

1st January 2023

Dear ICL members,

The ICL organized the ICL 20th Anniversary and the 2022 ICL-KLC Conference in Kyoto, Japan on 22-25 November 2022. I have attached a snap of the 20th Anniversary dinner with our best wishes for your happiness in the coming year 2023.

The ICL launched the new open access book series "Progress in Landslide Research and Technology (P-LRT)" in 2022. The founding issues Vol.1, No.1 and No.2 are going to be published online at the following link.

Link to Vol.1, No.1: <https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-16898-7>

Link to Vol.1, No.2: <https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-18471-0>

The ICL has created one new award and one updated award: 1) ICL Book Article Award (1-3 awards a year with free book publication charge for 20 pages article), 2) IPL-KLC Award for Success (1-3 awards at each Forum with 3,000 USD / award).

Major Events of ICL in 2023

1) 2023 IPL-KLC WEB Symposium on Landslides

Date: 22-24 June 2023 PDT: 9:30-12:00 PM, CEST: 6:30-9:00 AM, JST: 1:30-4:00 PM

Invited speakers: Authors of the Open Access Book (P-LRT) Vol.2, No.1 and Vol.2, No.2 (Submission deadline: **30 March 2023**), and Proposers of the WCoE 2023-2026 and

2) The Sixth World Landslide Forum "Landslide Science for Sustainable Development" in Florence, Italy

Date: 14-17 November 2023

Web: <<https://wlf6.org/>>

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