

August 2019

Dear Sir/Madam

Prof. N. Kishi
Chairperson of Organizing Committee
The 7th Interdisciplinary Workshop on Rockfall Protection

Invitation to be an exhibitor at the 7th Interdisciplinary Workshop on Rockfall Protection

We are pleased to extend an invitation for you to attend the 7th Interdisciplinary Workshop on Rockfall Protection: RocExs2020, which will be held in Sapporo from June 15 to 18, 2020.

In Japan, as well as in Switzerland and other alpine regions in Europe, many rockfall protection works have been constructed in mountainous areas and along rocky coastlines to protect human lives and road transportation networks from falling rocks. However, large scale rockfall disasters have still occurred and a large number of lives have been lost. Thus, it is still an urgent matter to precisely forecast and/or predict the magnitude of the falling rocks, to develop rockfall protection works having the highest level of safety performance, and to mitigate rockfall disasters.

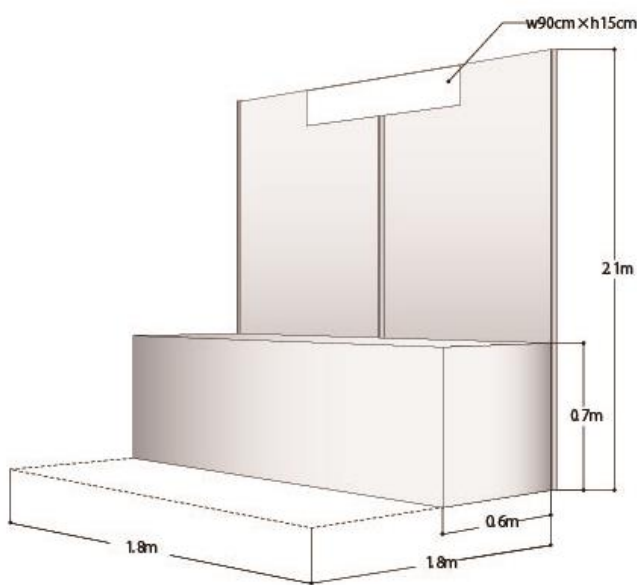
From this point of view, in order to discuss and evaluate new methods, models, and approaches for the analysis and management of rockfalls that have recently been developed, previous workshops were held in Japan (Kanazawa 1999), France (Vaujany 2005), Switzerland (Morschach 2008), Austria (Innsbruck-Igls 2011), Italy (Lecco 2014), and Spain (Barcelona 2017).

At the 7th Interdisciplinary Workshop on Rockfall Protection RocExs2020, scholars, researchers, managers and engineers related to geology, rock mechanics, and disaster mitigation engineering will get together, while business exhibition booths will be provided to enable you to take advantage of this opportunity to promote various numerical analysis programs, technologies, and products.

Outline of the workshop

1. Conference Name	7th Interdisciplinary Workshop on Rockfall Protection (RocExs2020)
2. Venue	Conference Hall, Hokkaido University (Sapporo, Hokkaido, Japan)
3. Period	June 15 (Mon) – 18 (Thu), 2020
4. Organizer	Organizing Committee of the 7 th Interdisciplinary Workshop on Rockfall Protection Chairperson: N. Kishi, Specially Appointed Professor, Muroran Institute of Technology Scientific Secretary: M. Komuro, Associate Professor, Muroran Institute of Technology
5. Co-Organizers	Japan Society of Civil Engineers, Japanese Geotechnical Society, International Association for Bridge and Structural Engineering (IABSE), Japan Society of Engineering Geology, the Mining and Materials Processing Institute of Japan, the Japan Landslide Society, and Hokkaido University
6. Supporters	MLIT Hokkaido Regional Development Bureau, Hokkaido Government, City of Sapporo, PWRI Civil Engineering Research Institute for Cold Regions, Hokkaido Construction Association, Hokkaido Branch of the Japanese Civil Engineering Consultants Association, Hokkaido Road Management Engineering Center, Muroran Institute of Technology
7. Cooperation	Japan National Tourism Organization
8. Prospective participants	150 people

Outline of the business exhibition

Fee	200,000 JPY/booth (including tax), 400,000 JPY/2 booths (including tax) *This is a fee for the entire period. Applications for one day cannot be accepted.
Exhibition Period	June 16 (Tue) to 17 (Wed), 2020
Benefits	1) One person per booth can be registered for the workshop. 2) Three persons can be stationed at each booth. These persons cannot attend the workshop, but have entry to the venue for coffee breaks. They can attend the banquet for a charge (please apply). 3) Your company name will be listed on the website, and a link to your website is included.
Installing and removing exhibits	Installation: 9-10 am, June 16 (Tue) Removing: 3-5 pm, June 17 (Wed) *This is a tentative plan. Confirmed schedule will be made known at a later date.
Basic booth size	 <p>One booth: W 1,800 mm x D 1,800 mm x H: 2,100 mm Back panel: W 1,800 mm x H 2,100 mm (system panel).</p>
Auxiliary equipment	1 conference table (W 1,800 mm x D 600 mm), 2 chairs, white cloth, company name plate (W 900 mm x H 200 mm, the same font for all companies, no logo)
Options	Spotlight with an arm, electric equipment *Requests for optional equipment will be accepted later (scheduled for around April 2020).
Booth assignment	After accepting applications, the booth assignment will be decided and notified taking into consideration the type and design of exhibits and number of booths.
Management by exhibitors	Management of exhibits is the responsibility of the exhibitors. The organizer will have no responsibility for any theft or loss of exhibits and any mishap during the exhibition.
How to apply	Please send the attached application form by e-mail or fax to the Registration Office (EC Pro Inc.).
Deadline of application	March 13 (Fri), 2020 *Invoice will be sent after application.
Remittance destination for exhibition fees	Bank information will be announced later. *Please pay the bank charge. *Please make payment by May 29 (Fri), 2020.
Inquiries and applications	RocExs2020 Registration Office (c/o EC Pro Inc.) Asami Hoshi (Ms.) 5F, Kitaguchi-Yoshiya Bldg., Kita 7, Nishi 4, Kita-ku, Sapporo 060-0807, JAPAN Tel. +81-11-299-5910 FAX. +81+11-299-5911 E-mail: rocexs2020@ec-pro.co.jp

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Application sheet for the Technical Exhibition

Date

Your company name (in English)			
Website (in English)			
Department			
Person in charge	Title: Name:		
Address (billing address)	Postal/ZIP code:		
Tel.		Fax	
E-mail			
Desired date for the issuance of an invoice		Expected date of payment	

■ Desired number of booths

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Power consumption (planned)	100 V () w / 200V () w (single phase, three phase)		

■ Major exhibits and remarks

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