

Tsunami-geology training in Chile, February 2007

A trip report for the U.S. Indian Ocean Tsunami Warning System Program

Brian F. Atwater (atwater@usgs.gov)
March 27, 2007

India's leading tsunami geologist received, from his Chilean counterpart, two weeks of paleotsunami training in Chile, February 10-24, 2007. The Indian scientist's expenses were covered in full by my project under US IOTWS.



Dr. Seshachalam Srinivasalu of Anna University, Chennai, at outcrops striped with the sandy deposits of tsunamis at Isla Chiloé, Chile. Standing beside Dr. Srinivasalu in the upper photo, in the blue jumpsuit, is his Chilean host, Dr. Marco Cisternas of Univesidad Católica de Valparaíso. Dr. Cisternas sent me with the photos, which were taken in February 2007.