

## News: Conferences and Symposia

2nd International Conference on Advanced Composite Materials in Bridges and Structures to be held at Le Château Champlain, Montréal, Québec, Canada, 11–14 August 1996.

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8th International Speciality Conference on Cold Regions Engineering to be held at Fairbanks, Alaska, 12–17 August 1996.

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10th International Conference on Alkali-Aggregate Reaction in Concrete to be held in Melbourne, Australia, 19–23 August, 1996.

Contact: Dr A. Shayan, C/-CSIRO Division of Building, Construction and Engineering, PO Box 56, Highett, Victoria, Australia 3190.

The Third International Conference on Computational Structures Technology to be held in Budapest, Hungary, 21–23 August 1996.

Contact: Professor B. H. V. Topping, Dept. of Mechanical & Chemical Engineering, Herriot-Watt University, Ricarton, Edinburgh EH11 4AS, UK. Tel: ++44 131 449 5111.

XVI Symposium on Nordic Concrete Research to be held at the Helsinki University of Technology HUT, Espoo, Finland, 21–23 August 1996.

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21st Conference on Our World in Concrete & Structures, celebrating the 10th Anniversary of the Prestressed and Precast Concrete Society to be held at the Hotel New Otani, Singapore, 26–28 August 1996.

Contact: John S. Y. Tan (conference director), 150 Orchard Road, #07-14 Orchard Plaza, Singapore 238841. Tel: (065) 7332922; Fax: (065) 2353530.

International Symposium on Userorientated and Cost Effective Management, Maintenance and Modernization of Building Facilities to be held at the University of Helsinki, Finland, 2–4 September 1996.

Contact: Association of Finnish Civil Engineers, RIL, Meritullinkatu 16 A5, FIN-00170 Helsinki, Finland.

Third Conference on Nondestructive Evaluation of Civil Structures and Materials, to be held at the Clarion Harvest House Hotel, Boulder, Colorado, 8–12 September 1996. Sponsored by and in cooperation with the University of Colorado, ACi, ASCE, The Masonry Society and ASTM.

Contact: Professor George Hearn, Department of CEAE, Campus Box 428, University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado 80309, USA.

FIP Symposium 1996, Post-Tensioned Concrete Structures to be held in London, 25–27 September 1996.

Contact: The Secretariat, FIP Symposium on Post-Tensioned Concrete Structures, The Concrete Society, 3 Eatongate, Windsor Road, Slough SL1 2JA, UK. Tel: ++44 1753 692333; Fax: ++44 1753 693313.

Specialty Symposium on Structures Response to Impact and Blast to be held in Tel Aviv, Israel, 6–11 October 1996.

Contact: Dan Knassim Ltd, PO Box 1931, Ramat-Gan, 52118 Israel. Tel: +972 3 613340; Fax: +972 3 6133341.

Second International Conference on Diagnosis of Concrete Structures, to be held at the Hotel Panorama, Štrbské pleso (High Tatras mountains, Airport Proprad), Slovakia, 7–11 October 1996.

Contact: Professor Tibor Jávor, Expertcentrum, Šulekova 8, 811 06, Bratislava, Slovakia. Fax: ++42 75 311 738.

## Bridge Modification '96, 6-7 November 1996.

Contact: Miss C. Chin, Conference Office, Institution of Civil Engineers, One Great George Street, London SW1P 3AA, UK.

Fourth International Conference on Civil Engineering to be held in Manila, Philippines, 6–8 November 1996.

Contact: Professor A. Jorillo, Jr., Technological University of the Philippines, PO Box 3171, Manila, Philippines. Tel: (632) 522 3524, (632) 521 4062; Fax: (632) 522 5324, (632) 521 4602.

Fifth NCB International Seminar on Cement and Building Materials, to be held in New Delhi, India, 25–29 November 1996.

Contact: National Council for Cement and Building Materials, 34 Km Stone, Delhi-Mathura Road (NH-2) Ballabgarh 121 004 (Haryana), India. Tel: 91 129 242051–56, 246174 or 246175. Fax: 91 128 242100; Telex: 343 301.

CIB-ASTM-ISO-RILEM International Symposium "Applications of the Performance Concept in Building" to be held in Tel Aviv, Israel, 9–12 December 1996.

Contact: APCIB Secretariat, The National Building Research Institute, Technion, Haifa 32000, Israel. Tel: +972 4 8292242/3; Fax: +972 4 8324534.

Fourth International Conference of Civil Engineering to be held at Sharif University of Technology, 4+6 May 1997.

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**ISOCORD '97 Fifth International Symposium** on Cold Region Development to be held at the Captain Cook Hotel, Anchorage, Alaska, 4–10 May 1997.

Contact: Chairman, Organizing Committee, The Northern Forum, 4101 University Drive, APU Carr-Gottstein Centre, Suite 221, Anchorage, Alaska, AK 99508, USA.

International ECSN Symposium on European Concrete Standards in Practice to be held in Copenhagen, Denmark, 22–24 May 1977.

Contact: Technical Secretary Karen Mønsted, Snekkevej 5, DK-4040 Jyllinge, Denmark.

10th International Congress on the Chemistry of Cement to be held in Göteborg, Sweden, 2-6 June 1997.

Contact: Conference Secretariat, c/o Congrex Box 5078, S-402 22 Göteborg, Sweden. Fax: +46 31 20 36 20.

1997 International Conference on Engineering Materials to be held at the Citadel Ottawa Hotel, Ottawa, Canada, 8–11 June 1997.

Contact: Akthem Al-Manaseer, Department of Civil Engineering and Const., Bradley University, Peoria, Illinois 61625, USA. Fax: 309 677 2867.

International Conference on Rehabilitation and Development of Civil Engineering Infrastructure Systems to be held in Beirut, Lebanon, 9–11 June 1997.

Contact: Prof. M. A. Abdul-Malek or Prof. I. Kaysi, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut, 850 Third Avenue, 18th Floor, New York, NY 10022, USA. Tel: 350000 (ext. 3460/3461—Lebanon). Fax: 212 444 5813; E-mail: mamalak @aub.edu.lb or isam@aub.edu.lb.

Sixth Euroseminar on Microscopy Applied to Building Materials to be held in Reykjavik, Iceland, 25–27 June 1997.

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Fourth CANMET/ACI International Conference on Durability of Concrete to be held at the Sydney Hilton Hotel, Sydney, Australia, 17–22 August 1997.

Contact: V. M. Mahlhotra, CANMET, 405 Rochester Street, Ottawa, ON, Canada K1A 0G1. Fax: (613) 992 9389.

Third CANMET/ACI International Symposium on Advances in Concrete Technology to be held at the Sheraton Auckland Hotel, Auckland, New Zealand, 24–27 August 1997.

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Composite Construction—Conventional and Innovative, International Conference to be held in Innsbruck, Austria, 16–18 September 1997.

Contact: Composite Construction, c/o IABSE, ETH Hönggerberg, CH-8093 Zurich, Switzerland. Tel: +41 1 633 2647; Fax: +41 1 371 2131.

Fifth International Conference on Deterioration and Repair of Reinforced Concrete in the Arabian Gulf to be held in Bahrain, 27–29 October 1997.

Contact: Conference Secretariat, Concrete 5, Bahrain Society of Engineers, PO Box 835, Manama, Bahrain. Fax: +973 729819.

International Conference on Fibre Reinforced Concrete (ICFRC), to be held at the Baiyun Hotel, Gangzhou, China, 28–30 November 1997.

Contact: Professor Guihui Wei, General Secretary (ICFRC), Director of Foreign Affairs Office, Guangdong University of Technology, 729 East Dongfeng Road, Guangzhou, China. Tel: (86) (20) 7302737; Tel: (86) (20) 7766069 6607.

ACI 1997 International Conference on High-Performance Concrete: Design and Materials and Recent Advances in Concrete Technology to be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, 2–5 December 1997.

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