

News: conferences and symposia

Third International Conference on Advanced Composite Materials in Bridges and Structures, to be held in Ottawa, Canada, 15–18 August 2000.

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Advances in Cement and Concrete: Materials Aspects of Concrete Repairs and Rehabilitation, to be held in Mont-Tremblant, Quebec, Canada, 20–25 August 2000.

Contact: United Engineering Foundation, Three Park Avenue, New York, NY, 10016-5902, USA. Tel: 1 212 591 7836; Fax: 1 212 591 7441; E-mail: engfnd@aol.com; Web: www.uefoundation.org

ICHC 2000, to be held in London, UK, 3–8 September 2000.

Contact: Royal Microscopical Society, 37/38 St. Clements, Oxford OX4 1AJ, United Kingdom. Tel: 44 (0) 1865 248768; Fax: 44 (0) 1865 791 237; Conference E-mail: rebecca@rms.org.uk; Exhibition E-mail: allison@rms.org.uk; Http://www.rms.org.uk

Second International Symposium Cement and Concrete Technology in the 2000s, to be held in Istanbul/TÜRKİYE, 6–10 September 2000.

Contact: Symposium Secretariat, Turkish Cement Manufacturers' Association. P.O. Box 2, 06582 Bakanlıklar/Ankara Türkiye. Tel: (0090) 312 287 3250; Fax: (0090) 312 287 9272.

Ninth International Conference on Mechanics and Technology of Composite Materials, to be held in Sofia, Bulgaria, 11–14 September 2000.

Contact: Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, Central Laboratory of Physico-chemical Mechanics, Acad. G. Bonchev Str., Bl. 1., 1113 Sofia, Bulgaria.

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.

CADCOMP 2000 Seventh International Conference on Computer Methods in Composite Materials and Structures, to be held in Bologna, Italy, 13–15 September 2000.

Contact: Wessex Institute of Technology (WIT), Ashurst Lodge, Southampton, SO40 7AA, UK; E-mail: ksavage@wessex.ac.uk

ICSF 2000, Sixth International Conference on Structural Failure, Durability and Retrofitting, to be held in Singapore, 14–15 September 2000.

Contact: ICFS 2000 Secretariat, AV Consultants Pte Ltd, 232-A River Valley Road, Singapore 238290; E-mail: avconsul@pacific.net.sg

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 Hnggerberg CH-8093 Zürich, Switzerland.

Sixteenth congress of IABSE: Structural Engineering for Meeting Urban Transportation Challenges, to be held in Lucerne, Switzerland, 18–21 September 2000.

Contact: Convention Team Lucerne AG, IABSE Congress Lucerne 2000, Kasimir-Pfyffer-Strasse 2. Postfach 2552, CH-6002 Lucerne, Switzerland. Tel: 41 41 242 0430; Fax: 41 41 242 0431; E-mail: ctlag@bluewin.ch

ACI Fourth International Conference on Repair, Rehabilitation and Maintenance of Concrete Structures, and Innovations in Design and Construction, to be held in Seoul, Korea, 19–22 September 2000.

Contact: William R. Tolley, ACI International, P.O. Box 9094, Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9094, USA.

PCI/FHWA/FIB International Symposium on High Performance Concrete, to be held in conjunction with the 46th PCI Annual Convention and Exhibition in Orlando, Florida, 25–27 September 2000.

Contact: PCI, 175 W. Jackson Boulevard, Suite 1859, Chicago, IL 60604, USA. Tel: (312) 786 0300; Fax: (312) 786 0353; E-mail: info@pci.org; web site: www.pci.org

Seventh International Inorganic-Bonded Wood and Fiber Composite Materials Conference, to be held at Sun Valley Resort, Ketchum, Idaho, USA, 25–27 September 2000.

Contact: Prof. A. Moslemi, College of Forestry, University of Idaho, Moscow, ID 83844-1132, USA. Tel: 208 885 6127; Fax: 208 885 6226; E-mail: amosleme@novell.uidaho.edu

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, P.O. Box 3065, Station C, Ottawa, Canada K1Y 4J3. Fax: (613) 992-9389.

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

Contact: Conferences Secretariat, Concrete 6, Bahrain Society of Engineers, P.O. Box 835, Manama, Bahrain. Fax: 973 729819; E-mail: mohandis@bate-lco.com.bh

International Conference on Sustainable Construction Into the Next Millenium: Environmentally Friendly and Innovative Cement Based Materials, to be held in João Pessoa, Brazil, 2–5 November 2000.

Contact: Prof. Normando Perazzo Barbosa, Centro de Tecnologia de UFPB, Cidade Universitária 58059-900 João Pessoa, PB, Brazil; Dr. Cyril Lynsdale, Dept. of Civil and Structural Engineering, The University of Sheffield, Mappin Street, Sheffield, S1 3JD, UK.

Fourth International Conference on Coasts, Ports and Marine Structures ICOPMAS "2000", to be held in Bandar Abbas, Iran, 21–24 November 2000.

Contact: Permanent Secretariat of International Conference on Coasts, Ports & Marine Structures (ICOPMAS), Ports and Shipping Organization of Iran (P.S.O), 751 Enghelab Ave., Tehran 15994, Iran. Tel: 98 (21) 8904096; Fax: 98 (21) 8904193; E-mail: ICOPMAS@IR-PSO.COM

Seventh NCB International Seminar on Cement and Building Materials, to be held in New Delhi, India, 21–24 November 2000.

Contact: The Organising Secretary, Seventh NCB International Seminar, National Council for Cement and Building Materials (NCB), P-21 South Extension II, Post Box No. 3885, New Delhi 110 049, India. Tel: 91 129 242051 56, 91 129 246174 & 175; Fax: 91 129 242100 & 91 11 6258868; E-mail: NCCBM@GIASDL01.VSNL.NET.IN

International Millennium Conference on Housing & Hazards and the Rural Community: Village Infrastructure to Cope with the Environment, to be held in Dhaka, BUET: 24–25 November, Field visits: 26–27 November 2000, Exeter: 4–5 December 2000 Abstracts: 30 April 2000.

Contact: Professor Salek Seraj, Convenor, H&H2000, Department of Civil Engineering, Bangladesh University of Engineering & Technology (BUET), Dhaka 1000, Bangladesh. Fax: 880 2 863026; E-mail: smseraj@bangla.net; Dr Robert Hodgson, Convenor, H&H2000, School of Engineering, University of Exeter, Exeter EX4 4QF, UK. Email: R.L.P. Hodgson@exeter.ac.uk

International Symposium on High Performance Concrete – Workability, Strength and Durability, to be held in Hong Kong and Shenzhen, China, 10–15 December 2000.

HPC Conference 2000, c/o Dr. Zongjin Li, Department of Civil Engineering, Hong Kong Univ. of Science & Technology, Clear Water Bay, Kowloon, Hong Kong, China. Fax: (852) 23581534; E-mail: ce-hpc@ust.hk

First International Structural Engineering and Construction Conference, to be held in Honolulu, Hawaii, 24–26 January 2001.

Contact: Dr. Amarjit Singh, P. Eng. Department of Civil Engineering, 2540 Dole Street, Holmes Hall 383, University of Hawaii at Manoa, Honolulu, Hawaii 96822, USA. Tel: (1) (808) 956 3933; Fax: (1) (808) 956 5014; E-mail: singh@wiliki.eng.hawaii.edu

RILEM International Conference on: Early Age Cracking in Cementitious Systems, to be held in Haifa, Israel, 12–14 March 2001.

Contact: National Building Research Institute, Faculty of Civil Engineering, Technion – Israel Institute of Technology, 32000 Haifa, Israel. Tel: 972 4 8292242, 972 4 8292243; Fax: 972 4 8324534; Http://tx.technion.ac.il/~eac/; E-mail: eac@tx.technion.ac.il

International Concrete Repair Symposium 2001, to be held in Washington, DC, USA, 21–23 March 2001.

Contact: International Concrete Repair Institute, 1323 Shepard Drive, Suite D, Sterling, VA, 20164, US. Tel: 703 450 0116; Fax: 703 450 0119; E-mail: mcol-lins@icir.org

Concrete and Development International Conference, to be held in Tehran, I.R.IRAN, 30 April–2 May 2001.

Contact: Secretariat, Building and Housing Research Center, P.O. Box 13145–1696, Tehran - I.R. Iran. Tel:

(98) 21 8259975; Fax: (98) 21 8255941; E-mail: bhrc-conf@www.dci.co.ir

Third International Conference on Concrete under Severe Conditions, Environment and Loading CONSEC'01, to be held in Vancouver, BC, Canada, 18–20 June 2001.

Contact: Professor N. Banthia, Department of Civil Engineering, University of British Columbia 2324 Main Mall, Vancouver, B.C. Canada V6T 1Z4. Tel: 1 (604) 822 9541; Fax: 1 (604) 822 6901; E-mail: banthia@civil.ubc.ca

International Conference on CALCIUM ALUMINATE CEMENTS (CAC), to be held in Edinburgh, Scotland, UK, 16–19 July 2001.

Contact: RJ Mangabhai, CAC Conference, 8 Pasture Close, North Wembley Middlesex HA0 3JE, UK. Tel/ Fax: 44 (0) 20 8908 3762.

Seventh CANMET/ACI International Conference on Fly Ash, Silica Fume, Slag and Natural Pozzolans in Concrete, to be held in Madras, India, 22–27 July 2001.

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Fifth CANMET/ACI International Symposium on Advances in Concrete Technology, to be held in Singapore, 29 July–1 August 2001.

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Ninth International EXPERTCENTRUM Conference on Failures of Concrete Structures, to be held in Bratislava, Slovakia, 5–7 September 2001.

Contact: Professor T. Javor, Expertcentrum, Šulekova 8, 811 06 Bratislava, Slovakia. Fax: xx421 7 54411738.

Three-Day International Symposium on Sustainable Development and Concrete Technology, to be held in San Francisco, USA, 16–19 September 2001.

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Charpy Centenary Conferences – CCC2001, to be held in Poitiers, France, 3–5 October 2001.

Contact: CCC 2001, Société Française de Métallurgie et de Matériaux, Les Fontenelles 1, rue de Craiova, F-92024 Nanterre, Cedex, France.