

ESTC/COS hosted the second NHRI Training Workshop during Oct. 12 - Nov. 9, 2010

The training workshop on Advanced Hydrology and Climate Change was organized by the GMU Environmental Science and Technology Center (ESTC) in cooperation with GMU Office of Continuing Professional Education (OCPE), and is supported by COS/GMU. The training program includes topics of integrated river basin management, adaptation to climate change, material science, and dam safety monitoring.

The second training workshop was officially opened in Mason in the morning of Oct. 13, 2010. The opening ceremony was attended by Dr. Anne Schiller, the Interim Vice President for Global Strategies of Mason, Dr. Vikas Chandhoke, the dean of COS, Mrs. Madelyn C. Ross, China Coordinator and Director of China Initiatives of Mason, and Prof. John Qu, Director of the Environmental Science and Technology Center (ESTC). The vice president, Anne Schiller extended the warm welcome to all the trainees from NHRI. Prof. Shengshui Chen, the head of the training group and vice president of NHRI, briefly recalled the cooperation activities carried out between Mason and NHRI in the past years, and expressed thanks to Mason for its considerate arrangement of the training program. All the 17 members of the NHRI training group were present at the ceremony. They had 3-week in class training and one-week field work for exploring natural resources and environment.

