

21-23 November 2023

# 11<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL SOIL CONGRESS

## CHALLENGE SOIL THREATS SAVE YOUR FUTURE HORIZON

September 23-25, 2024 Cappadocia-TÜRKİYE

Mr. Oguz Can Turgay, *Soil Science Society of Turkey (SSST) Treasurer*

7<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the  
**Global Soil  
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# WHY CAPPADOCIA?

a fascinating region known for its unique geological formations, historical significance, and captivating landscapes.

## Rock Formations (The most iconic feature of Cappadocia)

- surreal landscape filled with fairy chimneys,
- tall cone-shaped rock formations formed by volcanic eruptions
- Sculpting power of mother nature (wind and water erosions over long time creating caves and unique natural structures.

## Underground Cities

- A home to underground cities built by ancient civilizations as hiding places during times of conflict. Ancient shelter technologies for thousands of people and their livestock, eq



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### Cave Dwellings and Churches

- Cave dwellings and churches carved into the soft rock.
- Open-Air Museums and ancient cave churches adorned with beautiful frescoes depicting scenes from the Bible



### Cultural Heritage

- A rich cultural heritage shaped by various civilizations, including the Hittites, Persians, Romans, Byzantines, Ottomans and young Republic of Turkey (reflected in its architecture, traditions, and cuisine for sure...😊).



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Jointly organized by;

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# SOIL SCIENCE SOCIETY OF TURKEY (SSST)

- Established in 1964, good member diversity consisting of over 800 members from universities, public and private institutions, represented by 21 national focal points all over Turkey
- Raising awareness to combat common soil problems over trainings and meetings
- Providing assistance and guidance for the development, implementation, and monitoring of soil management policies
- Creating communications among different layers of societies (students, researchers and experts from universities, public and private bodies etc) in relation to soil over national and international workshops, conferences and congresses



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Prof. Dr. Ayten Namlı, President, Ankara University  
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# Nevsehir Hacı Bektas Veli University, Cappadocia

A new generation university established in 2007, preserving ancient history and culture of Cappadocia with more than 20.000 students and 650 academic staff.



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## “CHALLENGE SOIL THREATS, SAVE YOUR FUTURE HORIZON”

### KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



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- Soil Physics & Mechanics
- Soil Chemistry
- Soil Biology & Biochemistry
- Soil Erosion & Conservation
- Soil Degradation & Reclamation
- Soil Genesis & Classification
- Pedo-Geological Approach in Assessment of Soil Fertility

### TOPICS

- Soil Survey & Mapping
- Soil Mineralogy & Micromorphology
- Soil Management
- Soil Health & Quality
- Soil Hydrology
- Soil Pollution
- Rocks for crops
- Archeometry



- Soil Fertility
- Plant Nutrition
- Fertilizer & Fertilization
- Remote Sensing & GIS in Soil Science
- Geostatistics
- Agrogeology
- Forensic Soil Science
- Paleosol

### Location



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Yusuf Yigini, FAO-GSP Secretary



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April 15, 2024	Early bird registration deadline
June 01, 2024	Regular registration deadline
June 01, 2024	Deadline for the receipt of abstracts
June 30, 2024	Deadline for the receipt of full text
September 01, 2024	Distribution of final announcement and Congress Programme
September 23, 2024	11th International Soil Congress

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