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Background

Concrete Solutions 2019 is the 7th in a series of International Conferences on Concrete Repair. Previous conferences have attracted a wide range of delegates from practitioners to Clients to Academics and Students.

The aim of the event is to inform on the latest methods in concrete repair. Papers are invited on the following themes.

- Patch Repair
- Electrochemical Repair
- Strengthening Materials & Techniques/Repair with Composites
- Surface Protection Methods and Materials
- Repair of Fire Damage
- NDT and Diagnosis of Problems
- In situ Strength Assessment
- Risk Management
- Whole Life Costing
- Surface Protection Methods & Materials
- Repair of Heritage Structures
- Sustainability

Key Dates

Submission of Abstracts 31 July 2018

Notification of Acceptance 30 Nov 2018

Final papers due by Feb 28 2019

Fee GBP	Before 31 May 2019	After 31 May 2019
Author	600	650
Delegate	650	700
Student*	200	250
Enhanced Student*	300	350
Single Day Registration	-	250

*For Students, proof of status will be required

About Istanbul

Historic background

The city today known as Istanbul has been the site of human settlement for approximately three thousand years. The settlement was founded by Thracian tribes between the 13th and 11th centuries BC, whose earliest known name is Lygos. It was colonised by the Greeks in the 7th century BC. It fell to the Roman Republic in AD 196, and was known as Byzantium until 330, when it was renamed Constantinople and made the new capital of the Roman Empire. During late antiquity, the city rose to be the largest of the western world, with a population peaking at close to half a million people. Constantinople was the capital of the Byzantine Empire, which ended with the Muslim conquest in 1453. Constantinople then became the capital of the Ottoman Empire.

Population had declined during the medieval period, but as the Ottoman Empire approached its historical peak, the city grew to a population of close to 700,000 in the 16th century, at the time second in size only to Beijing, China, and outgrown by London, England only in the course of the 18th century. When the Republic of Turkey was founded in 1923, the capital was moved from Constantinople to Ankara. Since 1930, the native name "Istanbul" has been the sole official name of the city in Turkish and has since replaced the traditional name "Constantinople" in most western languages as well.



Istanbul Technical University

Istanbul Technical University (commonly referred to as ITU or Technical University) is an international technical university located in Istanbul, Turkey. It is the world's third-oldest technical university dedicated to engineering sciences as well as social sciences recently, and is one of the most prominent educational institutions in Turkey. ITU is ranked 108th worldwide and 1st nationwide in the field of engineering/technology by THES - QS World University Rankings in 2009. Graduates of Istanbul technical university have received many TUBITAK science and TU-BA awards. Numerous graduates have also become members of the academy of sciences in the U.S.A, Britain and Russia. The university's basketball team, ITUSpor, is in the Turkish Basketball Second League. The university has 39 undergraduate, 144 graduate programs, 13 colleges, 346 labs and 12 research centers. Its student-to-faculty ratio is 12:1.

The Conference

The conference runs over 3 days, with a conference dinner included in the conference fee. The conference provides a good platform to exchange both scientific and practical information in a pleasant workshop-like atmosphere. Papers are peer-reviewed and the Proceedings will be published. Now co-sponsored by RILEM as well as ACI, the UK Concrete Society and the Institute of Concrete Technology, a wide international interest is certain. The student rate is fully inclusive of meals and proceedings on memory stick. Full delegate and author rates include a printed copy of the Proceedings, a PDF copy, all lunches and the conference dinner.

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