



International Consortium on Landslides

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To Members and supporting members of the International Consortium on Landslides

ICL Leaflet 2012

Dear Colleagues,

ICL has edited and printed a new ICL leaflet to introduce all important information of ICL and the International Programme on Landslides (IPL).

ICL organized the 10th Anniversary Conference on 17-20 January 2012, Kyoto, Japan. Participants discussed the second decade activities of ICL and adopted the ICL Strategic Plan 20012-2021 – to create a safer geo-environment-. The ICL strategic plan, and report of the second World Landslide Forum in 2011, Rome, Italy, plan of the third World Landslide Forum in 2014, Beijing, China are also introduced.

ICL has lunched eight regional and thematic networks to promote initiative of ICL members and cooperation with non-ICL members in 2012. Landslides: Journal of International Consortium on Landslides will be a bimonthly journal from 2013. Thanks to your cooperation, the Impact Factor of this journal was released as 2.216 in the end of June 2012. It is the top of 30 ISI journals in the subject categories Engineering, Geological.

I request your futher contribution and cooperation to ICL and IPL activities in the second decade.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Kyoji Sassa'.

Kyoji SASSA

Executive Director of ICL

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