

News: conferences and symposia

Gordon Research Conference on Chemistry and Physics of Cement-Based Materials to be held in Barga, Italy, 9–14 May 1999.

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High Performance Fiber Reinforced Cement Composites to be held in Mainz, Germany, 16–19 May 1999.

Contact: Professor H.W. Reinhardt, Universität Stuttgart, Institut für Werkstoffe im Bauwesen, Pfaffenwaldring 4, D-70550 Stuttgart, Germany. Tel: +49 711 685 3323; Fax: +49 711 685 7681; E-mail: reinhardt@iwb.uni-stuttgart.de

8th International Conference on Durability of Building Materials and Components to be held in Vancouver, Canada, 30 May–3 June, 1999.

Contact: Conference Secretariat 8dbmc, National Research Council Canada, Building M-19, Montreal Road, Ottawa, ON, Canada K1A 0R6. Fax: (613) 993-7250.

II International Conference on High-Performance Concrete, and Performance and Quality of Concrete Structures to be held in Gramado, RS Brazil, 1–4 June 1999.

Contact: High performance Conference, c/o D.C. Dal Molin – CPGEC, C.P. 303 – Agência Central, 90001-970 Porto Alegre, RS – Brazil, Tel: 55 (51) 316 3486/316 3518; Fax: 55 (51) 316 3999; E-mail: highpc@vortex.ufrgs.br

3rd European Congress, Stainless Steel '99 Science and Market to be held in Sardinia, Italy 7–9 June, 1999.

Contact: Organizing Secretariat, Associazione Italiana di Metallurgia, Piazzale Rodolfo Morandi, 2 – 20121 Milano, Italy. Tel.: +39 2 7602.0551/7602.1132; Fax: +39 2 7602.0551; E-mail: aim@fast.mi.it

5th International Symposium on Utilization of High Strength/High Performance Concrete to be held in Sandefjord, Norway, 20–24 June 1999.

Contact: Norwegian Concrete Association, P.O. Box 2312, Solli, N-0201 Oslo, Norway.

Sixth International Conference on Structural Studies, Repairs and Maintenance of Historical Buildings to be held in Dresden, Germany, 22–24 June, 1999.

Contact: Clare Duggan, Conference Secretariat, Wessex Institute of Technology, Ashurst Lodge, Ashurst, Southampton SO40 7AA, UK. Tel: 44 (0)1703 293223; Fax: 44 (0)1703 292853; E-mail: wit@wessex.ac.uk

ICCE/6 ORLANDO, Sixth International Conference on Composites Engineering to be held in Orlando, FL, USA, 27 June–3 July 1999.

Contact: Dr David Hui, University of New Orleans, Dept. of Mechanical Engineering, New Orleans, LA 70148, USA. Tel.: (504)-280-6652, Fax: (504)-280-5539; E-mail: dxhme@uno.edu; Web: <http://www.uno.edu/~enagr/composites.html>

International Conference on Infrastructure Regeneration and Rehabilitation; Improving the Quality of Life Through Better Construction, A Vision for the Next Millennium to be held in Sheffield, UK, 28 June–2 July 1999.

Contact: Norma Parkes, Conference Secretariat, Department of Mechanical Engineering, University of Sheffield, Mappin Street, Sheffield, S1 3JD, UK.

8th International Expertcentrum Conference on Life Prediction and Aging Management of Concrete Structures, to be held in Bratislava, Slovakia, 5–7 July, 1999.

Contact: Professor T. Javor, Expertcentrum, Šulekova 8, Bratislava 811 06 Slovakia. Fax: xx421-7-5311738.

XVII Symposium on Nordic Concrete Research to be held in Reykjavik, Iceland, 4–6 August 1999.

Contact: Icelandic Incentives Inc., Hamraborg 1–3, 200 Kopavogur, Iceland. Tel: 354 554 1400; Fax: 354 554 1472.

10th International Conference on Cold Regions Engineering “Putting Research into Practice” to be held in Lincoln, New Hampshire, USA, 16–19 August 1999.

Contact: American Society of Civil Engineers, Conference & Exposition, 1801 Alexander Bell Drive, Reston, VA 20191-4400, USA. Fax: 703 295 6144.

IABSE Symposium on Structures for the Future – The Search for Quality to be held in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 25–27 August 1999.

Contact: Symposium Secretariat, IABSE, ETH Hönggerberg, CH-8093 Zurich, Switzerland. Tel: +41 1 633 2647; Fax: +41 1 371 2131; E-mail: secretariat@iabse.ethz.ch; Web: <http://www.iabse.ethz.ch>

RILEM Symposium on Self Compacting Concrete, to be held in Stockholm, Sweden, 13–15 September 1999.

Contact: Technical Secretariat, SCC-symp/CBI, S-100 44 Stockholm; E-mail: scc@cbi.se. Web: <http://www.cbi.se/scc>

or Symposium Secretariat, Congrex Sweden AB, PO Box 5619, S-114 86 Stockholm. Tel: +46 8 459 66 00; Fax: +46 8 661 91 25; E-mail: rilem@congrex.se

International Colloquium on Adhesion between Polymers and Concrete, to be held in Ostfildern, Germany, 14–17 September 1999.

Contact: Technische Akademie Esslingen, Weiterbildungszentrum, Dipl.-Ing. H.-J. Mesenholl, Postfach 1265, 73748 Ostfildern, Germany.

fib Symposium 1999 on Structural Concrete – The Bridge between People to be held in Prague, Czech Republic, 13–15 October 1999.

Contact: Secretariat of the fib Symposium 1999, Viaccon Agency, Za Vokovickou vozovnou 19, CZ – 1161 00 Prague 6, Czech Republic. Tel: +420 2 2061 2337/2338; Fax: +420 2 2061 2095; E-mail: viaco@mbox.vol.cz; Web: <http://www.informnet.cz/fib99>

Fourth International Symposium on Fiber Reinforced Polymer for Reinforced Concrete Structures (FRPRCS-4) will be held in conjunction with Fall ACI Conference in Baltimore, Maryland, USA, 31 October–5 November 1999.

Contact: V & M Jones Professor, Technical Committee FRPRCS-4, University of Missouri – Rolla, Dept. of Civil Engineering, Rolla, MO 65409-0030, USA. Tel: 1-573 341 4553; Fax: 1 573 341 4729; E-mail: FRPRCS@UMR.EDU

or FRPRCS-4 Baltimore October 99, Antonio Nanni, Technical Committee Chair, 1870 Miner Circle, University of Missouri – Rolla, Rolla, MO 65409-0030, USA. Voice: + 1 573 341 4553; Fax: -4729.

Third International RILEM Symposium on Durability of Building and Construction Sealants, to be held in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, USA, 2–3 February 2000.

Contact: Andreas Wolf, RILEM Symposium 2000, c/o Dow Corning S.A., Parc Industriel, 7180 Seneffe, Belgium. Tel: +32 64 88.81.77; Fax: +32 64 88.84.01;

E-mail: USDCCX93@IBMMAIL.COM; Web: <http://www.empa.ch/englisch/fachbter/abt.113>

Fifth CANMET/ACI International Conference on Durability of Concrete to be held in Barcelona, Spain, 4–9 June 2000.

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

WASCON 2000, Science and Engineering of Recycling for Environmental Protection to be held in Harrogate, UK, 7–9 June 2000.

Contact: WASCON 2000, PO BOX 4, Grassington, Skipton BD23 5UR, UK. Tel.: +44 (0)1756 753450; Fax: +44 (0)1756 753420; Email: stuartbrown@compuserve.com

11th International Conference on Alkali-Aggregate Reaction in Concrete to be held in Québec City, QC, Canada, 11–16 June 2000.

Contact: Dr. Josée Duchesne, Secretariat of the 11th ICAAR, Département de géologie et de génie géologique, Université Laval, Québec, QC, Canada G1K 7P4. Tel.: (1) 418-656-2177; Fax: (1) 418-656-7339; E-mail: icaar2000@ggl.ulaval.ca

BEFIB' 2000, Fifth RILEM Symposium on Fibre-Reinforced Concretes (FRC) to be held in Lyon, France, 13–15 September 2000.

Contact: Eric Bancilhon, Philibert Organisation, 24–26 av. Barthélémy Thimonnier, 69461 Caluire Cedex, France.

IABSE Lucerne 2000, 16th Congress of IABSE, Structural Engineering for Meeting Urban Transportation Challenges to be held in Lucerne, Switzerland, 18–21 September 2000.

Contact: IABSE Congress Lucerne 2000, IABSE, ETH Hönggerberg CH-8093 Zürich, Switzerland.

Sixth CANMET/ACI International Conference on Superplasticizers and Other Chemical Admixtures in Concrete to be held in Nice, France, 9–12 October 2000.

Contact: H. S. Wilson, PO Box 3065, Station C, Ottawa, Canada K1Y 4J3. Fax: (613) 992-9389.

Sixth International Conference on Deterioration and Repair of Reinforced Concrete in the Arabian Gulf to be held in Bahrain, UAE, 23–25 October 2000.

Contact: Conference Secretariat, Concrete 6, Bahrain Society of Engineers, PO Box 835, Manama, Bahrain. Fax: +973 729819; E-mail: mohandis@batelco.com.bh