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Calendar of events

- 25th International Conference on **Cement Microscopy**, Richmond, VA, USA. Information: International Cement Microscopy Association, 2809 Juniper Drive, Metropolis, Illinois, 62960 USA. **April 6–10, 2003**
- 2003 **MRS** Spring meeting, San Francisco Marriott and Argent Hotels, San Francisco, CA, USA. Information: Materials Research Society, 506 Keystone Drive, Warrendale, PA 15086-7573, USA. Website: <http://www.mrs.org/meetings/spring2003> **April 21–25, 2003**
- American Ceramic Society** 105th annual meeting, Cements Division, Nashville, TN, USA. Information: ACS, 735 Ceramic Place, P.O. Box 6136, Westerville, OH 43086-5890, USA. **April 27–30, 2003**
- Concrete Structures in Seismic Regions**, Athens, Greece. Information: Office for International Relations, Technical Chamber of Greece, 4 Karagiorgi servias Str., 105 2 Athens, Greece. Tel.: +30 10 3235779; Fax: +30 10 3222832; E-mail: intrel@central.tee.gr; Website: <http://www.fub2003.gr> **May 6–9, 2003**
- 2nd International RILEM workshop on **Life Prediction and Aging Management of Concrete Structures**, Cannes, France. Information: D.J. Naus, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, P.O. Box 2009, Bldg. 9204-1, Oak Ridge, TN 37831-8056, USA. Tel.: 865-574-0657; Fax: 865-574-2023; E-mail: nausdj@ornl.gov **May 8–9, 2003**
- 11th International Conference on the **Chemistry of Cement**, Durban, South Africa. Information: Sandra Collier, Event Dynamics. Tel: +27 11 706 5010; Fax: +27 11 463 7951; E-mail: Sandra@eventdynamics.co.za; Congress website at <http://www.iccc2003.org> **May 11–16, 2003**
- 6th CANMET/ACI International Conference on **Durability of Concrete**, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Thessaloniki, Greece. Information: V.M. Malhotra, CANMET, 405 Rochester St., Ottawa, Ontario, Canada K1A 0G1. Fax: 613-992-9398. **June 1–7, 2003**
- 6th CANMET/ACI International Conference on **Recent Advances in Concrete Technology**, Bucharest, Romania. Information: Maria Venturino, CANMET. Fax: (613) 922-9289; E-mail: mventuri@nrca.gc.ca **June 8–11, 2003**
- Symposium on **Concrete Durability: Deicing Chemical and Freezing–Thawing**, Denver, Colorado in conjunction with the June 15–20, 2003 standards development meetings of ASTM Committees CO1 and CO9. Information: ASTM, Symposium Operations, 100 Barr Harbor Drive, P.O. Box C700, West Conshohocken, PA 19428-2959, USA. **June 17, 2003**
- Symposium on **Electrochemical Techniques for Evaluating Corrosion Performance and Estimating Service-Life of Reinforced Concrete**, Denver, Colorado, in conjunction with the June 15–18 standards development meetings of ASTM Committee CO9. Information: ASTM, Symposium Operations, 100 Barr Harbor Drive, P.O. Box C700, West Conshohocken, PA 19428-2959, USA. **June 18, 2003**

- 1st International Symposium on **Nanotechnology in Construction**, Paisley Town Hall, Paisley, Scotland, UK. Information: Dr. Pavel Trtik, Scottish Centre for Nanotechnology in Construction Materials, University of Paisley, PA1 2BE Scotland. Tel.: +44-141-848-3247; Fax: +44-141-848-3275; E-mail: pavel.trtik@paisley.ac.uk; Website: <http://www.nanocom.org> **June 23–25, 2003**
- 6th International Symposium on **FRP Reinforcement for Concrete Structures (FRPRCS-6)**, Singapore. Information: Prof. Tan Kiang Hwee, Chairman, Organizing Committee, FRPRCS-6 Symposium, Singapore. Website: <http://www.courses.nus.edu.sg/course/cvetankh/internet/frprcs6>. **July 1–10, 2003**
- Engineering Conferences International meeting on **Advances in Cement and Concrete: Volume Changes, Cracking, and Durability**, Copper Mountain, CO. Additional Information can be found at the conference's website: <http://www.engconfintl.org/3ah.html>. **August 10–14, 2003**
- 2nd International Conference on **Composites in Construction**, The University of Calabria, Rende, Italy. Information: Prof. Raffade Zinno, Dept. of Structural Engineering, University of Calabria, Via Pietro Bucci 87030, Rende (CS) Italy. E-mail: Zinno@unical.it **September 16–19, 2003**
- 7th International Conference on **Concrete in Hot and Aggressive Environments**, Bahrain. Information: Conference Secretariat, Concrete VII, Bahrain Society of Engineers, P.O. Box 835, Manama, Bahrain. Tel: +973-727100; Fax: +973-729819; E-mail: bseng@batelco.com.bh; Website: <http://www.mohandis.org> **October 13–15, 2003**
- 7th CANMET/ACI International Conference on **Superplasticizers and Other Chemical Admixtures in Concrete**, Maritim ProARTE Hotel, Berlin, Germany. Information: Dr. V.M. Malhotra, CANMET, 405 Rochester St., Ottawa, ON, Canada K1A 0G1. Fax: 613-922-9389; E-mail: vmalhotra@nrcan.gc.ca **October 20–24, 2003**
- FraMCOS–5: 5th International Conference on Fracture Mechanics on **Concrete and Concrete Structures: Linking Scales from Nano-structure to Infrastructure**, Contact: Prof. V.C. Li, Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering, University of Michigan, 2326 G.G. Brown Building, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-2125. Tel.: +1-734-3368; Fax: +1-734-764-4292; E-mail: vcli@engin.umich.edu; Website: www.ust.hk/framcos5. Deadline: April 15, 2003 for abstracts (via web). **April 12–14, 2004**