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GRADUATE COURSE IN HYDROLOGY

The School of Civil Engineering of the University of New South Wales has conducted a graduate course in hydrology each year since 1960. The next course will commence on 14 March 1977 and will last for three months on a full-time basis. The 1977 course will be similar to those of recent years, and students can elect to specialize either in surface-water hydrology or in groundwater hydrology.

These courses are suitable for engineers, surveyors, agricultural scientists, meteorologists, foresters, soil conservationists and hydrogeologists, and are particularly convenient for students who are unable to spend one or two years in Sydney to complete normal graduate courses in hydrology. Admission requirements for the course are a first degree in engineering or science or, alternatively similar qualifications together with suitable experience in the field of hydrology.

Enquiries about the course should be addressed to the Head, School of Civil Engineering, University of New South Wales, P.O. Box 1, Kensington, NSW 2033, Australia.

CONFERENCE ON COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

An International Conference on Computer Applications in Developing Countries is to be held on 22–25 August 1977 at the Asian Institute of Technology, Bangkok, Thailand.

The conference will focus on:

- 1. Computer utilization in developing countries.
- 2. Computer applications in engineering and applied science.
- 3. Computer applications in information processing and education.
- 4. Education in computer technology and computer applications.

Papers are solicited on an international basis. Authors should submit three copies of a summary by 1 December 1976 to Dr Fook Loy Ng, Organizing Secretary ICCA, Asian Institute of Technology, P.O. Box 2754, Bangkok, Thailand.

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In the above paper, the diagrams for Figs. 6 and 7 were transposed and therefore appear above the wrong captions on pages 49 and 51.