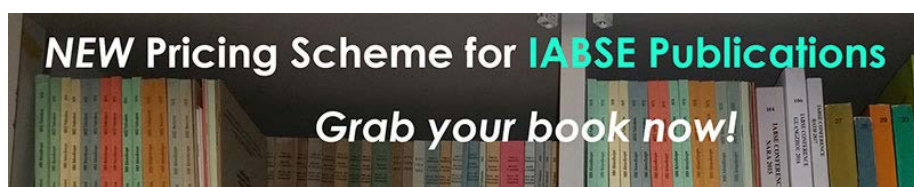


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39th IABSE Symposium Vancouver 2017

Engineering the Future - September 21-23, 2017

The **Final Draft of the Presentation Schedule** for the upcoming IABSE Symposium in Vancouver is now available [here...](#)

At this promising event 400 presentations will be organised into plenary talks, parallel sessions and panel sessions. It will also feature an innovative format of Interactive Poster Sessions: short oral presentations followed by direct discussion with the poster authors. **Keynote Speakers:** Ron Eguchi, Yaojun Ge, Peter Irwin and Michele Calvi.

Preceding the Symposium, workshops led by internationally renowned engineers will be hosted: Seismic Engineering; Timber Engineering; Forensics, and a special design-oriented workshop for Young Engineers on Bridge Dynamics. Register early to avoid disappointment.

Visit www.iabse2017.org for more details.

Latest News

Permanent Committee Meeting:
Agenda now online in [Members Area](#)

UNESCO plaque unveiled for the Forth Bridge



Important Dates

IABSE Vancouver 2017
'Engineering the Future'
September 21-23, 2017

IABSE Kuala Lumpur 2018
'Engineering the Developing World'
April 25-27, 2018

IABSE Nantes 2018
'Tomorrow's Megastructures'
Deadline Call for Abstracts:
September 15, 2017

IABSE Guimaraes 2019
'Towards a Resilient Built Environment
Risk and Asset Management'
March 27-29, 2019



Preliminary Invitation and Call for Papers

40th IABSE Symposium Nantes 2018

Tomorrow's Megastructures, September 19-21, 2018

Submission of Abstracts by: **September 15, 2017**

The Symposium on Tomorrow's Megastructures will be held in Nantes and is organised by the French Group of IABSE in cooperation with the French Association of Civil Engineering (AFGC). Join the discussion and share your experience with today's megastructures and present your vision about those of tomorrow - and more broadly: your prospect for future outstanding structures.

In order to present a paper, submit your abstract online by September 15, 2017, in accordance with the following **Themes and Topics**:

- Megastructures: a radical paradigm shift or simply a change of scale?
- Today's and tomorrow's megastructures and megaprojects
- New trends for innovations in the construction, the preservation, the exploitation and the upgrading of structures.

For more information please visit: www.iabse.org/Nantes2018

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Agenda Permanent Committee Meeting 2017

The Agenda for the 83rd Meeting of the Permanent Committee of IABSE, September 20, 2017, is now available in the Members Area.



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News from Collective Members



Ramboll to help build Denmark's tallest building.

Ramboll has been chosen as consulting engineer for leading international fashion company 'Bestseller'. A 210m high hotel is the centrepiece of new headquarters for 'Bestseller' in its hometown in Brande, Denmark. A 60,000m² facility will house retail shops for the company's clothing brands, as well as offices and a high-rise hotel with a conference centre. Ramboll will be responsible for all design engineering and design management. As part of the project, they will make use of their strong international expertise in high-rise buildings, and draw on specialists from Singapore, Dubai, London and Glasgow. [more..](#)



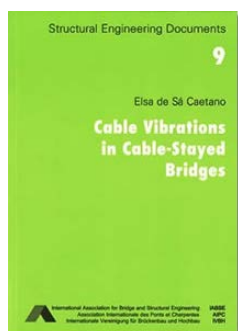
Parsons awarded contract for world's longest suspension bridge.

Parsons in a joint venture with Tekfen Engineering, has won the engineering consultancy, construction support, and construction supervision /inspection services contract for the world's longest suspension bridge being built in Turkey. The contract covers the 1915 Çanakkale Bridge - Malkara-Çanakkale Motorway. Parsons will also provide the Turkish Directorate of Highways (KGM) staff with technology transfer in the design and construction of suspension bridges. The new bridge will have a record-setting 2,023m main span, the figure which represents both the expected opening date of 2023, as well as the centennial of the Turkish Republic [more..](#)

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Cable Vibrations in Cable-Stayed Bridges



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The International Symposium on the Dynamics and Aerodynamics of Cables (ISDAC 2017) will be held on October 30-31, 2017 at the campus of the Faculty of Engineering of the University of Porto (FEUP) in Porto, Portugal. ISDAC 2017 is dedicated to researchers, engineers, developers, operators and students from diverse engineering fields (mechanical, electrical engineering, civil, off shore engineering, etc.). The Symposium will address topics related to power lines, guyed masts, cable-supported bridges, marine structures, etc., [more..](#)



IALCCE 2018

The sixth International symposium on Life-Cycle Civil Engineering 2018 will be held in Ghent from October 28 to 31, 2018. The mission of IALCCE 2018 is to bring together all cutting edge research in the field of Life-Cycle Civil Engineering and so to advance both the state-of-the-art and state-of-practice in the field. This event is organised on behalf of the International Association for Life-Cycle Civil Engineering (IALCCE) under the auspices of Ghent University. Robby Caspeele, Luc Taerwe and Dan M. Frangopol will serve as Symposium Chairs, [more..](#)



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The 12th fib International PhD Symposium in Civil Engineering will be held at the Faculty of Civil Engineering, Czech Technical University in Prague from August 29 to 31, 2018. For more information and submission of abstracts please visit: <http://phdsymp2018.eu/index.php>



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