

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Canadian International Symposium

A Canadian International Symposium on High-Performance Concrete and Reactive Powder Concrete will be held in Sherbrooke, Quebec, Canada, on June 29–July 2, 1998. The organizers are soliciting papers on materials properties, design with HPC and RPC, field reports and case studies, testing, specifications, and code of practice.

Authors are invited to submit 200-word abstracts by November 15, 1997. The deadline for submission of draft manuscripts is February 1, 1998, and text for posters must be submitted by April 1, 1998.

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Sidney Diamond Symposium

The Sidney Diamond Symposium on The Materials Science and Engineering of Concrete and Cementitious-Based Composites will be held at the Ala Moana Hotel, Honolulu, Hawaii, August 30–September 3, 1998. The symposium is a tribute to Professor Sidney Diamond for his 35 years of contributions to research and education in civil engineering materials.

Authors are invited to submit 200-word abstracts on topics related to the general aspects of materials science and engineering of concrete and cement-based composites, with particular emphasis on microstructure, micro-porosity, durability, and physical, chemical, mechanical, and fracture mechanics behaviors. Also invited are abstracts related to the characterization and effects of mineral and chemical admixtures and particulate and fibrous inclusions on these properties.

The deadline for receipt of abstracts is October 15, 1997. Authors of accepted abstracts will be invited to submit the first draft of their manuscripts by February 1, 1998. The draft must contain original and unpublished data and will be subjected to a rigorous process of review.

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