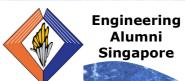




Geotechnical Society of Singapore



### **Workshop on Geology of Singapore**

#### **Workshop Details**

Venue: Seminar Room 2 -3, NUS Shaw Foundation Alumni House, 11 Kent Ridge Drive Singapore 119244

**Date: 14 March 2012 (Wed)** 

Time: 0830 am - 1700 pm

(6 PDUs / 3 STUs)

### **Speakers:**

- ★ Assistant Prof Wong Ngai Yuen, Louis
- **★** Dr Cai Jun Gang

### Organised by:



Society for Rock Mechanics & Engineering Geology



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**This** workshop is organised for the 3rd time in consideration of good response in 2010 & 2011. It aims to present and discuss systematically the geology of Singapore, as the Geological Map of Singapore has been recently updated from the old version published in 1976. The Economic Strategies Committee (ESC) of Singapore recently recommended the development of underground space over the next decade as the Government continues to find ways around the problem of space limitations in land-scarce Singapore. With an increasing demand of deep excavation, tunnelling and development of underground rock cavern space in Singapore, it is important for regulators, planners, developers, engineers and contractors to have a more comprehensive understanding of Singapore geology, the use of updated Singapore Geological Map and the planning for geologic investigations. This workshop brings together several experts and practitioners from Singapore to share their knowledge and experience.

#### **Registration Fee**

SRMEG/GeoSS/EAS/TUCSS Members: \$200.00

**Non-Members:** \$230.00

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# **Programme**

## Workshop on Geology of Singapore 14 March 2012, Auditorium, NUS Shaw Foundation Alumni House

Time	Content	Speaker
0830-9000	Registration	
0900-0910	Welcome	Mr Chua Tong Seng (President of GeoSS)
0910-0920	Introduction	Dr Zhou Yingxin (President of SRMEG)
0920-1040	Fundamentals of Geology — Plate Tectonics, Geologic Time Scale, Minerals vs Rocks, Rock Cycle, Weathering vs Erosion, Geological Structure	Assistant Prof Wong Ngai Yuen, Louis
1040-1110	Tea Break	
1110-1230	Geology & Updated Geological Map of Singapore — Geological Setting, Features of Geological Formations, Rock Weathering, Geological History	Dr Cai Jun Gang
1230-1330	Lunch	
1330-1500	Geology & Updated Geological Map of Singapore (continued) — Updated Geological Map, Use of the Geological Map	Dr Cai Jun Gang
1500-1530	Tea Break	
1530-1630	Planning and Rock Investigations for Rock Cavern Development — Layout of Boreholes & Geophysical Lines, Need for Various Means of Rock Investigations, Need for Field & Lab Tests, Rock Investigation Practice in Singapore	Dr Cai Jun Gang
1630-1700	Questions & Answers	

## About the Speakers



**Prof. Louis Wong** is currently an Assistant Professor in geotechnical engineering at the Nan-yang Technological University (NTU). Prior to joining NTU, he worked as a consulting tunnel engineer in the USA. He also served the Geotechnical Engineering Office (GEO) of the Hong Kong Government as an engineering geologist for three years. Prof. Wong obtained his Bachelor's degree in Earth Sciences from the University of Hong Kong, and Doctoral degree in Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering from the Massachusetts of Institute of Technology, USA. His research interests are in engineering geology, rock mechanics and underground engineering. He is currently one of the Principal Investigators for the on-going Jurong rock cavern project at Banyan Basin, Jurong Island.



**Dr Cai Jun Gang** is currently an Executive Director of Tritech Consultants Pte Ltd. He was involved in most rock investigation and underground rock cavern projects in Singapore, such as rock cavern development in Jurong Formation, underground ammunition facilities, underground science city at Kent Ridge, and oil storage rock caverns at Jurong Island. Dr Cai obtained MEng and PhD in Geotechnical Engineering from NTU. He has over 20 years of experience in engineering geology, rock engineering & geotechnical engineering R&D, consultancy and project management, and has published more than 100 technical papers in scientific journals and conference proceedings. He is also the project director of Sintef-Tritech-Multiconsult Consortium for project management and technical review of the on-going Jurong Rock Cavern (JRC), and Underground Rock Cavern (URC) Usage Feasibility Study.