Lifetime Achievement Award



Dr. Yoshio KAKUTA (Kaihatsu Koei Co.,Ltd, Emeritus Professor of Hokkaido University)

Dr. Kakuta has distinguished record of achievement in fundamental research related to crack width, shear capacity, and fatigue in various kinds of concrete structure, such as pre-stressed concrete, reinforced concrete, steel-concrete composite, and fiber-reinforced concrete. His research is internationally respected and his findings have come into practical use through inclusion in design codes. His work has made a definite contribution to the quality of structural design in Japan. As a member of JSCE, he also contributed to the establishment of qualification systems and setting up the JSCE Fellow system. Further, he put in tremendous effort during revision of the Standard Specifications for Concrete Structures. His outstanding work has without doubt enhanced the status of the JSCE.