

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Geoscience Education Material (GEM 2000 +) Survey. The International Union of Geological Sciences. Commission on Geoscience Education and Training is conducting a worldwide survey of educational materials available in geosciences. The immediate aim is to produce a document that lists the following types of geoscience education materials and distant learning packages, available at primary (age 5-11 years), secondary (age 12-18 years) and tertiary education levels:

- * Videos,
- * 35 mm slide sets,
- * overhead transparency sets,
- * teaching packs (e.g. school's kits),
- * maps, poster displays, etc.,
- * distance learning short courses (with course notes or other materials),
- * teaching materials sets (e.g. thin sections, rock samples) and
- * IT (computer) software packages

Any information available (including language groups, cost and availability of materials, educational level for which appropriate, persons/organisations involved in their production) may kindly be sent to Dr. Dorrik A.V. Stow, Department of Geology, University of Southampton, Southampton SO17 IBJ, UK., under information to R. Shankar, Member, IUGS-COGEOD, Department of Marine Geology, Mangalore University, Mangalore-574199.

STONEX INTERNATIONAL-95 : Exhibition : 5th - 8th Feb, 1995; Seminar : 6-8th Feb., 1995; Venue : Conference Pandal, Palace Grounds, Bangalore. Organised by : Indian Granitiers Association (Regd.), Bangalore. For further particulars write to : M.S. Doraiswami, Apex Geological Services. Room No. C-101, 59, Millers Road, Benson Town, Bangalore - 560046. Phone : 5591893. Fax : 080 - 569261.

SYMPOSIUM ON RECENT ADVANCES IN GEOLOGICAL STUDIES OF NORTHWEST HIMALAYA AND THE FOREDEEP. February 21-23, 1995, Organised by the Geological Survey of India at Lucknow. For further particulars write to : Shri B.D. Dungrakoti, Organising Secretary, Symposium on RAGS of NWH and FD, GSI Complex, 7th Floor, 'A' Block, "Vasundara", Sector "E", Aliganj, Lucknow-226020.

SYMPOSIUM ON REMOTE SENSING FOR ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING AND MANAGEMENT WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON HILL REGIONS. 22-24 February 1995, at the Indian Institute of Remote Sensing, No. 4, Kalidas Road, Dehra Dun. For further information write to : S.K. Bahn, Organising Secretary, ISRS, Indian Institute of Remote Sensing, Dehra Dun - 248001.

NEOGENE AND QUATERNARY SEDIMENTS OF INDIA: 23-25, February, 1995: Organised by the Centre for Advanced Study in Geology, Punjab University, Chandigarh - 160 014. The full papers are to reach Prof. R.S. Chaudhri, Co-ordinator by the 15th February, 1995.