

CONFERENCE THEMES

- 1- Low Cost Building Materials
- 2- Novel Applications of Blended Cements
- 3- High Performance Concretes
- 4- Special Concretes
- 5- Applications of nanotechnology in Building Materials
- 6- Structural Elements from Innovative Materials
- 7- Recycling in Building Construction
- 8- Material Science & Microstructural Aspects
- 9- Green Building Materials
- 10- Quality Control in Mega-Structures
- 11- Durability of Novel Building Materials
- 12- Innovative Materials in Repair Applications
- 13- Fracture Mechanics of Innovative Materials
14. Fire Performance of Building Materials
15. Innovations in Concrete Admixtures
16. Geopolymers and Clinker-Free Cements
17. Computer-Aided Material Modeling
18. Sustainability and Environmental Aspects in Construction

VENUE

The conference will be held at the Housing & Building National Research Center (HBRC) of Egypt located in the beautiful Cairo Metropolitan Area. Cairo is located at the apex of the River Nile Delta and it can be reached by international airlines from most major cities in the world. The conference is organized by the Building Materials Research and Quality Control Institute, BMI, of HBRC. HBRC is the largest building research institute in North Africa and the Arab Region. HBRC researchers conduct multidisciplinary research in the areas of structural engineering, mechanics and materials, architectural engineering, mechanical engineering, and environmental engineering as they relate and serve the construction industry. Besides, HBRC is the sole authority in Egypt to author and publish building codes and standards. Learn more about HBRC by visiting <http://www.hbrc.edu.eg>

EXHIBITION

The conference will provide an opportunity for international and local companies to display their latest products, services and projects related to Innovative Building Materials. Interested companies can consult www.hbrc-ibmc.com

IMPORTANT DATES

- Call for Papers	1	May, 2014
- Abstract Deadline	30	May, 2014
- Acceptance of Abstract	15	June, 2014
- Early Bird Registration	25	June, 2014
- Full Paper Deadline	30	August, 2014
- Full Paper Acceptance	30	September, 2014
- Late Registration Deadline	15	October, 2014
- Revised Paper Deadline	20	October, 2014
- Revised Paper Acceptance	10	November, 2014

REGISTRATION

International Delegates

Early Bird \$400 Late Registration \$475 On-site \$550
Students (with valid ID) \$50 Guests \$200

Domestic Delegates

Early Bird 500 EGP Late Registration 650 EGP

On-site 750 EGP

Students (with valid ID) 200 EGP

Guests 250 EGP

Full conference registration fees include proceedings CD, refreshments and lunches for all participants and also a welcoming reception for non-students. Please email conference contacts for registration requests or refer to registration process online at : <http://hbrc-ibmc.com>

PAPER SUBMISSION

Abstracts of no more than 250 words and full papers should be submitted electronically in MS-Word format. Manuscripts should not exceed 12 pages formatted on A4 paper size. The text should include the title, authors' names, affiliations, and their email addresses. Abstract and paper templates are available on the conference website at www.hbrc-ibmc.com

LANGUAGE

The Conference's official language is English. Special Arabic sessions will be arranged for distinguished Arab countries' manuscripts.

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

Selected high quality papers will be published in the Housing & Building National Research Center Journal, published by Elsevier. A reputable publisher will be selected to archive and produce the conference manuscripts that will be internationally indexed at ISTP.

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