

Calls for Papers

Calls for Papers: Submission Guidelines

Calls for papers should be submitted no later than 3 months prior to the deadline for abstracts. Please send meeting information, papers/presentations being solicited, abstract requirements, and deadline, along with full contact information to: Keith A. Tosolt, Managing Editor, *Concrete International*, e-mail: keith.tosolt@concrete.org. Visit www.callforpapers.concrete.org for more information.

Sustainable Construction Materials and Technologies

Meeting: Fifth International Conference on Sustainable Construction Materials and Technologies (SCMT5), July 14-17, 2019, Kingston University London, Kingston Hill Campus, Kingston upon Thames, Surrey, UK; sponsored by Coventry University, the University of Wisconsin Milwaukee Center for By-products Utilization, and local hosts.

Solicited: Technical themes are efficient and sustainable use of construction materials, technological advances for sustainable practice, designing structures and building for sustainability, and regulatory framework and government initiatives. Visit www.scm5.org.uk for more information.

Requirements: Abstracts of 200 to 300 words as a Microsoft Word file are invited.

Deadlines: Abstracts are due by June 30, 2018; final papers are due by March 11, 2019.

Send to: kingstonuniversityeventsSEC@kingston.ac.uk.

Notable Concrete in Las Vegas and Vicinity

Document: Compendium of notable concrete in Las Vegas and vicinity for e-publication at The ACI Concrete Convention and Exposition – Fall 2018 in Las Vegas, NV, October 14-18, 2018; compiled by ACI Committee 124, Concrete Aesthetics, and co-sponsored by the Las Vegas Chapter – ACI, AIA Las Vegas/AIA Nevada, and SEASoN. The document will also be available as an electronic file on the ACI website, and may be excerpted in *Concrete International*. Images submitted will be stored and available as electronic files on the ACI website and may be used in ACI educational and promotional materials.

Solicited: Image and brief description of notable concrete (cast-in-place, precast, post-tensioned, masonry, or tilt-up) in all types of uses—buildings, monuments, pavement, silos, bridges, crypts, furniture, retaining walls, utility poles, tanks, sculpture, culverts, plazas, and whatever else has caught your attention. Significance may be historical, aesthetic, sustainable, functional, structural, construction-related, unusual use or application, or simply personal affection.

Requirements: 1) Name and location of submission; 2) image (photograph, drawing, or sketch) that is not copyrighted; 3) brief description that establishes significance and lists credits; and 4) submitter's name, title, organization, city and state, telephone, and e-mail address. Location information should include zip code. Submit all information in electronic format: image as JPG or TIFF file at least 1 MB (but no more than 4 MB); text in e-mail or as Microsoft Word document (120 words maximum). No PDF files, please.

Deadline: Materials are due by July 1, 2018.

Send to: Michael J. Paul, Larsen & Landis, 11 W. Thompson St., Philadelphia, PA 19125, mpaul@larsenlandis.com.

Open Topic Oral Presentation and Poster Session

Meetings: Two 2-hour oral presentation sessions titled “Open Topic Presentations” on October 16, 2018, and one poster session titled “ACI 123 Concrete Research Poster Session” on October 15, 2018, at The ACI Concrete Convention and Exposition – Fall 2018, Las Vegas, NV; sponsored by ACI Committee 123, Research and Current Developments.

Solicited: Previously unpublished information from completed studies on any aspect of structural analysis or design; concrete materials science; or construction, manufacturing, use, and maintenance of concrete structures and products. The purpose of this session is to offer authors/speakers an open forum for presentation of recent technical information that does not fit into other sessions scheduled for this convention. Typical presentation time is 20 minutes for oral presentations. Posters will be displayed for the entirety of the day October 15, and authors are asked to attend the 1-hour poster session.

Requirements: 1) presentation title; 2) author/speaker name(s), job title, organization, mailing address, telephone number, and e-mail address; 3) abstract up to 250 words, and optionally one relevant figure; and 4) preference for oral or poster presentations. Abstracts exceeding 250 words will not be accepted. Duplicate abstract submissions to both Research in Progress and Open Topic Presentation sessions will not be considered for either session; please select the appropriate session for your abstract. Although presenter preference (if indicated) will be considered, submissions will be selected for oral or poster presentation at the discretion of the moderators and committee members. Abstracts should be submitted electronically at <https://form.jotform.com/81195347086160>.

Deadline: Abstracts are due by July 2, 2018. Authors/speakers will be notified of the review decision for acceptance by July 30, 2018.

Contact: Jovan Tatar, University of Delaware, jtatar@udel.edu; and Natassia Brenkus, The Ohio State University, brenkus.4@osu.edu.

Prestressed Concrete with Conventional and Nonconventional Materials

Meeting: Technical session on “Prestressed Concrete with Conventional and Nonconventional Materials” at The ACI Concrete Convention and Exposition – Fall 2019, October 20-24, 2019, Cincinnati, OH; sponsored by ACI Committee 345, Concrete Bridge Construction, Maintenance, and Repair.

Solicited: The special session will focus on the recent advancement of prestressed concrete for bridges and structures using conventional and nonconventional materials. Presentations and technical papers will include the conceptual development of innovative prestressed concrete, laboratory experiments,

numerical modeling, and case studies. State-of-the-art prestressing techniques and nonconventional materials such as fiber-reinforced polymer (FRP) composites to address the sustainable performance of concrete members will also be considered. An ACI Special Publication will be published.

Requirements: 1) Presentation/paper title; 2) author/speaker name(s), title, affiliation, and contact information; and 3) an abstract of 200 words.

Deadlines: Abstracts are due by July 31, 2018; final papers are due by November 30, 2018.

Send to: Yail Jimmy Kim, University of Colorado Denver, e-mail: jimmy.kim@ucdenver.edu; and Hiroshi Mutsuyoshi, Saitama University, e-mail: mutuyosi@mail.saitama-u.ac.jp.

Self-Compacting Concrete and Rheology

Meeting: Ninth International RILEM Symposium on Self-Compacting Concrete (SCC9) and second International RILEM Conference on Rheology and Processing of Construction Materials (RheoCon2), September 8-11, 2019, at Technische Universität Dresden, Dresden, Germany. The event is supported by RILEM, *fib*, ACI, Deutsche Forschungsgesellschaft, Deutsche Rheologische Gesellschaft, and DAfStb.

Solicited: The aim of these two parallel and closely interconnected events is to exchange ideas and experience about the development, testing, and applications of cement-based and other building materials with their specific rheological properties. The SCC9 conference is expected to cover the following topics: material design and materials science; rheology and workability; production and placement; mechanical properties and structural design; durability and sustainability; modeling and numerical simulations; and case studies. Visit <http://tu-dresden.de/bau/ifb> for more information.

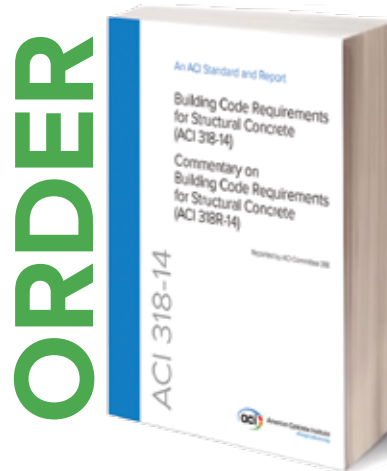
Requirements: Submit abstracts online at <https://tu-dresden.de/bau/ifb/das-institut/news/scc9-rheo2>.

Deadline: Abstracts are due by

October 30, 2018.

Contact: Martina Awassi, Conference Secretary, e-mail: scc9@mailbox.tu-dresden.de.

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