

My Experience at the ISPRS Congress 2026 – Doris Obodoefuna



Attending the ISPRS Congress 2026 in Toronto was a meaningful part of my PhD journey in remote sensing. I am grateful to The ISPRS Foundation (TIF) for the travel grant that supported my attendance.

I especially valued the opportunity to present my recent research, *"High Resolution Delineation of Coastal Marsh Boundaries: Evaluating Adaptive Thresholding and Machine Learning Approaches."* Sharing my work with an international audience gave me the chance to discuss my approach with researchers in the field and hear new perspectives on the methods I am currently exploring.

I particularly enjoyed the oral and poster presentations, which showed the range of ways researchers are using remote sensing, Earth observation, image analysis, and advanced models to address a variety of problems. Some of these sessions introduced me to methods that I would like to explore or adapt as I continue my PhD research. I also found the exhibitions valuable, as I learned about new remote sensing technologies, tools, and services and had the opportunity to interact with some of the organizations behind them.

Another memorable part of the Congress was meeting researchers and students from different countries. Conversations throughout the Congress often developed into interesting exchanges about our work, the challenges we encounter, and the various approaches we use. For me, these conversations were just as valuable as the formal presentations.

I returned from the Congress with fresh ideas for my research, new professional connections, and a better sense of how my work fits within the wider remote sensing community. I sincerely appreciate the support from The ISPRS Foundation, which made it possible for me to take part in this experience.