

International Society for Concrete Pavements

Greetings from the President





















Welcome to our annual meeting and to Washington D.C.! We expect a very productive meeting with key discussions on collaborative efforts with EUPAVE and regional concrete pavement organizations in Australia, Brazil and China. We will also discuss changes in ISCP policy (a result of the Strategic Planning meeting held last August in South Africa) that will require that individual board members to play a greater role in the management of the Society while enhancing its capability to meet its mission goals.

We have added 3 new committees to the Society organization (Membership, Activities and Technology Transfer) and all Board members must now actively serve on at least one standing committee. Regular members are encouraged to serve on these committees as well. We are also looking for a number of members to serve as regional coordinators throughout the world to support and promote ISCP activities on a local basis. The successes of these efforts will depend heavily upon the efforts of the coordinators and committee members, but we are confident the our members will continue to step up to the challenges, as they did in the recently completed international workshops in South Africa, Brazil and China. The successes of these events demonstrate a high level of interest in the Society and a desire within the concrete pavement community worldwide to interact and assist ISCP in transferring concrete pavement technology.

The executive committee is appreciative of the work that was accomplished by ISCP's members over the past year, but recognizes that there is much we need to accomplish in the near future, especially with the 9th Conference on the horizon. Members interested in working on any ISCP event, activity or committee should contact an officer for more details. Best wishes to everyone for 2008!

New ISCP Honorary Members

Dr. L.R. Kadiyali and Professor Willy Wilk were recently named the latest Honorary Members of ISCP and will be formally inducted into honorary membership at the January 12 Board and Membership Meeting. A complete list of Honorary Members is available at www.concretepavements.org.



Dr. Kadiyali earned a Ph.D. in Civil Engineering in India and has since accumulated more than forty years of experience in Highway Engineering, including approximately 30 years in the service of the India Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (eventually rising to the position of Chief Engineer), where he dealt with the planning, improvement and maintenance of the country's National Highway system. Dr. Kadiyali has pioneered the cause for the introduction of cement concrete roads in India since 1985. As a result of his persistent efforts, several projects adopting concrete pavements were taken up in India during the last 15 years. He has been an adviser to the Cement Manufacturers' Association, and has authored several publications dealing with various aspects of concrete pavements that have been

widely adopted by India's pavement engineering community. L.R. has also served as the Convenor of the Rigid Pavement Committee of the Indian Roads Congress for the past six years.

Professor Wilk began his professional career as a structural engineer for consulting companies dealing with pavements and bridges for highways and railways. During the period 1970-1994, Mr. Wilk was the Manager-Director of the TFB (Portland Cement Association of Switzerland). He also served as the Technical Director of the enterprise Betonstrasse AG (i.e., Roads in Concrete, Inc.), which was formerly the Centre for Research, Development and Consulting in Concrete Technology, an arm of the Swiss Cement Industry that served as a concrete pavement technology reference for Switzerland and other European countries. From 1971 to 1995, Professor Wilk also served the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, first as a lecturer (1971 to 1986) before achieving the position of Honorary Professor in 1986



and becoming the professor of Concrete Bridges and Pavements until his retirement in 1995.

9th International Conference on Concrete Pavements



The Ninth International Conference on Concrete Pavements will be held in California at the San Francisco Marriott on August 17-21, 2008. As with the previous international conferences, the focus of the ninth conference will be to present information on new technologies related to the design, construction, and rehabilitation of various types of concrete pavements. The theme of the conference is: The Golden Gate to Tomorrow's Concrete Pavements.

Papers solicitations are now being accepted (deadline of February 1, 2008). Online registration and more information on the 9th International Conference is available at www.concretepavements.org/9thiccp/.

Announcing Student Poster Board Competition at the 9th International Conference on Concrete Pavements

The International Society for Concrete Pavements is proud to announce a Student Poster Board Competition to be held at the 9th International Conference for Concrete Pavements in San Francisco, California, USA. Students are highly encouraged to submit a poster on their research progress in areas such as innovative technologies in concrete pavement design, construction, materials, maintenance, performance, evaluation, rehabilitation, asset management, and more.

Preliminary poster submittals must be received for an initial technical review by May 1, at which time they will be rated on a 1 - 5 scale in each of the following areas: overall effectiveness, technical content, conclusions, visual impact and quality. Posters receiving a preliminary rating of 15 or better will be eligible to receive one student conference fee waiver per poster (value of US\$350 - 450).

The best student poster presentation at conference session will be awarded the B.F. McCullough Award. At least one student author must be present at the Conference during judging because Conference judging will also consider the students' abilities to positively influence the audience and facilitate questions.

Some local ACPA chapters and affiliates have expressed a willingness to defray travel costs for participating students. Potential competitors should contact their local ACPA chapter or affiliate (or other industry groups) to determine whether they are participating in the program or not.

For more information on this competition, please visit the ISCP website at www.concretepavements.org or contact Elin Jensen at Jensen@ltu.edu.

ISCP Membership Application

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Employer or Affiliation:				
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Telephone Number: FA		X:		
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Members: \$50 per year Full-Time Employees of Member Organizations: \$30 per year				
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