Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- July 2001, Ph.D. in Civil Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology (1997-2001).
- June 1994, Master of Science in Geotechnical Engineering, National Taiwan University (1992-1994).
- June 1992, Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering, National Taiwan University (1988-1992).

HONORS/AWARDS

- Invited distinguished speaker, IEEE 6th World Forum on Internet of Things, 2021, New Orleans, USA.
- Invited speaker for IWHR Seminar Series on Geo-Frontiers, 2021, Institute of Water Resources and Hydropower Research, China
- Invited speaker for the technical tour, Hong Kong 2020 International Urban Forestry Conference.
- Keynote speaker, IAS Workshop on Emerging Scales in Granular Media, 2020, HK.
- Invited speaker, IEEE 5th World Forum on Internet of Things, 2019, Limerick, Ireland
- Plenary Lecture, 6th International Symposium on Reliability Engineering and Risk Management, 2018, Singapore.
- Invited distinguished speaker, IEEE 4th World Forum on Internet of Things, 2018,
 Singapore.
- The School of Engineering Teaching Award, HKUST, 2016-2017.
- Keynote lecturer at the International Symposium on Geomechanics from Micro to Macro. IS-Cambridge 2014, Cambridge, UK.
- Distinguished Alumni Award, Department of Civil Engineering, National Taiwan University, 2013.
- Finalist Teams, HKUST 2013 One Million Dollar Entrepreneurship Competition.

- Theme lecturer at the fifth International Symposium on Deformation Characteristics of Geomaterials (IS-Seoul 2011), Korea.
- The School of Engineering Teaching Award, HKUST, 2008-2009.
- ASTM International Hogentogler Award, 2005.
- George F. Sowers Distinguished Graduate Student Award for Ph.D. Students, Georgia Institute of Technology, 2002.
- Member, Phi Tau Phi Scholastic Honor Society at National Taiwan University, 1994.
- Fellowship from the Ministry of Education, National Taiwan University, 1993.

PATENT

- China patent, No. ZL201780069036.7.: Resistivity measurement cell measuring electrical resistivity anisotropy of unsaturated soil
- USA patent, No. 17/248559: Multifunctional and modular geotechnical testing device
- WO, No. WO2018087592A1
 - "Resistivity measurement cell measuring electrical resistivity anisotropy of unsaturated soil"
- WO, No. WO2017076343A1 and Chinese Patent applied, No. 2016800646232
 "Making a biaxial testing system with the aid of 3D printing technique to examine the kinetic behavior of particulate media"
- US provisional patent (No. 63/237,144)
 "Deep Learning Based 3D Point Cloud Object Detection Method"
- USA provisional patent No. 62/973996
 "Building Unsupervised Anomaly Detection with the Normal Instances of Datasets"
- USA provisional patent, No. 62/392187
 "Using film-like sensors for K₀ and pore water pressure measurement in clay during 1-D consolidation"
- USA provisional patent, No. 62/389087: Making a simple and portable oedometer system to determine the consolidation parameters of soils
- USA provisional patent, No. 62/708017
 "Trusted Transaction Monitor"
- USA provisional patent, No. 62/389087
 - "Making a simple and portable oedometer system to determine the consolidation parameters of soils"

PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS

- Professional Geotechnical Engineer, Taiwan (since 1996).
- Fellow, Hong Kong Institute of Engineers (since 2019)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

- 2018 present Associate head, Department of Department of Civil Environmental
 Engineering Engineering, The Hong Kong University of Science and
 Technology.
- 2016 present Professor, Department of Department of Civil Environmental
 Engineering Engineering, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology.
- 2008 2016 Associate Professor, Department of Department of Civil
 Environmental Engineering Engineering, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology.
- 2001 2007 Assistant Professor, Department of Civil Engineering, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology.
- 1997 2001 Research and Teaching Assistants, Georgia Institute of Technology,
 USA.
- 1996 1997 Engineer (Construction Management), Taiwan Area National Expressway Engineering Bureau (TANEEB), Taiwan.
- 1995 1996 Geotechnical Engineer, R&D Center, BES Engineering Corporation, Taiwan.
- 1992 1994 Research and Teaching Assistants, National Taiwan University,
 Taiwan.

AFFILIATIONS

- Assessor (Associate Editor), Géotechnique Letters (2016- Present)
- Editorial Board Member, Geomechanics and Engineering, an International Journal. (2008 present)
- Associated Editor, The KSCE Journal of Civil Engineering (2010 2012)
- Associate Editor, The HKIE Transactions (2008 2012)
- Member, American Society of Civil Engineering (ASCE).
- Member, Society of Exploration Geophysicists
- Member, Hong Kong Geotechnical Society (HKGES).

- Member, Southeast Asian Geotechnical Society.
- Member, The International Society of Soil Mechanics and Geotechnical Engineering
 - Geo-Mechanics from Micro to Macro (ISSMGE TC105).
- Member in Large, Hong Kong Society of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (until 2009).
- Board Member (academic affairs), National Taiwan University Alumni Association (Civil and Geology) in Hong Kong (NTUAA) (2003-2013).
- Member in the Executive Committee, The Association of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Specialists (Hong Kong) (2010-2012).
- Ordinary member, HKIE Geotechnical Division (2010-2016).

RESEARCH GRANTS

- RGC General Research Fund, PI, HK\$911,317 (September 2021 August 2024)
 "AI-enabled detection, positioning and assessment of civil infrastructure defects using camera-LiDAR datasets"
- Sustainable Smart Campus as a Living Lab, PI, HKD 1,320,000 (01/2021-12/2023). "You will see a hoopoe"
- Innovation and Technology Support Program (ITF), PI, HK\$ 1,399,492.50 (11/2019-04/2021, ITS/101/19)
 - "AiPollut Watcher to watch street air pollution with intelligent eyes"
- Sustainable Smart Campus as a Living Lab, PI, HKD 1,465,000 (09/2019-08/2021).
 "Internet of Tree Things (IoTT)"
- R&D Study with HK Drainage Service Department, PI, HKD 1,250,359 (11/2018-05/2020)
 - "Development of smart system for asset management of structural concrete pilot study on Artificial intelligence-based building information modelling (AIBIM)"
- R&D Study with HK Drainage Service Department, PI, HKD 1,340,359 (06/2018-11/2019)
 - "Baseline assessment and site condition evaluation monitoring adopting big dataartificial intelligence technologies"
- The Hong Kong Jockey Club Charities Fund, Co-PI, HKD32,280,000 (02/2018-01/2021),
 - "Enhancement of urban three risk management: through the use of smart sensing technologies, capacity building and public education."

- Innovation and Technology Support Program (ITF), Public Sector Trial Scheme, PI, HK\$497,306 (12/2016-11/2017),
 - "Development of an economical smart soil particle for natural slope instability monitoring"
- Innovative Teaching Development Projects, PI, HK\$ 200,000 (08/2017 01/2019),
 "DESR (Data-Enabled Scalable Research) Lab-Incubator of Creative Learners and Hub of Transformation"
- RGC Theme-based Research Scheme (TRS), Co-I, HK\$ 33,225,000 (09/2015-08/2020),
 - "Understanding Debris Flow Mechanisms and Mitigating Risks for a Sustainable Hong Kong"
- Innovation and Technology Support Program (ITF), PI, HK\$ 1,398,947 (06/2015-05/2017),
 - "A Big Data Architecture and Machine Learning Initiative for Real-time Landslide Monitoring and Early Warning System in Hong Kong"
- RGC CRF, Co-PI, HK\$ 1,398,947 (06/2018 -05/2021),
 "A modular drum centrifuge facility for research into mountain and estuary hazard mitigation and environmental protection"
- REC Research Equipment Competition, PI, HK\$120,962 (2014/15)

 "Pressure Mapping System (I-scan Pressure Measurement System upgrade)"
- Innovation and Technology Support Program (ITF), PI, HK\$996,717 (09/2013-02/2015),
 - "Development of an economical smart soil particle for natural slope instability monitoring"
- Innovative Teaching Development Projects, PI, HK\$ 199,671 (08/2013 02/2015),
 "Online Virtual Soil Lab. II"
- Post-Doctoral Fellowship (PDF) Matching Fund, PI, (March, 2013), "The creep effects on granular materials in large strain scale"
- UGC Research Infrastructure Grant, PI, HK\$50000 (01/10/2012 03/10/2014)
 "Examining the mechanisms of aging, creep, and structuration in sand using innovative experiments and advanced DEM simulations"
- UGC Research Infrastructure Grant, PI, HK\$50000 (15/10/2013 14/10/2015)
 "Smart Soil Particle and Prototypical Wireless Smart Sensor Network"
- RGC Collaborative Research Fund, Co-I, HK\$8,000,000 (07/2013 06/2016),

- "Green slope engineering: bioengineered, live cover systems for man-make fill slopes and landfill capillary barriers in Hong Kong"
- Innovative Teaching Development Projects, PI, HK\$ 184,185 (07/2012 06/2013),
 "The HKUST Igniters Pilot Study"
- REC Research Equipment Competition, PI, HK\$120,962 (2010/11)
 "Pressure Mapping System (I-scan Pressure Measurement System)"
- RGC General Research Fund, PI, HK\$ 1,613,381 (01/2011 12/2014),
 "Examining the setup mechanisms of displacement piles in sand using well-instrumented centrifuge model tests and DEM simulations"
- IALO (Innovative Assessment of Learning Outcomes Projects), PI, HK\$ 310,000 (11/2009 10/2011)
 - "Online Virtual Soil Lab"
- RGC collaborative Research Fund, Co-I, HK\$6,670,000 (06/2010-05/2013), "Green Slope Engineering for Hong Kong"
- RGC General Research Fund, PI, HK\$ 792,690 (09/2009 12/2012),
 "Examining the initiation mechanisms of rainfall induced flow-like landslides using well-instrumented laboratory flume tests and fully-coupled numerical simulations"
- RGC Competitive Earmarked Research Grant (HKUST6034/02E), PI, HK\$959,404 (09/2002 – 08/2006),
 - "Understanding residual soil behavior at the particulate level with complementary wave-based characterizations"
- RGC Direct Allocation Grant (DAG01/02.EG01), PI, HK\$ 100,000 (01/2002 12/2002),
 - "The structure evolution of residual soils under various physico-chemical environments"
- RGC Direct Allocation Grant (DAG04/05.EG20), PI, HK\$ 77,000 (01/2004 12/2005),
 - "Understanding clay behavior at the particle level with the aid of complementary wave-based characterizations"
- Emerging High Impact Area (EHIA04/05.EG02), Co-PI, HK\$750,000 (09/2004 04/2007),
 - "Emerging Geohazards in Hong Kong and Pearl River Delta due to climate changes"
- Equipment Fund from School of Engineering, PI, HK\$ 500,000.
- Post-Doctoral Fellowship (PDF) Matching Fund, PI, (March, 2003),

"Particulate soil mechanics and micro-scale experimental studies"

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Applications of Vertical AI and Green AI on Civil and Environmental Engineering, including sensor design (Geo-IoT and Open Smart Soil Particles, OpenSSP), data collection, big data, deep learning, and semantic integration.
- Innovative wave-based characterizations of geomaterials (using mechanical and electromagnetic waves)
- Experimental geo-micromechanics and DEM simulations
- Applications of 3D printing techniques on innovation of geotechnical testing devices and sensing techniques
- Physico-chemical soil behavior (with particular emphasis on the behavior of clayey soils)
- Initiation mechanisms of flow landslides
- Attenuation mechanisms and measurements in particulate media (damping ratio).

PUBLICATIONS

Theses

- Wang, Y.H. (1994). "A Study on the Trigger Mechanisms of Debris Flow," Master's Thesis, National Taiwan University.
- Wang, Y.H. (2001). "Attenuation in Soils and Non-linear Dynamic Effects," Ph.D.
 Thesis, Georgia Institute of Technology.

Journal Papers

- Lin, M.L. and Wang, Y.H. (1999). "The effects of surface runoff and ground water on the occurrence of debris flow", *Sino-Geotechnics*, Vol. 74, pp. 29-38 (in Chinese).
- Wang Y.H. and Santamarina, J.C. (2002). "Non-linear dynamic effects in frictional geomaterials-stochastic resonance-," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE*, Vol. 128, No. 11, pp. 952-962.
- Santamarina, J.C., Klein, K.A., Wang, Y.H., and Prencke³, E. (2002). "Specific surface: determination and relevance," *Canadian Geotechnical Journal*, Vol. 39, No. 1, pp. 233-241.

- Wang, Y.H., Cascante, G., and Santamarina, J.C. (2003). "Resonant column testing: the inherent counter emf effect," *Geotechnical Testing Journal, ASTM*, Vol. 26, No.3. pp. 342-352.
- Wang, Y.H. and Siu, W.K. (2006). "Structure characteristics and mechanical properties of kaolinite soils. I. Surface charges and structural characterizations," Canadian Geotechnical Journal, Vol. 43, No. 6, pp.587-600.
- Wang, Y.H. and Siu, W.K. (2006). "Structure characteristics and mechanical properties of kaolinite soils. II. Effects of structure on mechanical properties," *Canadian Geotechnical Journal*, Vol. 43, No. 6, pp.601-617.
- Wang, Y.H. and Yan, W.M. (2006). "Laboratory studies of two common saprolitic soils in Hong Kong," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE*, Vol. 132, No. 7, pp. 923-930.
- Wang, Y.H., Yan, W.M., and Lo, K.F. (2006). "Damping ratio measurements by the spectral ratio method," *Canadian Geotechnical Journal*, Vol. 43, No. 11, pp. 1180-1194.
- Wang, Y.H., Lo, K.F., Yan, W.M., and Dong, X. (2007). "Measurement biases in the bender element test," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering*, ASCE, Vol. 133, No. 5. pp. 564-574.
- Wang, Y.H. and Xu, D. (2007). "Dual porosity and secondary consolidation," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering*, ASCE. Vol. 133, No. 7, pp. 793-801.
- Wang, Y.H. and Siu, W.K. (2007). "Reply to the discussion by Sridharan et al. on "Structure characteristics and mechanical properties of kaolinite soils. I. surface charges and structural characterizations," *Canadian Geotechnical Journal*, Vol. 44, No. 2, pp. 243-243.
- Wang, Y.H. and Santamarina, J.C. (2007). "Attenuation in sand an exploratory study on the small-strain behavior and the influence of moisture condensation," *Granular Matter*, Vol. 9, No. 6, pp. 365-376.
- Wang, Y.H. and Leung, S.C. (2008). "A particulate-scale investigation of cemented sand behavior," *Canadian Geotechnical Journal*, Vol. 45, No. 1, pp. 29-44.
- Wang, Y.H. and Dong, X. (2008). "Complementary wave-based characterizations of sedimentation processes," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE*, Vol. 134, No. 1, pp. 47-56.

- Wang, Y.H. and Dong, X. (2008). "Characterizing the spatial variability in soils by the EM-wave-based technique," *Canadian Geotechnical Journal*, Vol. 45, No. 1, pp. 102-116.
- Wang, Y.H. and Leung, S.C. (2008). "Characterization of cemented sand by experimental and numerical investigations," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE*, Vol. 134, No. 7, pp. 992-1004.
- Wang, Y.H., Xu, D., and Tsui, K.Y. (2008). "Discrete element modeling of contact creep and aging in sand," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE*, Vol. 134, No. 9, pp. 1407-1411.
- Wang, Y.H., Mok, C.M.B. (2008). "Mechanisms of small-strain shear-modulus anisotropy in soils," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE*, Vol. 134, No. 10, pp. 1516-1530.
- Dong, X. and Wang, Y.H. (2008). "The effects of the pH-influenced structure on the dielectric properties of kaolinite sediments," *Soil Science Society of America Journal*, Vol. 72, No. 6, pp. 1532-1541.
- Wang, Y.H. and Tsui, K.Y. (2009). "Experimental characterization of dynamic property changes in aged sands," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE*, Vol. 135, No. 2, pp. 259-270
- Wang, Y.H., Ma, C.H., Yan, W.M. (2009). "Characterizing bond breakages in cemented sands using a MEMS accelerometer," *Geotechnical Testing Journal, ASTM*. Vol. 32, No. 2, DOI: 10.1520/GTJ101469.
- Dong, X. and Wang, Y.H. (2009). "A broadband dielectric measurement technique: theory, experimental verification, and application," *Journal of Environmental and Engineering Geophysics*. Vol. 14, No. 1, pp. 25-38.
- Kang, D.H., Yun, T.S., Lau, Y.M., and Wang, Y.H. (2012). "DEM simulation on soil creep and associated evolution of pore characteristics," *Computers and Geotechnics*, Vol. 39, pp. 98-106.
- Gao, Y., Wang, Y.H., and Su, J.C.P. (2013). "Mechanisms of aging-induced modulus changes in sand under isotropic and anisotropic loading," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE*, Vol. 139, No. 3, pp. 470-482.
- Wang, Y.H. and Gao, Y. (2013). "Mechanisms of aging-induced modulus changes in sand with inherent fabric anisotropy," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE*, Vol. 139, No. 9, pp. 1590-1603.

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- Niu, Q. and Wang, Y.H. (2014). "Inversion of capacitively coupled resistivity (line antenna) measurements." *Geophysics*, Vol. 79, No. 3, pp. E125-E135. DOI: 10.1190/geo2013-0282.1.
- Niu, Q. and Wang, Y.H., and Zhao, K. (2014). "Evaluation of the capacitively coupled resistivity (line antenna) method for the characterization of vadose zone dynamics, *Journal of Applied Geophysics*, Vol. 106, pp. 119–127.
- Wang, Y.H., Lau, Y.M., and Gao, Y. (2014). "Examining the mechanisms of sand creep using DEM simulations," *Granular Matter*, Vol. 16, No. 5, pp.733-750.
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 "An instrumented flume to characterize the initiation features of flow landslides,"
 ASTM Geotechnical Testing Journal, Vol. 37, No. 5, DOI: 10.1520/GTJ20130158.
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 Journal of Hydrology, Vol. 522, pp. 475-487. doi: http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jhydrol.2014.12.055.

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- Zhang, Z. and Wang, Y.H. (2016). Closure to "Examining setup mechanisms of driven piles in sand using laboratory model pile tests", discussion by J.K. Lim and B.M. Lehane, *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE*. Vol, 142, No. 2, doi: 10.1061/(ASCE)GT.1943-5606.0001252.
- Wang, Y.H., Gao, Y., and Ooi, G.L. (2016). "Experimental characterizations of an aging mechanism of sands," *Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE*. Vol. 142, No. 2, doi: 10.1061/(ASCE)GT.1943-5606.0001413.
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- Chow, J.K. and Wang, Y.H. (2017). "Preparation of high-quality load-preserved fabric clay samples for microstructural characterizations: a pragmatic guide featuring a 3Dprinted oedometer," ASTM Geotechnical Testing Journal, Vol. 40, No. 5, pp. 891-905.
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INVITED TALK AND SHORT COURSE

- November 24th, 2021. Sharing with visitors from Highways Department
 Presentation title: Vertical AI An Integrated Human-AI-Robot Symbiotic Solution.
- November 15th, 2021. Sharing with visitors from EMSD
 Presentation title: Vertical AI An Integrated Human-AI-Robot Symbiotic Solution.
- October 26th 2021, Invited talk at SMEC Hong Kong
 Presentation title: Vertical AI An Integrated Human-AI-Robot Symbiotic Solution for Smart and Resilient Cities.
- September 17th 2021, Invited speaker, IWHR Seminar Series on Geo-Frontiers, Institute of Water Resources and Hydropower Research, China
 Presentation title: Vertical AI – An Integrated Human-AI-Robot Symbiotic Solution for Smart and Resilient Cities.
- September 16th 2021, Invited speaker, Joint Technical Symposium on Digital Geosciences & Geotechnology, Hong Kong.
 - Presentation title: Vertical AI An Integrated Solution for A Smart and Resilient City
- July 15th 2021, Invited distinguished speaker, IEEE 6th World Forum on Internet of Things, 2021, New Orleans, USA.
 - Presentation title: Green AI for Environmental Protection, Conservation, and Rehabilitation.
- October 29th 2020, Webinar, Tianjin University

Presentation title: Vertical AI – An integrated solution for smart and resilient city

 October 10th, 2020, Webinar, Smart City For Urban Forest? What Can Big Data And Technology Bring Changes To Us, Hong Kong

Presentation Title: City-scale tree monitoring with the LoRaWAN-based sensor system, Internet of Tree Things (IoTT)

 January 17th, 2020, invited speaker for presentation and technical hour at the Hong Kong 2020 International Urban Forestry Conference

Title: Internet of Tree Things (IoTT)

 January 16th, 2020, Keynote speaker at the IAS Workshop on Emerging Scales in Granular Media

Presentation title: Innovations in Clay Fabric Characterizations Using 3D Printing and Deep Learning Techniques

• October, 26th, 2019, University of Macau

Presentation title: Vertical AI for Smart and Resilient City

 October, 25th, 2019, Invited speaker at the Symposium on Smart Infrastructure and Geotechnical Engineering Innovation, Macau Association of Geotechnical Engineering

Presentation title: Vertical AI for Smart and Resilient City

- October, 19th, 2019, Community and Private Property Tree Management Seminar Presentation title: Jockey Club Smart City Tree Management Project
- October, 18th, 2019, Keynote speaker at Cross Strait 3 Places Engineering Geology Conference.

Presentation title: IoT and Geospatial AI for smart and resilient city.

 September 20th, 2019, Construction innovation and technology application center (CITAC) technical conference-Innovative materials and sensing technologies for construction

Presentation title: IoT and Geospatial AI for smart and resilient city.

• June 25th, 2019, HKIE seminar.

Presentation title: Vertical AI – An integrated solution for smart and resilient city

• May 30th, 2019, Innotech Forum on Geotechnology (GEO Forum)

Presentation title: Vertical AI for Geotechnical Engineering

 April 18th, 2019, Invited speaker, IEEE World Forum on Internet of Things, Limerick, Ireland.

Presentation title: Vertical AI and AI-enabled sensing for a Smart and Resilient City

- April, 1st, 2019, Seminar at Geotechnical Engineering Office,
 Presentation title: AI-Enabled Sensors and Sensing System for Smart and Resilient City
- January 11th, 2019, Invited speaker, GREAT Smart Cities Connect Conference 2019 –
 The Greater Bay Area.

Presentation title: Vertical AI for a Smart and Resilient City

 December 5th, 2018, Invited speaker, Hong Kong Drainage Services Department R&D Forum.

Presentation title: Vertical AI for a Smart and Resilient City: from Natural Hazard Resiliency Assessment to Real-Time Artificial Intelligence-Based Environmental Impact Assessment (AIEIA).

 December 1st, 2018, Invited speaker and panel discusser (Panel of harnessing the power of data Science to address critical global issues), The opening of The Hong Kong Jockey Club University of Chicago Academic Complex, The University of Chicago Francis and Rose Yuen Campus in Hong Kong.

Presentation title: Vertical AI for Natural Hazard Resilience.

 October 18th, 2018, Invited speaker, Hong Kong Observatory Research Forum 2018: Leveraging Big Data and Artificial Intelligence in Weather Observations and Forecasting.

Presentation title: Transfer Learning: From Landslide Identifications and Predictions to Weather Observations and Forecasting using Big Data and Artificial Intelligence.

• June 1st, 2018, Plenary Lecture, 6th International Symposium on Reliability Engineering and Risk Management, Singapore.

Presentation title: Big data and AI enabled slope-health monitoring and diagnosis.

• March, 23, 2018, to MTR

Presentation title: Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory

- March, 12, 2018, at the Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department
 Presentation title: Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory
- March, 05, 2018, at the Drainage Services Department
 Presentation title: Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory
- March, 01, 2018, at Water Supply Department
 Presentation title: Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory
- February, 28, 2018, at the Airport Authority
 Presentation title: Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory

• February, 27, 2018, at Logistics and Supply Chain Management Enabling Technologies (LSCM)

Presentation title: Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory

• February, 22, 2018, to the Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department and Highways Department

Presentation title: Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory

 February, 7, 2018, Invited distinguished speaker, IEEE 4th World Forum on Internet of Things, Singapore.

Presentation title: A Real-time and Long-term Scalable IoT-AI Stack for Natural Hazard Resiliency Assessment and Management of Critical Infrastructure.

- Jan. 26, 2018, at the Lands Department, Hong Kong
 Presentation title: Automatic Information Extraction from the MMS Images Using AI Techniques.
- Nov. 27, 2017, at the Hong Kong Observatory, Hong Kong
 Presentation title: Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory
- Nov. 15, 2017, at the Development Bureau, Hong Kong
 Presentation title: Deep Understanding of Aerial Photos and All Things Visual
- July 20, 2017, at the Lands Department, Hong Kong,
 Presentation title: Deep Learning for Aerial Photo Identifications
- July 15, 2017, Knowledge Café at Geotechnical Engineering Office (GEO), Hong Kong.

Presentation title: The HKUST Data-enabled scalable Research (DESR) technology stack: economic real-time disaster resiliency at scale

 July 6th, 2017, at the 8th Graduate Student Summer School and the Lecture Series of Famous Experts and Academicians of Civil Engineering, School of Civil Engineering, Southeast University, China.

Presentation title: Physio-chemical soil behavior and innovative laboratory characterizations.

- June 21, 2017, at Geotechnical Engineering Office (GEO), Hong Kong.
 Presentation title: Deep understanding of Aerial Photos and it's use in GIS.
- May 19, 2017, at the Drainage Services Department, Hong Kong
 Presentation title: GeoIoT-Cavern: Dynamic information system for proactive, realtime monitoring, inspection, and diagnosis on the cavern safety during the construction
 and operation periods.

May 17. 2017, at the Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory of HKUST.
 Present to Ding Chong LTD. Taiwan.

Presentation title: Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory

March 24, 2017, at Geotechnical Engineering Office (GEO), Hong Kong
 Presentation title: Deeping learning to identify landslide scars through aerial orthophotos.

• Feb. 28, 2017, to Gammon Construction LTD. Hong Kong.

Presentation title: Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory

Feb. 28, 2017, at Geotechnical Engineering Office (GEO), Hong Kong.
 Presentation title: Data Enabled Scalable Research (DESR) Laboratory

Knowledge share to GEO

• Nov. 26, 2016, invited talk at the workshop on Civil Engineering - Past, Present and Future, Hong Kong (held by NTUAA).

Presentation title:

When Fantasy becomes reality: Applications of 3D printing techniques, MEMs sensors, Internet of Things (IoT), Big data analytics, etc. on instrumentation geotechnics.

August, 31, 2016, Presentation at Somfy Ltd. Hong Kong.
 Presentation title: Bioclimatic Facades – a DESR perspective

• June 20, 2016, at the NSFC-HKUST workshop on sustainable city development, Hong Kong.

Presentation title: Geo-Maker and Geo-IoT (landslide monitoring)

 June 6, 2016, at Joint University-Government Knowledge-sharing Session on Augmenting Liveability in Hong Kong, the Greening, landscape and tree management, Central Government Offices, Hong Kong.

Presentation title: Internet of Trees (IoTs)

• June 16, 2015, at Geotechnical Engineering Office (GEO), Hong Kong.

Presentation title:

- 1. Development of an Economical Smart Soil Particle for Natural Slope Instability Monitoring.
- A Big Data Architecture and Machine Learning Initiative for Real-Time Landslide Monitoring and Early Warning System in Hong Kong
- Jan. 9, 2015, Invited talk at the Second International Conference on Sustainable Urbanization (ICSU 2015), Hong Kong, China

Presentation title: Landslide Monitoring Using Smart Soil Particle (SSP)

• Sep. 1, 2014, Keynote lecturer at the International Symposium on Geomechanics from Micro to Macro. IS-Cambridge 2014, Cambridge, UK.

Presentation title: Aging, Structuration, and Creep behavior in Sand

• June 13, 2014, at National Taiwan University, Taiwan.

Presentation title: Mechanisms of Aging in Sand

• April 25, 2014, at the HKUST

Presentation title: The HKUST Igniters Pilot Study

- Dec. 12, 2011, at GERC research center of Sinotech Consultants, Inc., Taiwan
 Presentation title: Recent Advances at the Lab of Wave-Based Characterizations in the HKUST
- Nov. 11, 2011, Innovation Forum-Innovate, Implement & Improve, HKUST Presentation title: Geotechnical Engineering Innovations at the HKUST
- Sep. 01, 2011, General reporter at the fifth International Symposium on Deformation Characteristics of Geomaterials (IS-Seoul 2011), Korea.

For the session, Laboratory Methods for Small Strain

• Sep. 01, 2011, Theme lecturer at the fifth International Symposium on Deformation Characteristics of Geomaterials (IS-Seoul 2011), Korea.

Presentation title: Laboratory Methods for Small Strain

 Aug. 30, 2011 at the Dept. of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Korea University, Korea.

Presentation title: Discrete Element Method Simulations of Triaxial Tests & Triaxial Creep Tests

• Feb. 24-26, 2010 at The Dept. of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Yonsei University, Korea.

Short course title: Fundamentals of soil behavior

• May 8, 2006 at National Taiwan University, Taiwan.

Presentation title: Particulate-scale Soil Behavior

 July 16, 2005 in ASCE Civil Engineering Experience Certificate Programme 2005 (CEECP 2005).

Presentation title: Geotechnical Engineering - old-fashioned industry in the 22nd century

• Jan., 2005 at Georgia Institute of Technology, USA.

Presentation title: Structure characteristics and mechanical properties of kaolinite

STUDENT AWARDS

- **LEUNG Shun Cheong:** The best paper in the 2003 ICE paper competition for the Final Year Project (ICE: Institution of Civil Engineering, UK)
- **LEUNG Shun Cheong:** the 1st Runner Up of the Fugro Prize 2005/2006 (a paper competition)
- **LEUNG Shun Cheong:** Honorable mention of the best Master Thesis Award 2004-2006 granted by the ASCE Hong Kong Section.
- **XU Dapeng**: The First prize of the Fugro Prize 2007/2008 (a paper competition)
- MOK Chit Man: Honorable mention of the best Master Thesis Award 2006-2008 granted by the ASCE Hong Kong Section.
- YU Chun Ying: The First prize of the Fugro Prize 2008/2009.
- MA Chun Hung: The 1st Runner Up of the Fugro Prize 2008/2009.
- OOI Ghee Leng and LAU Yun Man: Winner of the HKUST President's Cup 2009
 Project title: "Examining the Mechanisms of Pile Set-up by the DEM Simulations and a Cost Reduction in the Pile Design"
- OOI Ghee Leng and LAU Yun Man: The Third prize of the Challenge Cup, China, 2010.
- **TONG Liwei**: Shortlisted for the Mr. Armin and Mrs. Lillian Kitchell Research Award (Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program, UROP).
- **TONG Liwei**: AECOM prize for 2010-2011 the best engineering students in Hong Kong Universities.
- TONG Liwei: Awards of Merit in the 2010 ICE paper competition for the FYPs.
- NG Ka Hang: AECOM prize for 2011-2012 the best engineering students in Hong Kong Universities.
- TAM Pak On: AECOM prize for 2012-2013 the best engineering students in Hong Kong Universities
- TAM Pak On: 2nd Runner-up of the AECOM Prize 2012-2013 for the Best Final-Year Geotechnical Project.
- SETIASABDA, Ezra Yoanes: The Gold Award of the HKUST President's Cup 2014.

 Project title: The Implementation of Micro-Electro-Mechanical Systems (MEMS)

 Sensors for Slope Stability Monitoring
- **CHOW Jun Kang**, Semi-Finalists HKUST President's Cup 2014.

Project title: Developing the environmentally friendly transparent soil for practical physical modelling in geotechnical engineering

- **SETIASABDA**, **Ezra Yoanes**: AECOM prize for 2014-2015 the best engineering students in Hong Kong Universities.
- YEO, Yee Shien, CHEN, Tianwen, LO, Tsz Cheung, SHANG, Hang, ZHAO, Lucen, JIN Zenan, Semi-Finalists HKUST President's Cup 2017.

Project title: Predictive Maintenance Using Machine Learning in IoT Era. (cosupervisor: Prof WONG Raymond Chi-Wing / CSE

• LI, Mengyuan, YIU, Wing Hang, CHOI, Yiu Sing, Semi-Finalists HKUST President's Cup 2017.

Project title: Realizing City-scale Infrastructure Intelligence via Extensive Dynamic Analysis

- LI, Meibai: HKIE Geotechnical Prize AECOM Prize for Best Student of the Year 2018.
- LI, Meibai: HKIE Geotechnical Prize AECOM Prize for Best Final Year Geotechnical Project 2018 (The 1st Runner Up)

FYP title: Application of S-wave based tomographic imaging system on monitoring the evolution of Vs distribution during the model pile installation process.

• **CHOW Jun Kang**: Winner of the Best Master Thesis Award 2018, ASCE Hong Kong Section.

Thesis title: Application of S-wave based tomographic imaging system on monitoring the evolution of Vs distribution during the model pile installation process.

• **CHOW Jun Kang**: Ringo Yu Prize for Best PhD Thesis in Geotechnical Studies 2019, HKIE, Hong Kong

Thesis title: Applications of revolutionary and transferable technologies in characterizing the soil behaviour during consolidation and health monitoring of the civil infrastructures

COURSE TAUGHT AT HKUST

Undergraduate Courses

- CIVL 270 Geology for Civil Engineers
- CIVL 272 and CIVL 3720 Soil Mechanics
- CIVL 3730 Fundamentals of Geotechnics

Postgraduate Courses

- CIVL 5780 (formerly called CIVL 607C) Soils and Waves
- CIVL 5710 (formerly called CIVL 571) Advanced Soil Mechanics

New Courses Developed at HKUST

• CIVL 5780 (formerly called CIVL 607C and CIVL 578) – Soils and Waves

Course Evaluation Statistics

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Semester	Code	Credits	load	Instr	Dept	Univ	Instr	Dept	Univ	students)	
Fall 01	CIVL 270	3	50	68.8	68.0	66.8	67.2	69.7	70.3	112	59.8
Spring 02	CIVL 272	3	100	80.8	75.4	68.5	81.9	75.5	71.1	59	59.3
Spring 02	CIVL 272	3	100	75.7	75.4	68.5	81.9	75.5	71.1	55	56.4
Fall 02	CIVL 607C	3	100	79.1	74.9	67.8	84.5	76.2	70.8	23	91.3
Fall 02	CIVL 270	3	50	69.8	74.9	67.8	70.3	76.2	70.8	111	51.4
Fall 03	CIVL 607C	3	100	78.2	73.9	68.3	90.4	75.6	71.1	16	56.3
Spring 04	CIVL 272	3	100	77.0	74.5	68.8	79.8	74.7	71.2	111	32.4
Fall 04	CIVL 270	3	50	73.3	71.6	68.1	71.4	73.8	70.9	111	63.1
Fall 04	CIVL 578	3	100	80.0	71.6	68.1	80.9	73.8	70.9	17	88.2
Spring 05	CIVL 272	3	100	68.7	73.3	67.6	69.5	75.7	70.3	108	55.6
Fall 05	CIVL 571	3	100	88.4	76.3	69.7	91.0	78.5	72.8	17	76.5
Spring 06	CIVL 272	3	100	76.2	75.7	69.1	75.7	76.9	71.9	104	62.5
Spring 07	CIVL 272	3	100	82.0	74.2	71.1	80.9	75.8	72.9	92	27.2
Fall 07	CIVL 270	3	50	71.7	70.1	71.1	75.6	71.2	73.3	101	39.6
Fall 07	CIVL 571	3	100	93.3	70.1	71.1	95.6	71.2	73.3	8	62.5
Semester	Course	No. of			ation	Instructor Evaluation Overall			Class Size (no. of	Response	
Semester	Code	Credits	load	Instr	Dept	School	Instr	Dept	School	students)	%
Spring 08	CIVL 272	3	100	82.3	75.4	74.7	86.6	76.7	76.6	113	27.4
Fall 08	CIVL 578	3	100	91.7	73.2	69.7	91.7	77.1	73.9	13	92.3
Spring 09	CIVL 272	3	100	77.3	70.5	71.0	84.3	72.9	74.7	130	33.1
Fall, 09	CIVL 571	3	100	100.0	76.4	69.2	100.0	80.8	74.4	14	64.3
Spring, 10	CIVL 272	3	100	77.6	72.9	69.4	84.9	76.6	73.9	118	32.2
Fall, 10	CIVL 578	3	100	96.4	73.1	69.4	96.4	76.7	74.2	21	66.7
Spring, 11	CIVL 272	3	100	83.1	73.7	70.9	85.6	76.5	74.4	114	35.1

Fall, 11	CIVL 5710	3	100	94.4	74.4	71.6	94.4	78.3	77	13	69.2
Spring, 12	CIVL 3720	3	100	83.1	72.6	72.6	91.3	76	76.6	129	31
Fall, 12	CIVL 5780	3	100	90.6	73.0	71.1	93.8	76.4	76.8	27	59.3
Spring. 13	CIVL 3720	3	100	81.6	71.7	71.9	87.8	73.9	76.1	133	36.8
Fall, 13	CIVL 5710	3	100	96.1	74.8	74	97.4	78.5	78.6	23	82.6
Spring, 14	CIVL 3720	3	100	81.4	75.5	75	87.1	78	79.4	130	26.9
Fall, 14	CIVL 3730	3	100	76.7	74.8	74.3	79.2	76.9	78.3	137	21.9
Fall, 14	CIVL 5780	3	100	100	74.8	74.3	100	76.9	78.3	17	88.2
Fall, 15	CIVL 3730	3	100	78.2	72.7	74.4	87.8	74.5	77.7	160	19.4
Fall, 15	CIVL 5710	3	100	96.4	72.7	74.4	100	74.5	77.7	9	77.8
Fall, 16	CIVL 3730	3	100	83.1	72.7	74.4	89	74.5	77.7	165	37
Fall, 16	CIVL 5780	3	100	90	77.2	74.9	95	79.9	79.3	12	83.3
Fall, 17	CIVL 3730	3	100	74.5	73.6	75.1	84.8	77.1	79.68	142	36.9
Fall, 17	CIVL 5710	3	100	94.6	73.6	75.1	94.6	77.1	79.68	21	71.4
Fall, 18	CIVL 3730	3	100	72	75.7	76.3	78	80.4	80.7	165	35.2
Fall, 19	CIVL 3730	3	100	78.05	78.7	78.84	84.76	81.92	82.25	16	35.2
Fall, 19	CIVL 5710	3	100	90.91	78.7	78.84	93.18	81.92	82.25	12	84.6
Fall, 20	CIVL 3730	3	100	3.85	4.02	4.08	4.13	4.12	4.22	169	27.2
Fall, 20	CIVL 5780	3	100	4.0	4.02	4.08	4.5	4.12	4.22	6	66.67

Instr: instructor; Dept: department; Univ: University; School: School of Engineering

STUDENT SUPERVISED

Ph. D. students

XU Hao (Sep., 2021–July, 2024 (expected))

Tentative Thesis title:

"Human-AI-robot symbiotic solution for smart and resilient cities"

CHAU Wai Yi (Sep., 2020– July, 2023 (expected))

Tentative Thesis title:

"Applications of AI on tree monitoring"

WU Jimmy (Sep., 2016 – Dec., 2021(expected))

Tentative Thesis title:

"Defect detections of sewage pipes using unsupervised learning techniques."

LAU Yun Man (Sep., 2016 – Dec., 2021 (expected))

Tentative thesis title:

"Slope health monitoring using GNSS/INS integration"

TAN Pin Siang (Sep., 2015 – Dec., 2021 (expected))

Tentative thesis title:

"IoT and big data architecture for large-scale and high-resolution geotechnical monitoring"

MAO Xin (Sep., 2018 – July, 2021 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Expert knowledge guided deep learning for bird watching and drainage network extraction."

SU Zhaoyu (Sep., 2016 – Aug., 2021(completed))

Thesis title:

"Advanced 2D and 3D computer vision for a smarter city - from image to point cloud"

CHOW Jun Kang (Sep., 2016 – Aug., 2019)

Thesis title:

"Applications of revolutionary and transferable technologies in characterizing the soil behaviour during consolidation and health monitoring of the civil infrastructures"

WU Yuxin (Sep., 2014 – Aug., 2018)

Tentative thesis title:

"Design and application of electrical resistivity and mechanical wave-based measurement systems for process monitoring"

LI Zhaofeng (Sep., 2013 – Aug., 2017)

Thesis title:

"Validations and applications of the Discrete Element Method"

YUAN Quan (Sep., 2010 – Jan., 2016 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Experimental characterizations of structural kinematics at micro- and meso- scales in a 2D rod assembly subjected to shearing"

WANG Yiqiang (Sep., 2008 – Aug. 2015 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Examining the initiation mechanisms of flow landslides using FEM numerical simulations"

ZHANG Zitao (Sep., 2011 – May, 2015(completed))

Tentative Thesis title:

"Experimental characterizations and DEM simulations of pile installation and pile setup in sand"

NIU Qifei (Sep., 2010 – Jan., 2014 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Electrical resistivity method in hydrogeophysical surveys: theory, inversion and modelling"

GAO Yan (Sep., 2008 – Aug., 2012 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Experimental characterizations and DEM simulations of aging, creep and structuration in sand"

DONG Xiaobo (Sep., 2002 – Aug., 2006 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Characterization of soil behavior using electromagnetic wave-based technique"

M. Phil. Students

TAN Tun Jian (Sep. 2018 – July, 2022 (expected)

Thesis title:

"Applications of AI on street pollution watch"

CHAU Wai Yi (Sep., 2018 – July, 2020 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Examining the Tree Failure Process from the Biomechanics Point of View Using the Innovative Tree Monitoring System, Internet of Tree Things (IoTT)"

LUI Kuan-Fu (Sep., 2018 – July, 2020 (completed)); (Technology Leadership and Entrepreneurship program)

Thesis title:

"Mobile Vision System for Automatic Building Defects Detection"

YIU Wing Hang (Sep., 2017 – July, 2019 (completed))

Tentative Thesis title:

"Slope health monitoring using the HVSR technique with case studies in Taiwan"

LUI Hoi Lun (Sep., 2017 – July, 2019 (completed)); (Technology Leadership and Entrepreneurship program)

Tentative Thesis title:

"Scalable regional wireless sensor network for long-term monitoring and detection of hazards in physical infrastructures with an example in arboriculture"

CHOW Jun Kang (Sep., 2014 – July, 2016 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Microstructural characterizations of clay samples during 1-D consolidation – A pragmatic Guide featuring a 3D printed oedometer and an exemplification."

TAN Pin Siang (Sep., 2013 – Aug., 2015 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Geotechnical scalable architecture for in-time landslide warning and monitoring"

Sumit JAIN (Sep., 2013 – Aug., 2015 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Development of novel and economical sensing techniques to measure suction and volume change in unsaturated soils"

ZHAO Kairan (Sep., 2011 – Aug., 2013(completed))

Thesis title:

"Monitoring water content changes in the vadose zone using the capacitively-coupled resistivity measurement"

TONG Liwei (Sep., 2010 – May, 2012(completed))

Thesis title:

"DEM simulations of energy dissipation in sand and dynamic properties"

OOI Ghee Leng (Sep., 2009 – Aug., 2012 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Exploratory study on initiation mechanism of flow landslide in loose soil"

LAU Yun Man (Sep., 2009 – Aug., 2011(completed))

Tentative Thesis title:

"DEM simulations of triaxial and triaxial creep tests"

MOK Chit Man (Sep., 2005 –Aug., 2007 (completed))

Thesis title:

"An investigation of strain localization in cemented sands and mechanisms of stiffness anisotropy using the DEM simulations"

TSUI King Yuen (Sep. 2005 – Aug. 2007 (completed))

Tentative thesis title:

"Experimental Characterizations of the Dynamic Property Changes in Aged sands"

MA Chun Hung (Sep. 2005 – Sep. 2007 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Signatures of acoustic emission and bond breakages in cemented sand"

YU Chun Ying (Sep. 2005 – Sep. 2007 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Structure effects on the mechanical responses of kaolinite and pore-size evolution at different states"

LEUNG Shun Cheong (Sep., 2003 – Aug., 2005 (completed))

Thesis title:

"The mechanical characteristics of cemented sand: particulate scale study"

LO Kai Fung (Sep., 2003 – Aug., 2005 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Small-strain shear modulus and damping ratio determination by bender element"

XU Dapeng (Sep., 2003 – Dec., 2005 (completed))

Thesis title:

"Time effects on soil behavior: a particulate-scale study on the mechanisms of secondary consolidation and ageing"

SIU Wai Kwan (Sep., 2002 – Aug., 2004 (complete))

Thesis title:

"Effects of soil structure on the mechanical properties of kaolinite clay"

Undergraduate Students for the Final Year Projects (FYPs)

Year	Student Name Project Title					
2003	LEUNG Shun Cheong	The mechanical characteristics of cemented sands – numerical simulations.				
2003	IP Man Chiu	 Revisit consolidation behavior of clays - a microscale study. 				
2003	LO Hoi Shui	 Behavior of particulate media - experimental observations and numerical simulations. 				
2003	LO Kai Fung	• Thixotropy in unsaturated soils.				
2003	MAN Ka Chai & WONG Wai Chung	• Fabric and frequency effects on the dynamic properties of clays.				
2004	IP Pui Ching	• The mechanical characteristics of cemented sands – experimental studies.				
2004	HO Mei Yung	Bio-imitations in Geotechnical Engineering.				
2004	CHOI Ching Man	 Revisit the DLVO theory and its applications in interpreting soil behavior. 				
2004	TANG Wai Chun & CHEUNG Yiu Tung	• Characterizations of soil's water content by electromagnetic wave-based techniques.				
2005	TSUI King Yuen	 Weathering degrees and electromagnetic properties of volcanics. 				
2005	MA Chun Hung	• Contact creep and associated aging phenomena of soils.				
2005	MOK Chit Man Benjamin	• An in-depth study on the determination of shear wave arrival time while using bender elements.				
2005	YU Chun Ying	• Dual porosity and secondary consolidation.				
2005	NG Chi Ho	• Characterizations of the local void-ratio distribution in soils by the aid of an EM-wave-based technique.				
2006	KONG Kwai Ching	• Characterizing the stiffness behavior of soil using a true- triaxial apparatus.				
2006	LI Siu Cheong	 Percolation and mechanical behavior of soil. 				
2006	NGAI Cheuk Hang	• Signatures of acoustic emission and bond breakages in cemented sand.				
2006	SUEN Kowk Yu	• The structural characteristics and engineering properties				

Year	Student Name	Project Title						
		of kaolinite soil.						
2006	YIP Chun Keung	• Cementation effects on the small-strain dynamic properties of soil.						
2007	HO Chun Yuen	• Stiffness anisotropy in sands.						
2007	YEUNG Sui Chung	• Characterizing the structure evolution of cemented sand using acoustic emission.						
2007	CHIU Chin Yeung	• Time effects on the dynamic properties of sands.						
2007	WONG Kin Shing	• Alterations of clay behavior due to changes in the pore- fluid properties.						
2008	CHU Sin Ming	• An exploratory study on strain localization using DEM simulations.						
2008	HUEN Ming Hei Edmund	 Contact characteristics and the evolution of dynamic properties in aged soils 						
	TANG Chin Yuen	properties in aged sons						
2008	YAN Hao	• An experimental investigation on the behavior of aged sand						
2009	CHO Chi Chiu	• The role of rainfall on landslide initiation and failure modes						
2009	YEUNG Chun Kit	• Experimental investigations on the aging-induced stiffness anisotropy in sands						
2009	CHUNG Wai Kit	• An exploratory study of the fines influences on soil behavior using the DEM simulations.						
2009	LAU Yun Man	• Three-dimensional DEM simulations on pile installation						
	OOI Ghee Leng	and the development of pile setup						
2010	CHOI Ching Wun	• Landslip warning system in Hong Kong – reviews and proposed future developments						
2010	KAM Chun Ho	 Influences of fines contents and creep on the stiffness 						
2010	TSANG Ho Yin	anisotropy in sand						
2010	LEE Chun Ho	• An exploratory study on the applications of miniature						
2010	LEE Man Wah	sensors in monitoring landslide motion						

Year	Student Name	Project Title
2010	LUI Chun Fung	The role of rolling resistance in DEM simulations on mechanical responses of soils
2010	TONG Liwei	• An exploratory study on the energy dissipation in soils using DEM simulations
2011	CHAN Chun Pong	
	NG Ka Hang	 Resistivity mapping using the capacitive line electrode method
	ZHAO Kairan	
2011	TSANG Wing Yin	• Examining the influence of rainfall intensity on landslide failure modes and the application of MEMS sensors in monitoring slope movement.
2011	CHAN Ka Ho	 Applications of new types of sensors in monitoring the movement and failure of laboratory slopes
2011	WONG Hiu Kam	• Examining the structuration phenomena in sand
2012	LI Wu	• The applications of time-lapse resistivity mapping on
2012	NG Yu Hang	geotechnical engineering
2012	TAM Pak On	 Micro-scale investigation on kinematic behaviour of particulate medium in response to shearing
2012	YIP Tsz Chung	 Examining the landslide process using instrumented water flume
2012	LI Ngan Fei	 Monitoring the change of state of stress during pile installation using tomography images
2013	PANG Tat Chuen	 Examining the mechanisms of pile setup using new sensing technology in calibration chamber tests
2013	CHOW Sau Yeung HUNG Kwan Yat	 Examining the initiation mechanisms of flow-like landslides using well-instrumented laboratory water flume tests
2013	LAW Sing	
	LEUNG, Chi Hang Samuel	 Seasonal water content variations in slopes inferred from resistivity measurements
2014	TSOI, Tsz Wai	• Experimental characterizations of pile setup in sand
2014	CHONG, Wai Ho	• The use of resistivity method in the study of landfill

Year	Student Name	Project Title
2014	SETIASABDA, Ezra Yoanes CHOW, Chi Yuen	 The effects of groundwater inflow to the initiation process of fluidized landslides
2014	CHAU, Man Kit LEE, Ka Hin	• Experimental examinations on kinematic behavior of particulate medium in response to biaxial shearing
2015	MA, Tsz Kit	• DEM simulations and experimental examinations on the kinematic behavior of soil contacts in response to biaxial shearing
2015	KIM, Jungsun	• The application of time-lapse resistivity mapping on landfill cover
2015	YUNG, Tak Kan CHAU, Wai Yi	• Using the smart soil particle for slope stability monitoring
2015	NG, Cheuk Him	 Considering the effects of pile setup in the engineering design
2016	CHEUNG, Ying Shan NG, Chi Kei	Building a shear wave-based tomographic imaging system and its applications on geotechnical engineering
2016	FAN, Tze Long NG, Chi Ho	• Examining the fabric evolution of clay in response to 1-D consolidation
2016	NG, Ka Yiu YUEN, Chi Fai	Building a low-cost, large-scale and real-time landslide monitoring and early warning system
2016	YIM, Wing Kin	 Modelling the stress-strain response by the aid of Artificial Neural Networks (ANN) – a numerical study using the DEM simulations
2017	YAU Chun Yan YEUNG Chin Fung	• Innovations in 1-D consolidation tests and parameter determinations with the aid of 3D printing and advanced sensing techniques
2017	LI Mengyuan YIU Wing Hang CHOI Yiu Sin	• Realizing city-scale infrastructure intelligence via extensive dynamic analyses – an example on slope health monitoring
2017	HO Po Chuen	Artificial Neural Network Model for predicting soil

Year	Student Name		Project Title
			properties based on the stress-strain relationships
2017	TAM Ka Chun	•	Using an automated S-wave tomography imaging reconstruction system to characterize the evolution of soil stiffness during model pile installation
2018	LEUNG Chun Wing LO Shing Nam	•	IoT-based monitoring and control system for civil engineering
2018	LI Ka Hing LI Meibai	•	Application of S-wave based tomographic imaging system on monitoring the evolution of Vs distribution during the model pile installation process
2018	LEE Man Fung	•	Classification and identifications of clay fabric on SEM images using deep learning
2018	LEE Chun Yee	•	Landslide identifications and classifications using deep learning
2019	CHAN, Chung Long CHOW, Hiu Fung	•	Real-time Big-Data Artificial Intelligence-Based Environmental Impact Assessment – a Study on the Spatial and Temporal Distribution of Egrets
2019	SHUM, Wang Yin LEUNG, Chi Kan	•	Automatic health monitoring of structural concretes of wastewater treatment plant using the deep learning technique
2019	LAI, Tin Yat WONG, Nok Kan	•	Internet of Trees for Risk Monitoring and Management of Urban Trees
2020	CHAN Chun Fung Summit CHENG Sze Yu	•	Internet of Trees Things for urban forestry
2020	KWOK Yung Yi TSE Pik Ling	•	Anomaly detection on concrete structure defects with unsupervised deep learning models
2020	LI Cheuk Fung	•	AIBIM: AI-enabled asset management with BIM
2020	LEE, Zi Cong	•	Innovative slope monitoring with hybrid sensing by GPS and 3-axis accelerometer.
2021	CHOW, King Shun WONG, Ching Man	•	Internet of tree things - examining tree stability from biomechanics point of view
2021	WONG, Sze Ki	•	Estimation of street air pollution source with artificial

Year	Student Name	Project Title
	CHEUNG, Man Tim	intelligence
2021	WONG, Po Chu CHAN, Ka Hei	 Deep learning-based semantic segmentation of concrete defects from images.
2021	Wu, Wai Yin Gavin	Intelligent Vehicle identification using LIDAR sensing and Deep Learnin

Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP)

Year	Student Name	Project Title
2008 (Summer)	OOI, Ghee Leng	DEM simulations of fines influences on the small- strain stiffness of soil
2009 (summer)	TONG, Liwei	• An exploratory study on energy dissipation in soils during biaxial loading using discrete element method simulations
2009 (summer)	LUI, Chun Fung	• An exploratory study on the role of rolling resistance on the mechanical responses of soils using discrete element method simulations
2009 (summer)	WONG, Chi Sun WONG, Tik Wai	• Applications for miniature sensors in geotechnical engineering
2010 (summer)	ZHAO, Kairan LUI, Chun Fung	DEM simulations on soil dilatancy
2010 (summer)	TSANG, Wing Yin	• An investigation on the correlation between the rainfall intensity and different modes of landslides
2011 (summer)	LI, Ngan Fei	Set-up effect of displacement pile in sand
2011 (summer)	LI, Wu	• The application of time-lapse resistivity mapping: soil resistivity changes with water content
2011 (summer)	TAM, Pak On	• DEM simulations on biaxial tests of dense and loose Sand
2012 (summer)	LI, Xiaoya TAN, Pin Siang	• The development of new types of sensors, GeoMEMS, for Geotechnical Engineering applications
2012 (summer)	CHEN, Yue	Experimental examinations on soil dilatancy
2013 (Spring)	TAN, Pin Siang	• Development of GeoMEMS sensors for Geotechnical Engineering applications
2013- 2014	LOONG, Cheng Ning	• The development of a new type of sensor, Smart Soil Particle, for slope stability monitoring
2013 (Fall)	LUI, Hoi Lun	• The development of a new type of sensor, Smart Soil Particle, for slope stability monitoring
2013	KIM, Jungsun	• The applications of time-lapse resistivity mapping on

Year	Student Name	Project Title
(Fall)		Green Slopes
2012- 2014	CHOW, Jun Kang	• The exploratory study on the applications of transparent soils.
2015 (Spring)	WONG Yan Yan Annie	• Applications of environmental-friendly transparent soils in geotechnical engineering
2015	LI, Mengyuan	
(summer)	HE, Zhou	A big data architecture and machine learning
	HO, Chun Tak	initiative for real-time landslide monitoring and early warning system
	MAK, King Yin Calvin	warming system
2015 (Fall)	HO, Chun Tak	• A big data architecture and machine learning initiative for real-time landslide monitoring and early warning system
2016 (Spring)	LI, Mengyuan	• A big data architecture and machine learning initiative for real-time landslide monitoring and early warning system
2017	WONG, Wen Yan	A Big Data Landslide Early Warning System with
(Spring)	CHANG, Bing An	Apache Spark and Scala
2017	SUN, Ji	A Big Data Landslide Early Warning System with
(Summer)		Apache Spark and Scala
2017	CHAUDHRY	Advanced Landslide identifications, classifications,
(Summer)	Mukund	and prevention in Hong Kong using Deep Learning
2017	TAN Tun Jian	• Designing reliable, scalable software systems for
(Summer)		Internet of Things (IoT)
2017	SUN, Ji	A Die Date I au delide Feeder Warming Createne with
(Fall)	WONG, Wen Yan	 A Big Data Landslide Early Warning System with Apache Spark and Scala
	CHANG, Bing An	
2017	CHAUDHRY Mukund	
(Fall)	YIU, Ka Yan	 Advanced Landslide identifications, classifications, and prevention in Hong Kong using Deep Learning
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Year	Student Name	Project Title
2017 (Fall)	TAN Tun Jian	Designing reliable, scalable software systems for Internet of Things (IoT)
2018 (Summer)	LIU Chengzhong	A Big Data Landslide Early Warning System with Apache Spark and Scala
2018 (Summer)	CHENG Log G	Advanced Landslide identifications, classifications, and prevention in Hong Kong using Deep Learning
2018 (Summer)	WEI Huan-ting	 DESR (Data-Enabled Scalable Research) Lab – Incubator of Creative Learners and Hub of Transformation
2018 (Fall)	CHENG Log G	• Advanced Landslide identifications, classifications, and prevention in Hong Kong using Deep Learning
2018 (Fall)	UY Mark Christopher Siy LIU Yuebin LEW San Yik	DESR (Data-Enabled Scalable Research) Lab – Incubator of Creative Learners and Hub of Transformation
2019 (Spring)	YAP Zhi Yun	 DESR (Data-Enabled Scalable Research) Lab – Incubator of Creative Learners and Hub of Transformation
2019 (Spring)	CHOW, King Shun WONG, Ching Man	• Internet of tree things - examining tree stability from biomechanics point of view
2019	WONG, Sze Ki	Estimation of street air pollution source with artificial intelligence
(Spring)	CHEUNG, Man Tim	
2019	WONG, Po Chu	 Deep learning-based semantic segmentation of
(Spring)	CHAN, Ka Hei	concrete defects from images.
2019 (Spring)	Wu, Wai Yin Gavin	• Intelligent Vehicle identification using LIDAR sensing and Deep Learning

SERVICES

Professional Services

- Member of the local organizing committee, the International Conference on the Centrifuge Modeling, Hong Kong, December, 2001.
- Session chair, Annual Conference of Hong Kong Society of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics and the 1st Jiangsu-Hong Kong Forum on Mechanics and Its Applications, March, 2005.
- Session chair, Annual Conference of Hong Kong Society of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics and the 2nd Jiangsu-Hong Kong Forum on Mechanics and Its Applications, March, 2006.
- Member of the local organizing committee, International Symposium on Advances in Laboratory Testing of Geomaterials, Hong Kong, June, 2006.
- Member of the local organizing committee, treasurer, and proceeding editor, the International Conference on Physical Modeling in Geotechnics, Hong Kong, August, 2006.
- Session chair, the International Symposium on Geomechanics and Geotechnics of Particulate Media, IS-Yamaguchi 06, Ube, Japan, September, 2006.
- Member of the local organizing committee and session chair, International Workshop on Constitutive Modelling – Development, Implementation, Evaluation, and Application, Hong Kong, January, 2007.
- Session chair, Annual Conference of Hong Kong Society of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics and the 3rd Jiangsu-Hong Kong Forum on Mechanics and Its Applications, March, 2007.
- Member of international advisory committee, the 3rd International Conference on Site Characterization, ISC'3, Taiwan, April, 2008.
- Session chair, The 4th decennial Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering and Soil Dynamics Conference, Sacramento, USA, May 18-22, 2008.
- Member of International academic committee, International Symposium on Geomechanics and Geotechnics: From Micro to Macro (IS-Shanghai 2010), 10-12 Oct, 2010, Shanghai, China.
- Member of the local organizing committee and session chair, the 14th Asian Regional Conference on Soil Mechanics and Geotechnical Engineering, Hong Kong, May, 2011.
- Session chair, The 2012 International Conference on Geomechanics and Engineering (ICGE'12), August 26-29, 2012, Seoul, Korea.

- Member of the local organizing committee, Experimental Micromechanics for Geomaterials Joint workshop of the ISSMGE TC101 and TC105, Hong Kong, May 2013.
- Reviewed a book proposal on signal processing (John Wiley & Sons).
- Reviewed papers for the following journals:
 - Canadian Geotechnical Journal
 - Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering, ASCE
 - ASTM Geotechnical Testing Journal.
 - Géotechnique
 - Géotechnique Letters
 - Journal of Environmental & Engineering Geophysics.
 - The KSCE Journal of Civil Engineering
 - Soils and Foundations
 - Acta Geotechnica
 - Journal of Applied Geophysics
 - Engineering Geology
 - Computers and Geotechnics
 - Granular Matters
 - Geomechanics and Geoengineering: An International Journal
 - International Journal of Geomechanics
 - Electroanalysis
 - Soil Dynamics and Earthquake Engineering Vibration
 - Earthquake Engineering
 - Journal of GeoEngineering
 - Landslides
- Reviewed papers for the following conferences
 - Experimental Micromechanics for Geomaterials Joint workshop of the ISSMGE TC101 and TC105.
 - Experimental Micromechanics for Geomaterials Joint workshop of the ISSMGE TC101 and TC105, Hong Kong, May 2013.
 - GeoShanghai International Conference, Shanghai, China, June 2-4, 2006.
 - Geo-Frontier 2005, Austin, Texas, January 24-26, 2005.
 - The International Conference on Physical Modelling, Hong Kong, August 4-6, 2006.

- International Workshop on Constitutive Modelling Development,
 Implementation, Evaluation, and Application, Hong Kong, January 13-14, 2007.
- The 4th decennial Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering and Soil Dynamics Conference, Sacramento, USA, May 18-22, 2008.
- International Symposium on Geomechanics and Geotechnics: From Micro to Macro (IS-Shanghai 2010), 10-12 Oct, 2010, Shanghai, China.
- The 14th Asian Regional Conference on Soil Mechanics and Geotechnical Engineering, Hong Kong, May, 2011.
- IS-Seoul 2011, the fifth International Symposium on Deformation Characteristics of Geomaterials, taking place in Seoul, Republic of Korea, August 31 September 3, 2011.
- 7th International Symposium on Deformation Characteristics of Geomaterials
- Organized technical visits and CPD courses on behalf of the National Taiwan University Alumni Association (Civil and Geology) in Hong Kong (NTUAA).
 - A Case Study Project Management for the Tsuen Wan Reclamation Project, held at City U on 07/06/2003
 - Recent Tunneling Research & Development in Singapore and Hong Kong, held at HKUST on 08/03/2003.
 - Tendering for Civil Engineering Works, held at City U. on 15/11/2003.
 - Soil Remediation Technologies, held at City U. on 14/08/2004 and 21/08/2004.
 - Technical visit: Route 8 Ngong Shuen Chau Viaduct (25/06/2005).
 - Recent Developments in Slope Engineering Quality Control, Safety Monitoring and Innovative Construction Materials, held at HKUST on 24/09/05.
 - Visit GCF and WWTF in HKUST, held at HKUST on 22/11/2008.
 - The half day seminar on Natural Terrain Hazards, held at The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, on 27/11/2010.
- Helped organize CPD courses or technical visits on behalf of the AGS (The Association of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Specialists (Hong Kong))
 - A Practical Guide to Natural Terrain Hazard Studies A Practitioners Perspective, held at HKUST on 10/01/2009.
 - The Fundamental Principles and Applications of Centrifuge Modelling in Engineering Practice, held at Mariner's Club, HK, on 28/02/2011.
 - Challenges of Underground Construction in Reclaimed Land, held at HKUST on 13/11/2010.

- Site visit: The Wind/Wave Tunnel Facility and The Geotechnical Centrifuge Facility at the Hong Kong University of Science & Technology, held on 21/08/2010.
- Challenges of Underground Construction in Reclaimed Land, held at HKUST on 13/11/2010.
- Helped organize CPD courses, short courses, annual seminar or technical visits on behalf of the HKIE
 - The HKIE Geotechnical Division 34th Annual Seminar: Challenges and Recent Advances in Geotechnics for Foundation Engineering, held at the Auditorium of the Hong Kong International Trade and Exhibition Centre, Kowloon Bay, Kowloon on 20 May 2014.
 - The HKIE Geotechnical Division 33rd Annual Seminar: Geotechnical Aspects of Housing Supply and Development, held at the Auditorium of the Hong Kong International Trade and Exhibition Centre, Kowloon Bay, Kowloon on 31 May 2013.
 - The HKIE Geotechnical Division 32th Annual Seminar: Geotechnical Aspects of Tunnelling for Infrastructure Development, held at the Auditorium of the Hong Kong International Trade and Exhibition Centre, Kowloon Bay, Kowloon on 25 May 2012.
 - The HKIE Geotechnical Division 31st Annual Seminar: Landslide Risk Reduction through Works thirty-five years of landslip preventive measures programme and beyond, held at the Auditorium of the Hong Kong International Trade and Exhibition Centre, Kowloon Bay, Kowloon on 20 May 2011.
 - The HKIE Geotechnical Division 30th Annual Seminar "Geotechnical Aspects of Deep Excavation, held at the Hong Kong Convention & Exhibition Centre on 6 May 2010.
 - The half day seminar on Natural Terrain Hazards, held at The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, on 27/11/2010.
 - Workshop on Foundation Engineering, Jointly organized by GE Division, HKU, the PolyU and HKUST, held at Poly U on 27 Feb & 6 Mar 2010.
 - Workshop on Excavation and Lateral Support, Jointly organized by GE Division, HKU, the PolyU and HKUST, held at Poly U on 5 & 12 Jun 2010.
 - Workshop on Foundation Engineering, Jointly organized by GE Division, HKU, the PolyU and HKUST, held at Poly U on 30 April & 7 May 2011.

- Member of the HKIE Geotechnical Division Working Group on Application of Innovative Technology in Geotechnical Engineering (2015-2018).
- Session chair, the 6th International Young Geotechnical Engineers' Conference, Seoul, Korea, Sep., 2017.
- Technical committee and paper reviewer, 7th International Symposium on Deformation Characteristics of Geomaterials, IS-GLASGOW 2019.
- Session chairman and paper reviewers (sensors and sensor systems), 2019 IEEE 5th
 World Forum on Internet of Things (WF-IoT), Limerick, Ireland

University and Departmental Services

Departmental level

- Member, Teaching and Learning Quality Progress Reviews (TLQPR), Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2002 – 2003).
- Member, Student Affairs Committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2002 2003).
- Member, Postgraduate Studies Committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2003 2009).
- Member, Undergraduate Studies Committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2007 2013).
- Member, Departmental Disciplinary Committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2008-2009)
- Acting PG coordinator (March, 2005 August, 2005)
- Member, Teaching and Learning Quality committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST. (2005 - 2010).
- Member, Administrative committee of the MSc program in Civil Infrastructural Engineering and Management (CIEM) (2007-2014).
- Coordinator, Resource committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST. (2009 2011).
- Member, Executive committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST. (2009 - 2015).
- Member, Planning committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST. (2011 - 2015).
- Member, Merit review committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST. (2011 - 2013).

- Coordinator, Undergraduate Studies Committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2013 2015).
- Member, Teaching-Learning Quality, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2015 present).
- Member, Resource Committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering,
 HKUST (2015 present).
- Member, Search and Appointment Committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2015 – present).
- Member, Teaching Faculty Appointment, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2015 present).
- Member, Promotion and Substantiation Committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2016 – present).
- Coordinator, Search and Appointment Committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2017 present).
- Coordinator, Teaching and Learning Quality Committee (2018 present)
- Associate Head, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, HKUST (2018 – present).

School level

- Member, search committee for the department head of Civil and Environmental Engineering (2014).
- Member, Engineering Research Committee (ERC) (2017-present)
- Coordinator, Engineering Research Committee (ERC) (2018-2019)
- Member, SENG Review Committee for teaching equipment competition (2019-Present)

University level

- Member, the Internal Selection Committee, representing School of Engineering (2008-2010).
- Hall Fellow, Hall V (2012-2017)
- Member, Ad Hoc Search & Appointments Committee (Sustainability Cluster) (2015).
- Committee member, President's Cup of the HKUST (2017-2018).
- Residence Mater, All PG Halls and JCH (2020- present)