

Scientific activities of Igor Zektser as Regional Vice-President of IAH in 2014

In May 2014 Igor Zektser was invited to take part in the scientific session of the Faculty of Geography of the University of California, LA (USA) and deliver lectures to students and teachers on modern problems of hydrogeology. Problems of current interest such as regional assessment of the resources of fresh groundwater and their use for water supply of the population were discussed during the lectures. In the lectures Igor Zektser informed the audience about the work and activities of IAH.

In October 2014 Igor Zektser participated in the All-Russian Scientific and Practical conference “State, problems and prospects of exploration and research work in the field of hydrogeology, engineering geology, geocryology and geoecology” as Regional Vice-President of IAH, member of the Organizing Committee and invited speaker. The invitation to the participants stated that the conference was held under the auspices of the IAH. In addition to the scientific report, Igor Zektser gave a presentation on the activities of IAH and invited young scientists to become members of IAH.

At the present time Igor Zektser participates in the preparation of National Conference on Groundwater in Siberia and the Far East in June 2015 in Yakutia as a member of the Organizing Committee and Regional Vice-President of IAH. The Organizing Committee of the Conference is planning to invite members of IAH to participate in this Conference.

This year Igor Zektser presented the paper titled “Uncertainties in the assessment of climate Change Impact on Groundwater” to the international journal “The Episodes”. The paper will be published in March 2015.