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Assunto: Conferência SAHC – 2010

Caros Associados,

Vimos por este meio divulgar a **7th International Conference on Structural Analysis of Historical Constructions** que terá lugar na Universidade Tongji, Xangai, China, nos dias 6 a 8 de Outubro de 2010 (SAHC-2010). Em nome do comité organizador da conferência, convidamos-vos a participar na SAHC-2010 tanto pela submissão de papers como pela Vossa presença. Em anexo enviamos brochura da SAHC-2010.

O tema da conferência será "Strengthening and Retrofitting" e cobrirá diversas áreas, entre as quais:

- restoration and strengthening
- seismic behavior and retrofitting
- development and protection
- inspection and monitoring
- non-destructive testing
- experimental results and laboratory testing
- analytical and numerical approaches
- historical aspects and general methodology
- innovative and traditional materials / technology
- case-studies
- ...

Datas importantes para a SAHC-2010:

- ❖ Submissão do(s) abstract(s): 30 de Setembro de 2009
- ❖ Notificação e aprovação provisória do(s) abstract(s): 30 de Novembro de 2009
- ❖ Entrega do(s) manuscrito(s): 28 de Fevereiro 2010
- ❖ Notificação e aprovação final do(s) manuscrito(s): 30 de Abril 2010
- ❖ Submissão da versão final do(s) manuscrito(s): 15 de Junho de 2010
- ❖ International Symposium: 6 a 8 de Outubro de 2010

Com os melhores cumprimentos,



Ana Luísa Soares Pereira (Eng.)

Lisboa, 20 de Março de 2009

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FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR PAPERS

October 6-8, 2010-Shanghai, China

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Join international experts for the seventh in a series of internal meetings to review the latest research in all aspects of historic buildings.
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Papers are invited for oral and poster presentation at the conference.
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Abstract submission deadline:

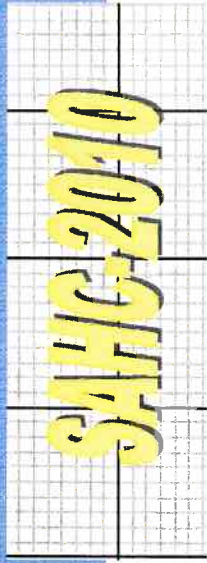
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SAHC-2010 will provide a forum for practitioners and researchers from around the world to exchange views and experiences in future direction and cooperative areas for analysis, protection and reuse of historical constructions. In particular, constructions that are still in regular use will be targeted in this conference. Affected by the load change and material degradation, the buildings need strengthening and retrofitting to meet the requirements of safety, serviceability and durability.

The theme of the conference will focus on "Strengthening and Retrofitting", and allows a broad scope of areas including restoration and strengthening, seismic behavior and retrofitting, development and protection, inspection and monitoring, non-destructive testing, experimental results and laboratory testing, analytical and numerical approaches, historical aspects and general methodology, innovative and traditional materials / technology, case-studies and so on.

The scientific program includes 3 parallel sessions, 1 poster session, and 1 panel over two and half days reflecting the themes of the conference, involving 10 keynote speeches and 4 invited lectures.

Abstracts will be sent to the international scientific committee for review. Papers and posters will be selected from the accepted abstracts and will also be sent to the international scientific committee for review.

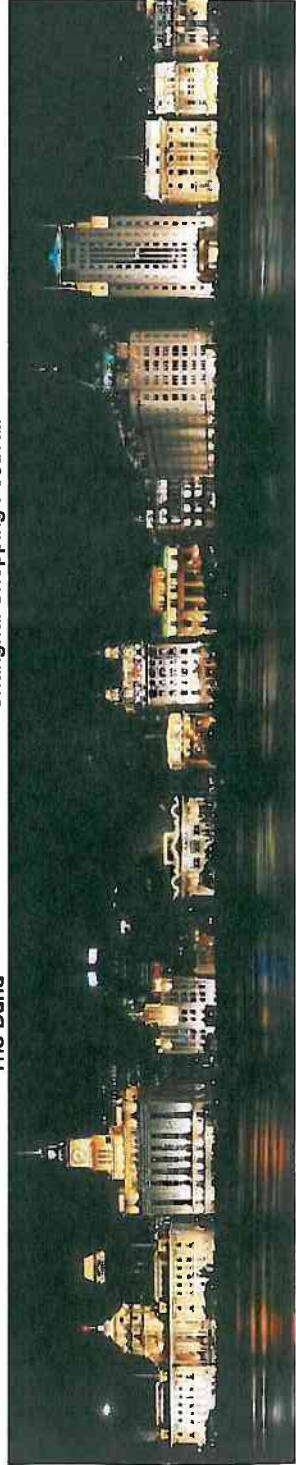


Yuyuan Garden



Zhujiujiao Historical Town

The Bund



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PUBLICATIONS

Proceedings for all the accepted papers will be published officially in books with a CD-Rom inside the book which will be disseminated to the participants and are available for buying after the conference.

REGISTRATION FEE

The registration fee for the conference is set at \$600 for each delegate (early registration), which will cover one copy of proceedings, a welcome reception buffet, lunches, a banquet, and technical visit.

The registration fee for each accompanying person is \$300 entitled to the tours arranged by the conference organization.

Additional sight-seeing tours before and after the conference will be available at additional cost.

LOCATION

SAHC-2010 will be held in Shanghai, China, one of the world's most dynamic cities in the 21st century. China is a land of ancient culture with historical sites dating back to over 5000 years. Like a pearl set in the west coast of the Pacific Ocean, Shanghai is the showcase of China's fast growth and a bonanza of tourist attractions, business opportunities and cultural activities.

Between May to October 2010, Shanghai will be the host of the Expo 2010 World's Fair.

During September to October, the annual Shanghai Tourist Festival offers a huge amount of traditional and not-so-traditional entertainment at venues across the city, and also incorporates the Shanghai Shopping Festival.

Registration Form

7th International Conference on Structural Analysis of Historical Constructions

I am interested in attending the conference and would like to receive the second announcement.

Title: Dr. / Mr. / Mrs. / Miss / Prof. / Other

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Arrival to Fuzhou

The international airport of Fuzhou city is easily reachable from major China cities where is reachable from major hubs in Europe, America and Asia.

- About 70 minutes flight from Shanghai and about ten flights a day;
- One-hour flight from Hong Kong and about eight flights a day;
- One-hour flight from Guangzhou and about five flights a day;
- Two-hour and half flight from Beijing and about ten flights a day.

Bridge Tour

Half-day bridge tours will be conducted the day after the technical presentations to visit the bridges along the Ming River. Details will be provided in the Final Invitation.



Social Program

There will be an attractive social program for participants and accompanying persons. In addition to the welcoming ceremony and gala dinner, accompanying persons will have the opportunity to enjoy a variety of tours of historical and cultural sites in Fuzhou.



Information

For further information, please contact the Secretariat or the Organizing Committee.

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ARCH'10 6th International Conference on Arch Bridges



Fuzhou , China
11-13 October 2010



College of Civil Engineering
Fuzhou University

Introduction

After the great successes of five International Conference on Arch Bridges held in the UK (the 1st, 1995), Italy (the 2nd, 1998), France (the 3rd, Arch'01, 2001), Spain (the 4th, Arch'04, 2004) and Portugal (the 5th, Arch'07, 2007), the 6th conference of the same title (Arch'10) will be held on October 11-13, 2010, in Fuzhou, China, organized by College of Civil Engineering, Fuzhou University.

Arch'10 will bring together academics and practicing engineers to encourage continuing development and promote the effective exchange of new ideas, knowledge, information and experiences in the area of arch bridges.

Important Dates

- July 31, 2009, Deadline for Abstracts
- August 31, 2009, Notification of Acceptance of Abstracts
- December 31, 2009, Deadline for submitting full papers
- April 30, 2010, Deadline for submitting revised papers
- October 11-13, 2010, Conference

Scientific Program-Topics

- Modern Arch Bridges and Future Trends
- Investigation of Historical Arch Bridges
- Structural Analysis and Experimental Studies
- Planning and Design of Arch Bridges
- Construction Techniques
- Inspection, Appraisal, Repairs and Strengthening of Existing Arch Bridges

Call for Papers

Those who are interested in arch bridges are invited to submit abstracts in electronic form by e-mail before July 31, 2009 to the Secretariat of Conference: arch10@arch-bridges.cn.

Abstracts are to be written in English with 200--300 words and submitted in Word format. Include the full address, telephone, fax numbers and email address of the author(s).

The Secretariat of Conference will acknowledge the receipt of each abstract. Authors of accepted abstracts will receive the guidelines for preparing conference papers.

Registration Fee

Early registration fee (until May 31, 2010):300 Euro

Late registration fee (after May 31, 2010):360 Euro. The fee will cover a copy of conference proceedings, admission to all technical sessions, welcome reception, lunches, coffee services during session breaks and conference banquet.

Bona fide students or PhD students will enjoy 50% reduction of the fee. Accompanying persons' (family members) registration fee is 120 Euro, including admission to technical sessions, lunches, and reception & banquet tickets.

Organization Committee

Bao-Chun Chen (Fuzhou University), President
Jian-gang Wei (Fuzhou University)
Qing-xiong Wu (Fuzhou University)
Bruno Briseghella (Fuzhou University)

Language

English will be the official language of the Conference.

Fuzhou City

Fuzhou City is the capital of Fujian Province, situated in the north-eastern part of the Province, faces the island of Taiwan. With a history longer than 2200 years, the city is renowned for many banyans, hot springs, tea production in China. Fuzhou has a subtropical monsoon climate. The annual temperature averages about 19.6 degree Celsius. The best time for travel is from April to November. The conference days in October is the most comfortable time in Fuzhou, the temperature is about 25 degree Celsius, and not in raining season.

The city is prosperous in culture, many celebrated figures from Chinese history also hailed from this land, and thus, the birth of heroes also brings glory to such a place. There are many arts related industries represented, including the Three Treasures of Fuzhou (lacquer work, stone sculpting and cork cutting), a featured dining culture, and also traditional arts including Min Opera, etc. which still take an important role in today's Chinese culture.

Fuzhou is a tourist city that boasts both natural and manmade sights. The city has many famous mountains, temples, tombs, gardens, pagodas, such as Mt.Gu, Mt. Qi. Yongquan Temple, Xichan Temple, Lin Zexu Tomb, West Lake Garden, White Pagoda and Wu Pogoda. You may find that there are far too many things to see here in one short trip.