

## PHOTOGEOLOGY IN TERRAIN EVALUATION (PART – 1 & 2)

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**TYPE OF COURSE**: Rerun | Elective | UG

**COURSE DURATION**: 8 weeks (26 Jul'21 - 17 Sep'21)

**EXAM DATE** : 26 Sep 2021

**INTENDED AUDIENCE:** Any Interested Learners

## **COURSE OUTLINE:**

The course introduces the student to a globally applied tool known as Photogeology or Geo-photography; a technique first structured by the United States in late 19th century and later incorporated in United State Geological Survey. The weekly modules will demonstrate the concept and principles of Photogeology and its applications in real life. Students will learn reading the aerial and satellite photographs under the stereoscope and to generate a 3D view of the terrain. Using this tool they will be able to extract all types of information of the earth surface for various engineering and scientific purpose and projects. Students will have wonderful experience of aerial view of the earth surface and will extract information of landforms, sub-surface structures, and rock types etc. to perform terrain evaluation.

## **ABOUT INSTRUCTOR:**

Prof. Javed Malik earned his Ph.D in 1998 from M.S. University Baroda, Vadodara, Gujarat (Geology), and did Post-Doctorate (Japan Society for Promotion of Science) from (1999-2001) Hiroshima University, JAPAN.

- \* He Joined IIT Kanpur in 2001.
- \* Areas of Specialization are: Active Tectonics, Paleoseismology and Paleo-tsunami

## **COURSE PLAN:**

- **Week 01:** Introduction to Photogeology and its Applications, Aerial Photography/ Satellite Imaging and their Applications, Aerial/ Satellite Photographs and Exercise on handling photographs, Principles of Stereoscopy and Exercise on creating 3D image using Stereoscope
- **Week 02:** Photogrammetry Exercise on Elements of Photo Interpretation and Line of Flight, Photogrammetry Exercise on Photographic Measurements and Photo Scale, Role of Vertical Exaggeration in Photogrammetry Related Lab Exercise,
- Week 03: Introduction to Lithology Sedimentary Rocks,Introduction to Lithology Metamorphic Rocks,Introduction to Lithology Igneous Rocks ,Related Exercise,Introduction to Physical and Structural geology,Introduction to Physical and Structural geology
- Week 04: Introduction to Physical and Structural geology Related Exercise on Identification of structures, Fluvial Geomorphology Exercise on Landform Mapping, Fluvial Geomorphology Exercise on Terrace Mapping, Morphometric Analysis Exercise on performing Morphometric Analysis, Generation of Anaglyph using Stereo-pair in ENVI software Lab Exercise
- **Week 05:** Introduction to Physical and Structural, geology, Introduction to Physical and Structural geology Related Exercise on Identification of structures, Introduction to Lithology, Sedimentary Rocks
- Week 06: Introduction to Lithology, Sedimentary Rocks, Metamorphic, Rocks, Igneous Rocks
- **Week 07:** Fluvial Geomorphology Exercise on, Landform Mapping, Coastal and Aeolian Landforms, Active Tectonics and Geomorphology
- **Week 08:** Active Tectonics and Geomorphology, Morphometric Analysis Exercise on performing Morphometric Analysis , Photogeology in Lithological Mapping