

POST CONFERENCE TECHNICAL VISIT

A post conference technical visit will be organised to Jin Mao Building and World Financial Center in Shanghai on 10 December 2005 at a charge of HK\$400 (excluding travelling and accommodation costs). Further details will be announced later.

CONFERENCE FEE

Regular Participants:	Early Bird Registration (on or before 30.9.05)	HKD3500
	Standard Registration (after 30.9.05)	HKD3900

Full-time Students:	HKD1950*
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The registration fee for regular participants includes admission to all technical programmes, including the mini symposia, one copy of the proceedings, coffee breaks and lunches during the conference period, welcoming reception and conference dinner.

**Full time students are required to submit a copy of their Student I.D. card with their registration form for verification.*

Student registration does NOT include the welcoming reception and conference dinner.

REGISTRATION

The conference registration form can be downloaded from the conference website at <http://www.hku.hk/civil/conference/ictb6/>

VENUE

The conference will be held at the Kowloon Shangri-La Hotel, Hong Kong.

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

English will be used in all presentations and conference proceedings.

SPONSORS

We would like to thank The Croucher Foundation for their generous sponsorship of the conference.

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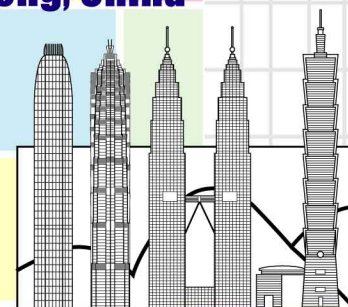
6th International Conference on Tall Buildings (ICTB-VI)

Mini Symposium on Sustainable Cities [MS-SC]

Mini Symposium on Planning, Design and Socio-Economic Aspects of Tall Residential Living Environment [MS-PDTRLE]

Second Announcement

6 - 8 December 2005 
Hong Kong, China



ICTB-VI

Organisers



The University of Hong Kong



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China Academy of Building Research

AIMS OF THE CONFERENCE

Since the last Tall Buildings Conference held in 1998, several landmark skyscrapers like the Taipei 101, Petronas Twin Tower, Jin Mao Building, Two International Finance Centre, etc. have been built in the Asia-Pacific rim showcasing boundless ground-breaking planning, architectural, structural and building services concepts; innovative construction techniques; new materials; and novel analytical approaches. Experience gained from designing and constructing tall commercial buildings has now been transferred to high-rise residential properties, e.g. the 72-storey Harbourfront Landmark in Hong Kong. It is timely to organise another International Conference on Tall Buildings to allow experts and researchers from all around the world to share/disseminate information pertinent to the latest practice, lessons learnt, and research ideas/outcomes of tall buildings. Like other previous successful conferences in the series, the 6th International Conference on Tall Buildings (ICTB-VI) is founded on a series of prevailing topics ranging from innovative and sustainable design/construction aspects to social-economic issues of occupants. The conference, therefore, provides a forum for all construction stakeholders to exchange ideas on how to further advance the development and management of tall buildings so as to fulfil the needs of the society, clients, and end-users.

MINI SYMPOSIA

Mini Symposium on Sustainable Cities (MS-SC)
Sustaining any desirable dimension of a compact modern city over a long time horizon is a challenge to policy makers, practitioners and academics. This mini symposium aims at providing a venue for the dissemination of information, experience and research findings with regard to sustainability involving tall buildings.

Mini Symposium on Planning, Design and Socio-Economic Aspects of Tall Residential Living Environment (MS-PDTRLE)

The building of tall residential buildings is a rising trend all over the world. These buildings create different conditions in the planning, design, construction and management of human dwelling. This mini symposium is to review and share emerging knowledge about the planning, design and socio-economic aspects of tall residential living environment.

GUESTS OF HONOUR

Professor Huang Wei	Vice Minister Ministry of Construction, China
Professor Lap-Chee Tsui	Vice Chancellor The University of Hong Kong Hong Kong, China
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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

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Professor Max Fordham	Max Fordham LLP, UK
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Professor Wang Tiehong	Ministry of Construction, China

THEME SPEAKERS

Mr. Thomas H K Ho	Mass Transit Railway Corporation Hong Kong, China
Mr. Marco M H Wu	Buildings Department Govt of HKSAR, Hong Kong, China
Dr. Belinda Yuen	National University of Singapore Singapore

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

The Conference will cover all the major disciplines one can think of in tall building planning, design and construction. It will benefit architects, structural engineers, building services engineers and environmental engineers, planners, surveyors, facility/property managers and project managers in government, the private sector and large corporations. The conference will also be useful for contractors, developers and academics.

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	Planning Department
	Research Group on Sustainable Cities, HKU

	The Association of Consulting Engineers of Hong Kong
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	The Hong Kong Institution of Engineers
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	The Institution of Electrical Engineers Hong Kong
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