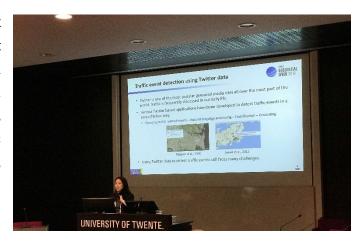


ISPRS GSW 2019 Travel Grant Receiver Report

I am currently a Ph.D. candidate in the Department of Civil Engineering, Ryerson University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. It is my great honor to attend the ISPRS Geospatial Week 2019 from June 8 to 14 in Enschede, Netherlands, which is one of the premium conferences in the area of remote sensing and geographic information science.

Presenting at ISPRS Geospatial Week 2019 definitely provided an excellent opportunity to improve my presentation skills and disseminate my research findings with peers in a timely manner. It also allowed me to receive feedbacks from peers during the Q&A section, which are critical in finalizing my PhD thesis study.



Besides the presentation, I gained the opportunity to establish connections and networks with researchers and potential employers while exchanging ideas with them at conference venue or dinner. As my Ph.D. graduation is approaching, I am looking for developing my career through searching for a faculty position or postdoctoral fellowship in an academic or a scientific institute. It helps me better understand the current situation and requirements for faculties through communicating with researchers from The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Polytechnic University of Milan, and Wuhan University, etc. Attending this conference and meeting up more potential employers definitely laid me a promising starting point of my academic and research career. Moreover, this is my first time to travel and attend a conference in Netherlands. Such experience enabled me to broaden my research horizon as well as enjoy the scenery and culture of this fascinating country.

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