

Thursday, October 17, 2024		
Arrival and reception of participants		
SCHEDULE: Friday, October 18, 2024		
TIME	ACTIVITY	SPEAKER
9:00 – 9:10	Opening: Welcome and Introductions	Ioannis Markou
9:10 – 9:15	IGS Greece Chapter Presentation	
9:15 – 9:30	Discussion: Teaching geosynthetics in undergraduate classes. Objectives and philosophy of the “Educating the Educators” program	Jorge Zornberg
9:30 – 10:30	Topic 1: Introductory class on types and functions of geosynthetic materials	Jorge Zornberg
10:30 – 10:45	Discussion: Incorporating introductory GS class in UG courses	
10:45 – 11:00	Coffee Break	
11:00 – 11:45	Topic 2: Geosynthetics properties	Patricia Guerra-Escobar
11:45 – 12:15	Workshop: Recognizing different geosynthetic materials	EtE Sponsors
12:15 – 13:15	Educational Activity “Conceptual design workshop”, Part 1	Jorge Zornberg
13:15 – 15:15	Light lunch and Technical Tour at the Thrace NG facilities	
15:15 – 16:15	Topic 3: Introductory class on geosynthetics for soil reinforcement applications	Ivan Damians
16:15 – 16:30	Discussion: Incorporating introductory GS class in UG courses	
16:30 – 17:20	Topic 4: Geosynthetic-reinforced soil walls and slopes (including design for seismic actions)	Ivan Damians
17:20 – 17:40	Coffee Break	
17:40 – 18:00	Case Histories: Presented by EtE sponsors	Thrace NG
18:00 – 19:00	Topic 5: Introductory class on geosynthetics for hydraulic applications	Patricia Guerra-Escobar
19:00 – 19:10	Discussion: Incorporating introductory GS class in UG courses	
20:30 – 22:30	Dinner	

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 Dr. Ivan P. Damians

SCHEDULE: Saturday, October 19, 2024		
TIME	ACTIVITY	SPEAKER
9:00 – 10:00	Topic 6: Introductory class on geosynthetics in roadway systems	Patricia Guerra-Escobar
10:00 – 10:15	Discussion: Incorporating introductory GS class in UG courses	
10:15 – 10:35	Case Histories: Presented by EtE sponsors	Maccaferri
10:35 – 10:50	Coffee Break	
10:50 – 11:50	Topic 7: Introductory class on geosynthetics for waste containment (landfills, tailings, etc.)	Jorge Zornberg
11:50 – 12:00	Discussion: Incorporating introductory GS class in UG courses	
12:00 – 13:00	Topic 8: Sustainability with geosynthetics	Ivan Damians
13:00 – 13:10	Discussion: Incorporating introductory GS class in UG courses	
13:10 – 13:30	Case Histories: Presented by EtE sponsors	
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch: Working lunch with group breakouts and networking	
14:30 – 15:20	Educational Activity “Conceptual design workshop”, Part 2	Jorge Zornberg
15:20 – 15:30	Discussion: Closing educational and curriculum discussion	
15:30 – 16:30	Workshop: Regulations for geosynthetics in Europe / Introduction to the 2 nd Generation of Eurocode	Ivan Damians

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