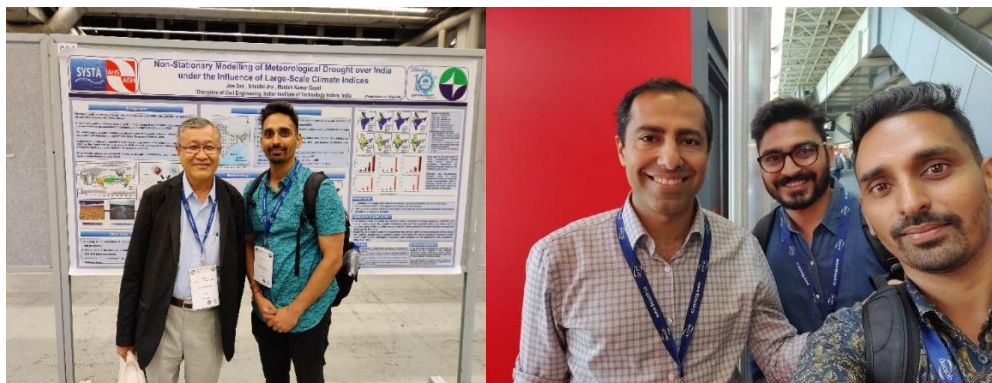


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First of all, I would like to thank International Association of Hydrological Sciences (IAHS) for selecting me as SYSTA fellow and providing financial assistance to attend IUGG, 2019 at Montreal, Canada.

This conference is an ideal platform for an early career scientist. A large number of scientists and engineers from various countries and cultures around the world discussed and explored ways to face the old and new global and regional challenges on water resources and ecosystems for the benefit of the present and future generations. Moreover, a large number of innovative topics addressing the most critical aspects of Water Resources Management and Environment with world dimensions are presented and discussed in IUGG 2019. In the field of water resources management, the main academic highlights are discussed in the context of Advances in Hydrological Processes, Climate and Water Resources, Water Resources Management, Droughts and Water Scarcity, Water Quality and Environmental Processes, Urban Water Networks, Agricultural Water Management, Groundwater Hydrology and Contamination, and Legislation and Policies to address the various aspects of water and environmental difficulties. During the conference, I presented my poster on “Non-Stationary Modelling of Meteorological Drought over India under the Influence of Large-Scale Climate Indices”. Subsequently, the SYSTA mentoring session, which was chaired by Professor M. Sivapalan, enabled all the SYSTA awardee to discuss different limitations in carrying out research in various parts of the world. This conference was very interesting and enriches my experience with more information, knowledge and confidence.



With Professor Van-Thanh-Van-Nguyen during poster session (Left), and with Professor Amir AghaKouchak after a fruitful discussion (Right).