions can be downloaded from the symposium website. Those excellent papers will be collected and considered to be published as a fully refereed special issue of *Engineering Geology* or *Bulletin of Engineering Geology and the Environment*.

Important Dates

- ◆ First announcement: 25 September 2015
- ◆ Second announcement: 1 May 2016
- ◆ Abstract due: 31 May 2016
- ◆ Acceptance of abstract: 30 June, 2016
- ◆ Early birds registration due: 31 July 2016

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Registration fees

Registration fees (Prices in US dollars)	Early registration (by 31 July, 2016)	Regular registration
IAEG member	\$595	\$645
No IAEG member	\$645	\$695
Students	\$395	
Accompanying person	\$295	

The registration fee includes conference materials (not available to accompanying persons), lunches, coffee

breaks, and attending all technical sessions. More details on registration can be found on the symposium website.

Accommodation

A sufficient number of hotel rooms have been reserved in the vicinity of the symposium venue in the three-star to five-star categories. Details will be available on the symposium website.



Post-Symposium Tours

- ◆ Qingdao Coastal geological environment Day Tour
- ◆ Yellow River Delta national nature reserve Day Tour



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