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Physical Modeling for Geological and Geotechnical Engineering







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Major engineering projects are large-scale with complicated hazard mechanism of engineering geological bodies and geo-materials subjected to static/dynamic loads in the engineering lifecycle. Physical modeling typically involves the interaction of many elements and multiple coupled physical processes, which plays very important role in understanding the fundamentals of geological & geotechnical body response and validating the efficacy of design methods, hazard mitigation countermeasures, etc.. This session will focus on physical modeling and the related numerical analysis for major geological and geotechnical engineering problems, such as geological structure deformation, geotechnical earthquake engineering, hydropower geotechnical foundations, transportation and energy storage, geological solutions for energy and resources including geological disposal of nuclear wastes and sequestration of carbon dioxide. The themes of this session are: (1) to identify the challenges for physical modeling posed by scientific problems behind major engineering projects; (2) to find the needs for new theory, methods, facilities and instrumentations for major geological and geotechnical engineering problems. This session will discuss the following topics, but not limited to:

- Scaling laws for geological and geotechnical model tests
- Physical modeling for geotechnical earthquake engineering
- Physical modeling of hydropower geotechnical foundations
- Centrifuge modeling to explore energy geotechnology problems
- Geological disposal of nuclear wastes and sequestration of carbon dioxide
- Physical analogue and hypergravity experiments of tectonic deformation
- Combined use of physical modeling and numerical simulation in geological and geotechnical engineering system

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## IMPORTANT\_DATES



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