# **Online Workshop on** Machine Learning for Landslide **Prediction Mapping with RStudio and ArcGIS**

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#### **Resource Person**

Primary Trainer Mr. Sujit Kumar Roy is currently working as a Research Assistant at a Multinational Company. He is currently pursuing a Post-Graduation degree in Water Resources Development from Institute of Water and Flood Management (IWFM), Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET), Bangladesh and has a Bachelor's degree in Environmental Science and Disaster Management from Noakhali Science and Technology University (NSTU), Noakhali, Bangladesh. He has over 5 years of working experience in the field of EIA, RS and GIS for different national (Government) and international projects as post of GIS analyst at Suchana Engineers Limited, Research Assistant at IWFM, BUET, Research Fellow at RAiN Forum, Junior Environmental Expert at Plan Plus Limited (PPL). As an independent researcher, Sujit collaborates with a talented cohort of software experts, jointly publishing several groundbreaking scientific articles in internationally renowned journals. His contributions transcend multiple disciplines, encompassing RS and GIS, Hydrology, Time Series Analysis, Natural Hazards, Coastal Zone Management, Machine Learning, and Deep Learning. Through his relentless pursuit of knowledge, Sujit is actively driving the advancement of environmental research.

- real data

Participants who successfully complete the workshop will receive a course certificate after submitting all assignments. They will also receive materials such as slides and PDFs, access to practice code, recorded videos of all classes, and lifetime teaching support.

Lecture and training materials are in English.

India: 10,000 INR (₹), Bangladesh: 12,000 BDT (৳) Other countries: 150 USD (\$)

Class Start: 10th November 2023 Admission Last Date: 09th November 2023 **Class:** Friday and Saturday in Week Class Durations: 1-30 hours (Each day) Time: 7:00 PM to 8-30 PM (GMT +5.30)

**Zoom** (Lifitime recorded sessions access)

## **Training Benefits**

• Gain hands-on experience in using both RStudio and ArcGIS for landslide prediction mapping.

• Acquire the knowledge and skills necessary to predict and map landslide susceptibility accurately.

• Harness the power of machine learning to address realworld environmental challenges.

• Instructors continuous support, taking your hand stepby-step to develop high-quality prediction maps using

• Live WhatsApp Chatting with instructor

• 1:1 Sessions with experts

• Lifetime subscription

• Any time watch recorded video

• Easy Payment Gateway such as Debit card, credit card, UPI etc. (international payment also acceptable)

**Certificate and Course materials** 

## Language

## **Registration fee**

## **Important dates**

## **Online Platform**

## **Course Overview**

Join our Online Workshop: Machine Learning for Landslide Prediction Mapping with RStudio and ArcGIS.

Unlock the world of machine learning and geospatial analysis as we guide you through a comprehensive journey in this workshop. Covering a wide spectrum of topics, this workshop is designed to provide you with practical knowledge and skills that can be applied to real-world challenges in landslide prediction mapping.

In Module 1, Start with machine learning foundations, history, terminology, and core components. Explore techniques, practical applications, and distinctions from traditional programming. Understand common algorithms, the machine learning workflow, and future trends.

Module 2: Focus on data preparation and exploration, including data collection, preprocessing, exploratory data analysis for geospatial data, and spatial data handling.

Module 3: Enhance prediction accuracy through feature selection and engineering strategies.

Module 4: Build Random Forest and Support Vector Machine models in model selection and training.

Module 5: Learn model evaluation, prediction, assessing performance, and spatial visualization.

Module 6: Discover model refinement techniques, including hyperparameter tuning and feature engineering.

Module 7: Bring it all together by training the final model, susceptibility generating maps, and effective visualization/reporting.

This workshop is an opportunity to acquire a comprehensive skill set that bridges the gap between theory and practical application, empowering you to excel in the field of landslide prediction mapping using RStudio and ArcGIS. Join us for this engaging and informative journey into the world of machine learning and geospatial analysis.

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# **Course Content**

# The workshop will be divided into seven modules:

## Module 1: Foundations of Machine Learning

- 1.1 Introduction to Machine Learning 1.2 Historical Perspective
- 1.3 Essential Terminology
- 1.4 Core Components of Machine Learning
- 1.5 Machine Learning Techniques
- 1.6 Comparison with Traditional Programming
- **1.7 Practical Applications**
- 1.8 Challenges and Limitations

1.9 Common Machine Learning Algorithms (Linear Regression, Random Forest, Support Vector Machines, k-**Nearest Neighbors**)

1.10 Distinguishing Machine Learning from Artificial Intelligence

- 1.11 The Machine Learning Workflow
- 1.12 Understanding Under-fitting and Over-fitting
- 1.13 Future Trends in Machine Learning

## **Module 2: Data Preparation and Exploration**

- 2.1 Data Collection Strategies
- 2.2 Data Preprocessing Techniques
- 2.3 Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)
- 2.4 Spatial Data Handling and Preparation

## **Module 3: Feature Selection and Engineering**

- **3.1 Strategies for Feature Selection**
- 3.2 Techniques for Feature Engineering

## **Module 4: Model Selection and Training**

- 4.1 Building a Random Forest Model
- 4.2 Constructing a Support Vector Machine Model

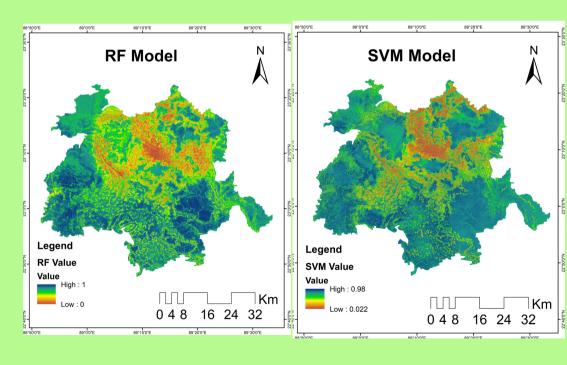
## **Module 5: Model Evaluation**

- **5.1 Making Predictions**
- 5.2 Assessing Model Performance
- 5.3 Spatial Visualization of Results

## Module 6: Model Refinement

## Module 7: Final Model and Mapping

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6.1 Optional Hyperparameter Tuning 6.2 Iterative Feature Engineering

7.1 Training the Final Model 7.2 Generating Landslide Susceptibility Maps 7.3 Visualizing and Reporting the Findings

## How to apply

