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Forthcoming Meeting / CIB Co-Sponsored

International Built & Human Environment
Research Week (April 3rd - 7th 2006)

Venue:
Delft University of Technology
and TNO, Delft, The Netherlands

3rd International SCRI Research Symposium - April 3rd - 4th
SCRI Industry Day - April 5th
6th International Postgraduate Research Conference - April 6th - 7th

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3rd SCRI Symposium, April 3rd - 4th

The third International Built & Human Research Week (April 3rd-7th 2006) will bring together worldwide practitioners, leading researchers, and postgraduates

with showcasing state of the art research, innovation, and industry practice at all levels and in all processes in the built and human environment.

The week consists of:

- 3rd SCRI Symposium - April 3rd - 4th
- SCRI Industry Day - April 5th

• **6th International Postgraduate Research Conference - April 6th - 7th**

Further details of each are contained within the flyer and delegates may choose to register for each individually for the complete week.

This event is jointly organised by the 6* (RAE rated) Research Institute for the Built & Human Environment (BuHu), The School of Construction & Property Management (SCPM), the EPSRC funded Salford Centre for Research & Innovation (SCRI) at the University of Salford, The Faculties of Civil Engineering and Geosciences and Architecture of Delft University of Technology, and TNO in Delft, the Netherlands.

With contributions by internationally renowned keynote speakers we look forward to welcoming you to an interesting, informative and hugely stimulating week of presentations and discussions.

- Prof Ghassan Aouad (Conference co-chair)
- Prof Les Ruddock (Conference co-chair)
- Prof Hennes de Ridder (Conference co-chair)
- Prof Hans de Jonge (Conference co-chair)

The Symposium will be of interest to researchers and practitioners wishing to learn from cutting edge current international research and to discuss new developments and future research aimed at the successful application of research output to construction practice.

The symposium will bring together an international audience with a wealth of research and experience covering all aspects of the built and human environment.

The aim of this symposium is to stimulate the academic and industrial communities through presentations and discussions complemented by keynote addresses from leading international speakers.

Original contributions are invited for a range of topics, which include, but are not limited to, design and construction management; value and life cycle management; utilisation of information technology enabling; technology transfer and diffusion; procurement; supply chain management; risk management; requirements capture and product specifications; health and safety; simulation and visualisation; organisation of work and teamwork; integration strategies; knowledge management in construction; people and technology maturity; nD modelling; off-site manufacturing / construction and facilities management.

Keynote Speakers SCRI Symposium

Early Registration – Sunday 2nd of April

- Hennes de Ridder – Professor at Delft University of Technology

SCRI Symposium – Monday 3rd of April

- Hans van Luijk – Chairman of Delft University of Technology
- Ghassan Aouad – Head of School of Construction and Property Management, University of Salford,
- Piet van Staalduinen – Director of TNO Built Environment and Geosciences and member of CIB Board
- Peter Barrett – Pro Vice Chancellor of Research, University of Salford and member of CIB Board
- Wim Bakens – CIB Secretary General

SCRI Symposium – Tuesday 4th of April

- Ghassan Aouad – Head of School of Construction and Property Management, University of Salford
- Hans de Jonge – Professor at TU Delft
- Roger Flanagan – Professor at Reading
- Brian Atkin – Atkin Research and Development and Lund University, Sweden and member of PSIBouw International Advisory Board
- Peter Brandon – Director of Strategic Programme, Vice Chairman of the RICS Research Foundation (to be confirmed)

SCRI Industry Day - April 5th

The industry day will be of interest to practitioners and academics alike wishing to learn from the best current practice, discuss the future challenges of the industry, and to better understand how to meet these challenges and jointly develop more effective innovation of genuinely practical value.

In response to this challenge, the Industry Day brings together leading politicians, researchers and practitioners from The Netherlands, the UK, and beyond, who will outline the challenges and the national innovation agenda in The Netherlands, present world class examples of successful innovation, and demonstrate effective collaboration between research and industry.

Keynotes by key representatives from the Dutch national Construction Taskforce 'Regieraad Bouw', and the Dutch national Construction Innovation Programme 'PSIBouw', and presentations by leading researchers and practitioners will set the scene and illustrate current innovations and emerging future trends relating to novel strategies, management principles and other topics relevant to the innovation of the industry.

The day will be interactive so that during breakout sessions and a panel debate delegates will network and share the learning points of the day by discussing the examples presented, and the implications of successful innovation strategies in their organisations and the industry in general.

Keynote Speakers Industry Day

- Hans de Jonge – Professor at Delft University of Technology
- Peter Barrett - Pro Vice Chancellor of Research, University of Salford and member of CIB Board
- Hennes de Ridder (Chairing) - Professor at Delft University of Technology
- Jan Hovers - Chairman of Regieraad Bouw, Dutch 'Construction Taskforce'
- Herman Hazewinkel – Chairman of PSIBouw
- Bob White – Chairman of Constructing Excellence

6th International Postgraduate Research Conference - April 6th - 7th

The Research Institute for the Built and Human Environment is organising its 6th International Conference for Postgraduates Researching (as part of DELFT06 - International Built and Human Environment Research Week) in the field of the built and human environment. This year's conference will provide a stimulating and supportive environment for built environment postgraduates to present their research and meet other researchers working in similar fields. The content of papers can reflect any aspect of research being undertaken by a postgraduate at any stage of his/her study. Researchers will have the opportunity to gain valuable feedback and contacts, as well as gain an insight into current international research in their field.

Conference Themes - Call for Papers

All postgraduate research students are invited to submit papers jointly with their supervisor. Papers will only be accepted on the basis that the postgraduate will attend the conference. The content of the papers can reflect any aspect of research being undertaken and at any stage of his/her study. A scientific committee will review papers and all successful papers will be published in the conference proceedings.

Papers relating to but not limited to the following themes are welcome:

- Architectural Design
- Building Services
- Construction Management
- Construction Economics
- Design and Construction Processes
- Education in the Built Environment
- Environmental Systems
- Facilities Management
- Health & Safety
- Housing and Planning
- Information Systems
- Infrastructure Engineering
- IT application
- Knowledge Management

- Law and Procurement
- Organisation Management
- Performance Management
- Property Management
- Real Estate
- Research Methodology
- Risk Management
- Supply Chain Management
- Sustainability
- Technology Transfer
- Town and Country Planning
- Transport
- Urban Regeneration
- Visualisation Techniques

Keynote Speakers Postgraduate Research Conference

International Postgraduate Research Conference – Thursday 6th April

- Matthijs Prins – Assistant Professor at Delft University of Technology
- Les Ruddock – Associate Dean of Research, University of Salford

International Postgraduate Research Conference – Friday 7th April

- Mel Lees - Deputy Director of CEBE / Programme Director MSc Project Management/ Director of Postgraduate Studies

Registration Fees

SCRI Industry Day only - £110
SCRI Symposium only - £260

6th International Post Graduate Conference only - £160
Full week package - £500
Student Packages - for registered students only
Industry Day £55
SCRI Symposium £160
6th International Post Graduate Conference £160
Student package whole week £300
(All packages include proceedings, refreshments, lunch, and conference dinner)

Details of how to register and a registration form can be found at the conference website:
www.irw.buhu.salford.ac.uk/

Important Dates

Abstract submission by:	November 7 th 2005
Full paper submission by:	December 14 th 2005
Camera ready paper by:	February 14 th 2006

To submit an abstract and paper for - 3rd International SCRI Research Symposium - April 3rd - 4th please send an email with your abstract attached to:



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Please use the website above to submit an abstract
for the 6th international postgraduate research
conference. Please e-mail your filled form to:

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