

A Special Symposium on "Advances in Geotechnical Engineering"

We cordially invite you to join the special symposium on "Advances in Geotechnical Engineering" as part of the ICCES'13 (International Conference on Computational and Experimental Engineering & Sciences). The conference will be held in Seattle, WA, USA, during 24-28 May 2013. More details on the conference can be found at the conference webpage: <http://www.icces.org/>.

The special symposium is in honor of Professor Hehua Zhu's receiving the award of ICCES T.H.H. PIAN MEDAL, for his seminal contributions to research in Geomechanics and Geoenvironmental Engineering. The award receives its name from Professor T.H.H. Pian, who for nearly 50 years at MIT, played a significant role in educating several generations of students in the areas of structural and computational mechanics. Professor Hehua Zhu will present a 40 minutes-long AWARD LECTURE at the ICCES13.

This special symposium will encompass a broad range of topics on Geotechnical Engineering, such as new numerical/analytical methods on geomechanics, constitutive models and experiments on rocks and soils, and geotechnical engineering applications.

Abstracts/papers can be submitted through the website <http://submission.techscience.com/icces13> and the author guide can be found at <http://www.icces.org/guide.html>. Please submit the abstracts/papers to "Symposium: Advances in Geotechnical Engineering" on the "Basic Information" page in the submission. We encourage you to submit your abstracts/papers by 1 March 2013.

We are looking forward to welcoming many of you in Seattle in May 2013!

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