

# American Geosciences Institute

*Adapting to Change—AGI's Global Perspective*

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## *Who is AGI?*

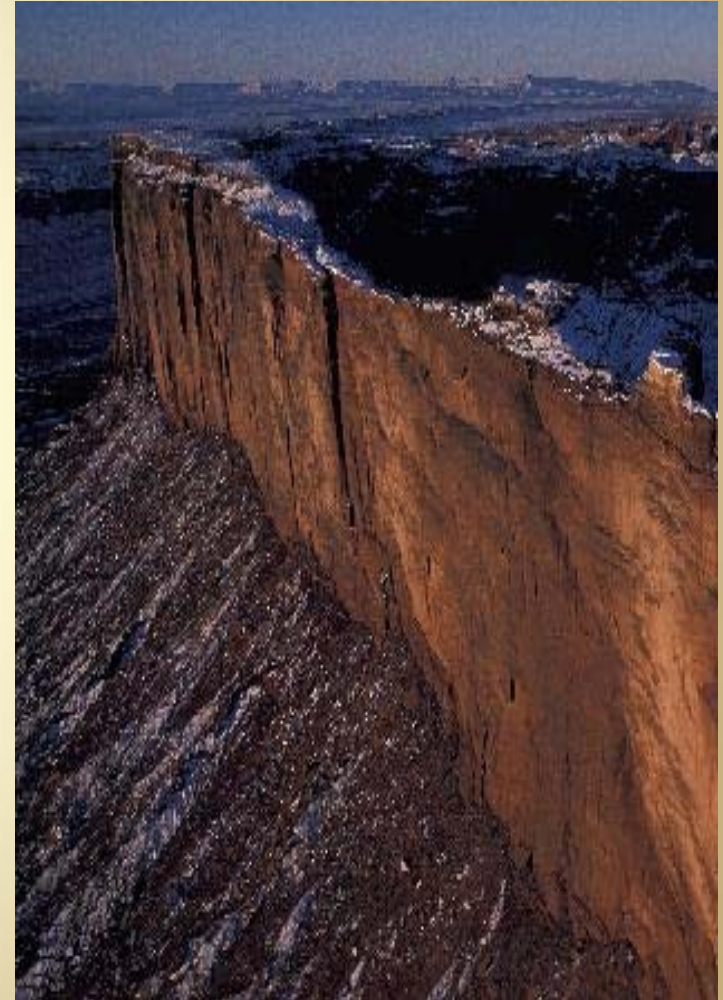
- **Non-Profit corporation**
- **Federation of 50 geoscience societies**
- **Serves 250,000 U.S. Geoscientists globally**
- **Active Foundation**
- **Facilitates Intersociety cooperation and partnerships**
- **Meets unique needs not addressable by individual societies**
- **Society participation provides fuller leveraged value impact**
- **ARMA is a member society**



# AGI Today

## *Highlighted Programs*

- **Education-K-16 Curriculum/Earth Science Week**
- **Government Affairs-Transition Document**
- **Environmental Affairs**
- **Information Systems/Technology**
- *EARTH* magazine/Films/Media
- **Global Workforce**



# Critical Geoscience Issues

- Energy and Climate Change
- Water Availability and Quality
- Oceans
- Waste Treatment and Disposal
- Natural Hazards
- Infrastructure Modernization
- Raw materials
- Education and Public Awareness
- Geoscience Workforce

