

15 – 19 September 2008
Gaspra (Yalta), Ukraine



Organising institution:
Prydniprovsk State Academy
of Civil Engineering and
Architecture,
Ukraine, 49600,
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SIXTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON INNOVATIONS IN LIFE CYCLE MANAGEMENT FOR STRUCTURES

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OVERVIEW

The conference is dedicated to sharing experience in the theory and practice of reliability, ageing, and life cycle management of public, industrial and transportation structures. A special accent is being made on innovational technologies and materials for the Civil/Structural Engineering field.

The conference is held in the sea resort of Gaspra in the heart of the South Crimean Shore, Ukraine's most beautiful recreational shoreline between the Black Sea and the Crimean Mountains.

OBJECTIVE

The aim is to bring together civil and structural engineering specialists, scientists and researchers from Eastern Europe and worldwide to share knowledge on actual problems in life cycle management, condition assessment, nuclear safety, structural reliability and other topics.

THEMATIC SESSIONS

1. Non-destructing testing equipment for multi-disciplinary control of structures' properties.
2. Structural reliability methods. Practical aspects of reliability analysis. Safety and durability of materials and structures subjected to external loads and internal processes.
3. Monitoring and ageing management of nuclear engineering structures.
4. Sustainable development of Ukraine.
5. Repair and reconstruction technologies and materials for public buildings, civil and industrial structures.
6. Innovations in the modern construction.
7. Environmental problems in the development of civil engineering technology.

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE AND DEADLINES

- 01 August 2008** – deadline for application and papers submission.
31 August 2008 – schedule notification.
15 September 2008 – conference registration.
15-19 September 2008 – conference open.

STEERING COMMITTEE / CONTACTS

The organising body is the Prydniprovsk State Academy for Civil Engineering and Architecture (PSACEA), located in Dnipropetrovsk, Ukraine. The contact persons at PSACEA are specified below.

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ATTENDANCE FEES

The following participation fees include hotel accommodation for the whole stay from 8:00 15 Sep 2008 to 8:00 20 Sep 2008, full pension (three meals served per day), publication of applicant's paper in conference proceedings, and conference dinner. Fees are given per one person, amounts in EUR and USD are for information only and depend on currency exchange rate.

Accommodation in shared 2 person room - 2800 UAH (\$555.- or €360.-);

Accommodation in shared 2 person suite - 3500 UAH (\$695.- or €450.-);

Accommodation in single room - 4300 UAH (\$855.- or €555.-);

Accommodation in single suite - 5400 UAH (\$1069.- or €695.-).

Currently, participants from abroad are expected to pay the whole amount in cash upon arrival.

SUBMITTING AN APPLICATION

Applicants are invited to present papers on the conference. **Submitting a paper is optional**, however. The papers submitted by attendees will be published in the Conference Proceedings. Conference fee includes getting a copy of the proceedings.

Please send an e-mail with your application to Alexander Bausk (bauskas@gmail.com).

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