

IS-Glasgow 2019

7th International Symposium on Deformation Characteristics of Geomaterials

26th – 28th June 2019
Technology & Innovation Centre,
University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, UK



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The Symposium

The Technical Committee *Laboratory Stress Strain Strength Testing of Geomaterials* (TC101) of the International Society for Soil Mechanics and Geotechnical Engineering (ISSMGE) is pleased to announce the 7th International Symposium on Deformation Characteristics of Geomaterials to be held in 2019 in Glasgow. The Symposium is co-organised by the University of Strathclyde in Glasgow and the University of Bristol. Building on the tradition of previous Symposia from Sapporo in 1994 to Buenos Aires in 2015, IS-Glasgow 2019 will bring together researchers and practitioners to explore new directions in geomaterial testing. We are extremely proud of the response from the Geotechnical community, with more than 200 papers submitted for presentation and publication in the Proceedings and over 250 expected participants from more than 40 countries world-wide.

Why Sponsor/Exhibit at IS-Glasgow 2019?

Boosted by its international reputation as part of the ISSMGE International Symposia, IS-Glasgow 2019 is attracting delegates at the cutting edge of research and laboratory testing. The conference is designed to bring together established practitioners and academics with young researchers in the field of geomaterials, encouraging the application of advanced laboratory testing in research, in integrated site characterisation studies, and in ground modelling. IS-Glasgow 2019 will therefore offer an invaluable opportunity for sponsors and exhibitors to network and build relationships with current and future leaders working in laboratory and field testing, theoretical and numerical analysis, and in project engineering and full scale observation in the field.

Our Keynote Speakers will share their valuable knowledge in order to motivate and challenge our audience: **Emmanouil M Tentzeris** (Georgia Institute of Technology, USA), **Torsten Wichtmann** (Bauhaus-Universität Weimar, Germany), **Reiko Kuwano** (University of Tokyo, Japan), **Lyesse Laloui** (École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, Switzerland), **Cino Viggiani** (Université Grenoble Alpes, France), **Pierre Delage** (École des Ponts ParisTech, France), **Cristina Jommi** (Delft University of Technology, the Netherlands & Politecnico di Milano, Italy), **Jonathan Chambers** (British Geological Survey, UK), **Lidija Zdravkovic** (Imperial College, UK) and **Andrew Ridley** (Geotechnical Observations, UK). We are very pleased to announce that the 5th Bishop Lecture, established in honour of Professor Alan W. Bishop, will be presented by **Prof. Junichi Koseki**, from the University of Tokyo.

The conference will be held in the purpose-built [Technology and Information Centre](#) (TIC), at the heart of the University of Strathclyde's city centre campus. Opened in 2015, TIC has been designed to maximise delegate and exhibitor interaction and with specialist in-house technical and event teams, it is the ideal conference venue.

IS-Glasgow will be taking place in the heart of Scotland's largest city. Glasgow prides itself as an open and vibrant city, well connected to the rest of the UK and served by three international airports. In addition to being recently named the 'friendliest city in the world' by Rough Guides, Glasgow was named by the [New York Times](#) as one of the top 52 places in the world to visit in 2018. Famous for its parks and open spaces, museums, galleries, food and drink, it is the ideal destination for summer 2019.

Sponsorship and Exhibition Opportunities

The sponsorship and exhibition packages are outlined in the following pages. Exhibition space is included in the packages, however if you would be interested solely in exhibiting, or would prefer a bespoke sponsorship opportunity, we are happy to discuss these possibilities with you. Due to our publisher's deadline, for your logo to be included in the Symposium Proceedings, a positive answer should be received before 11th of March 2019. However, responses beyond this date will still have the opportunity to have your logo displayed in the Programme and on our website.

If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Katharine Houston (katharine.houston@strath.ac.uk)



Sponsorship Packages

		GOLD (£7,000)	SILVER (£5,000)	BRONZE (£2,000)	MINI (£1000)
Company acknowledged as a principal sponsor during the symposium (opening and closing events)		✓			
Company name displayed on a screen during all coffee breaks		✓			
Promotional piece in attendee bag (provided by company and approved by OC)	Two Pieces	✓			
	One Piece		✓		
Exhibition space (Stand: table 140cm x 80cm, 2 chairs, cloth)	Double Stands (Level 2 Foyer)	✓			
	One Stand (Level 2 Foyer)		✓		
	One Stand (Level 3 Foyer)			✓	
Admissions to symposium included	Two	✓			
	One		✓		
Symposium website	Logo and link on homepage & sponsor page	✓			
	Logo and link on sponsor page		✓		
	Logo on sponsor page			✓	✓
Programme	Logo on front page and Advertising Space (Whole Page)	✓			
	Logo on sponsor page and Advertising Space (Half Page)		✓		
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Proceedings*	Logo on title page	✓			
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N.B. Sponsorship packages do not include VAT

* note that sponsors and exhibitors signing up after the 11th of March will not have their logo included in the Proceedings.

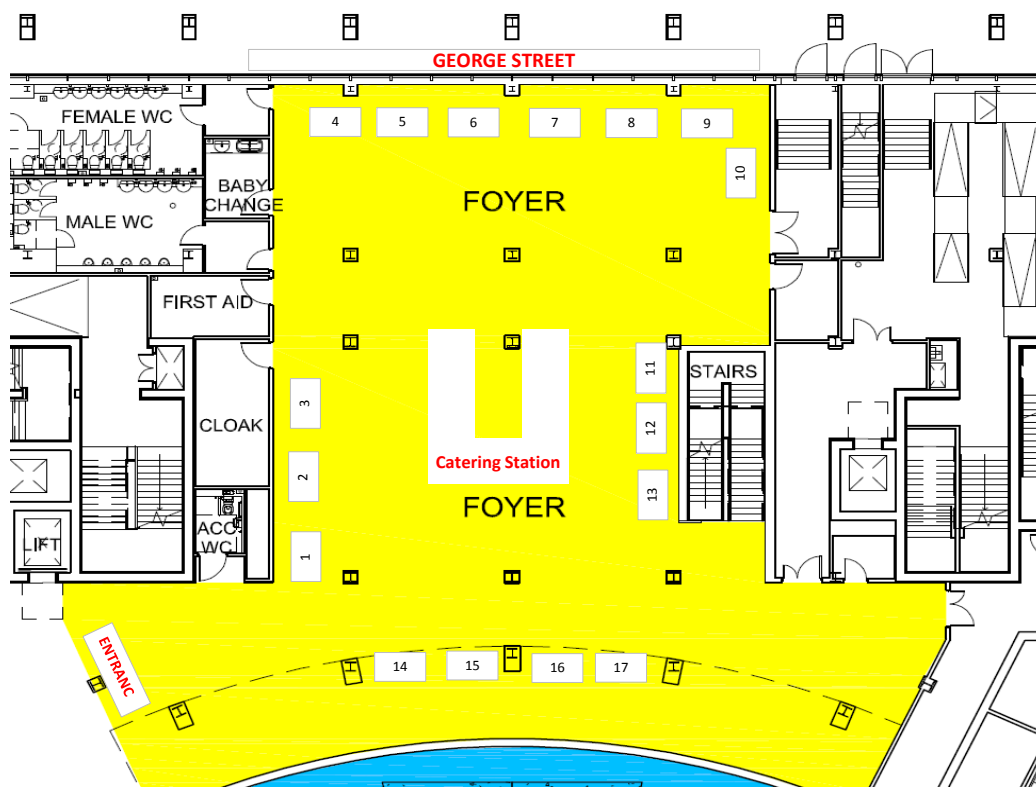
Additional information

- The symposium will only have one Gold sponsor.
- The Gold Sponsorship Package has a suggested price of £7000.
- Silver, Bronze and Mini sponsorship can be purchased any time on a 'first come, first served' basis.
- The Gold and Silver exhibition space is on Level 2 of TIC. This is the entrance level to TIC and to the auditorium.
- The Bronze exhibition space is on Level 3 of TIC which is the upper foyer and leads out from the upper entrance/exit to the auditorium. Both Level 2 and Level 3 will have catering stations and we will ensure the flow of delegates over both levels.
- **Full floor plans are available below.**
- The tables and chairs offered are optional. You are free to arrange your own furniture/installations. We ask that you discuss this with us at least two months in advance of the event to allow us to meet your needs.

The Venue (TIC)

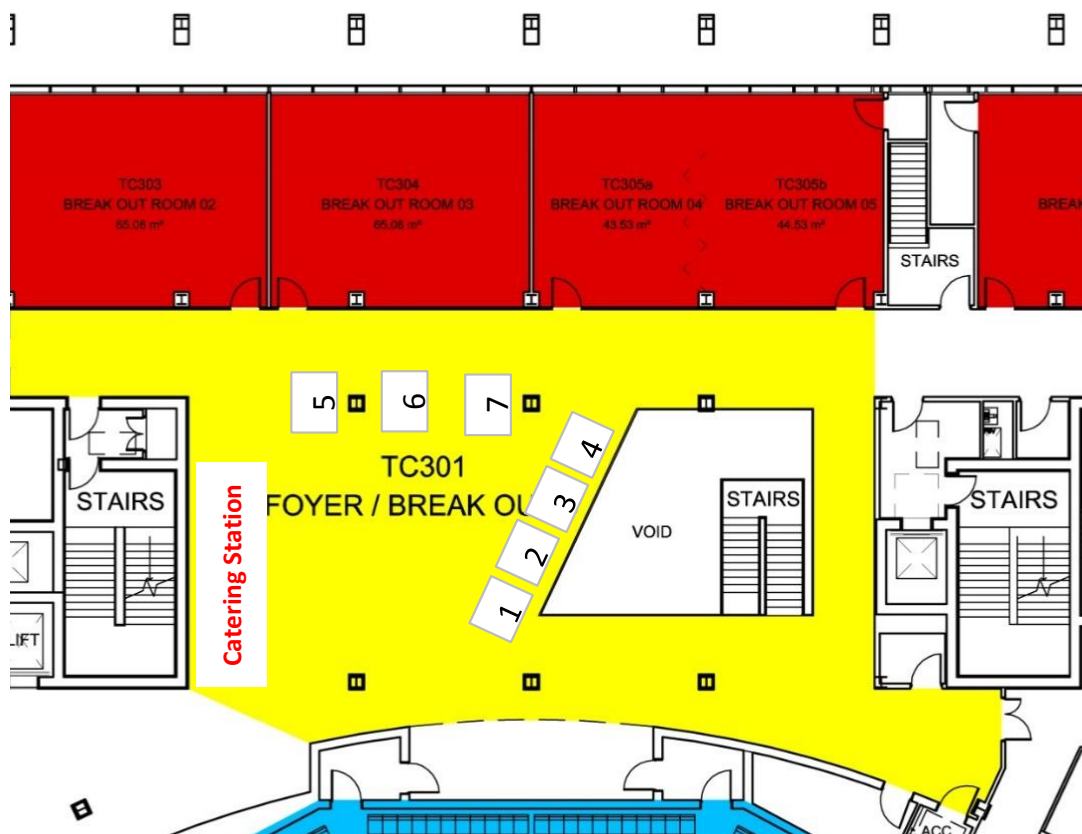
The conference space has been designed to maximise delegate interaction with exhibitors. The exhibition spaces are located directly outside the main auditorium and during IS-Glasgow 2019 the space will be combined with catering stations. This ensures that delegates will be guided to the exhibition spaces during all coffee and lunch breaks. The [TIC website](#) has full information on its facilities and offers a virtual tour of the venue.

Level 2 Floor Plan



NB: The auditorium is in blue. The floor spaces are flexible and the layouts demonstrated are for illustrative purposes only.

Level 3 Floor Plan



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Further Information and Contact

More information on IS-Glasgow 2019 and the Technology and Innovation Centre, can be found on our website:
<https://www.is-glasgow2019.org.uk/>

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