Fahria Masum (Vice-Chair)
Commission 2
Professional Education
Commission 2: Overview

Chair: Liza Groenendijk, The Netherlands
Vice-Chair: Fahria Masum, Germany

Working Groups

- WG 2.1 Towards educating the land professional
- WG 2.2 Innovative learning and teaching
- WG 2.3 Demand for and supply of professional education
- WG 2.4 Accreditation and quality assurance

FIG Commission 2 further supports the FIG Young Surveyors Network, the OICRF and participates in the FIG Foundation.
Focus Areas 2015 -2018
1. Becoming an active Commission
2. Professional education world-wide
3. The chain of professional surveying education
4. Towards educating the land professionals

Commission Activities in 2016 /2017

- New Academic Members Working Group on ‘Exploring the VGGT in Practice’ (2 online surveys and 3 papers)
- A strong working relationship with FAO and UN Habitat/GLTN
Commission 2 Events in 2016 /2017


- Workshop at International Conference on ‘Geomatics and Geospatial Technology’ in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, October 3-5, 2016


- 4th Young Surveyors European Meeting in Amsterdam. On behalf of the FIG President Chryssy Potsiou the Chair of FIG Commission 2 addressed the participants during the opening session, 7-9 June 2016
New Active Members

New Commission Delegate:
Dr. Chethna Ben, Department of Land Management and Development, University of South-Pacific, Fiji

4 New Commission Members:
Prof. Walter de Vries, TU Munich, Germany; Dr. Elena Rangelova, University of Calgary; Prof. Yoshiro Nakahori, Saitama University, Japan; Dr. Mohsen Kalantari, University of Melbourne, Australia

Upcoming Events

- Summer School at Renmin University in China, 3.-07.07.2017
- FIG Commission 2 Session at INTERGEO, Berlin, Germany 19.-21.09.2017
- FIG Commission 2 Session at East African Land Administration Network (EALAN) Meeting, July 2018 (to be confirmed)
Activities during Working Week 2017

- Technical Session TS02G: Curriculum on the Move
- Technical Session TS05G: Innovation in Education
- Technical Session TS08G: Demand, Quality and Accreditation of Education
- Academic Forum on VGGT together with FAO
- Commission 2 Meeting and Commission Dinner