Monsoon School on Urban Floods, 3–8 July 2017

The Department of Civil Engineering, Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bengaluru is organizing a one-week Monsoon School on Urban Floods during 3–8 July 2017, as one of the outreach activities in the research project entitled, ‘Integrated Urban Flood Management in India: Technology Driven Solutions’, sponsored by ITRA (Information Technology Research Academy), Ministry of Information and Technology, Government of India. The School will comprise of lectures and tutorials by experts, covering topics of urban meteorology, urban hydrology, radar and remote sensing analysis of rain events, engineering practices and post-flood responses. Group discussions will be arranged to bring out the relevance of the state-of-the-art tools and methodologies for managing urban floods in Indian cities. The School was conducted successfully in the last three years. Research students, representatives from Govt and Non-Govt organizations from various parts of India and neighbouring countries like Sri Lanka, Nepal and Bhutan have benefited from the School.

The School is targeted at young researchers and practising engineers working with government or private bodies and educational institutes. There is no registration fee. Outstation participants may be considered for a limited accommodation on campus, on request.

Applications for participation in the School, comprising of detailed bio-data (including date of birth, academic background and work experience) may be sent by e-mail/hardcopy to Prof. P. P. Mujumdar, Department of Civil Engineering, Indian Institute of Science, Bengaluru 560 012 (e-mail: monsoonschool.iisc@gmail.com).

Last date for receipt of applications: 21 April 2017.