



# Curriculum Vitae of Farrokh NADIM

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## Key Qualifications

Dr Farrokh Nadim is Technical Director at NGI, former Director of the Centre of Excellence, the International Centre for Geohazards (ICG), and adjunct professor at both the Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU) and University of Oslo (UiO).

Dr Nadim received his BSc in Structural Engineering from Sharif University of Technology in Iran, and his MSc and ScD in Civil Engineering from MIT, before joining the Norwegian Geotechnical Institute in 1982. His major fields of work are related to risk and reliability analysis, geohazards (landslides, earthquakes and tsunamis), geotechnical earthquake engineering, and offshore foundation engineering. He is the author or co-author of over 150 scientific publications (list available on request), and a former Chair of Technical Committee 32 of ISSMGE: "Engineering practice of risk assessment and management". He is the past president in Norwegian Society for Earthquake Engineering, a member of ISO Panel 5 for Development of Seismic Design Guidelines for Offshore Structures and ISO TC98 for Seismic Actions on Geotechnical Works, and one of the Lead Authors of IPCC's Special Report on Managing the Risks of Extreme Events and Disasters to Advance Climate Change Adaptation (SREX).

Dr Nadim has been work package leader and/or coordinator in a number of EU projects related to natural hazards in the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Framework Programmes (FP6 and FP7). He was the scientific coordinator for the FP7 Project SafeLand "Living with landslide risk in Europe: Assessment, effects of global change, and risk management strategies" (<http://www.safeland-fp7.eu>).

Dr Nadim was/is a Managing Editor of Georisk (2007-2013), and Editorial Board Member of Landslides (2004 – present) and Bulletin of Earthquake Engineering (2004 – 2010). He has delivered over ten keynote lectures and numerous invited lectures in international conferences covering a wide range of topics.

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