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5th International Conference on Civil Engineering for Sustainable Development

7 - 9 February, 2020
Khulna, Bangladesh

Organized by
Department of Civil Engineering
Khulna University of Engineering & Technology (KUET)
Khulna, Bangladesh

In Association with

Accommodation & Transportation

Accommodations will be reserved for delegates on request at standard hotels in the Khulna city and scheduled transportation facilities from those hotels to the conference venue will be available. Further information about the hotels and transportation schedule will be published on the conference website.

Sightseeing & Post-Conference

Post-conference tours will be arranged for the interested participants to the local historical places (Mongla Seaport, Bagerhat Shat-Gombuj Mosque and Khanjanah Ali (R.) Mazar etc.) and to the world's largest Mangrove forest (The Sundarbans) as well. Details of the tour will be announced later on the conference website.
Welcome to the 5th consecutive event of the International Conference on Civil Engineering for Sustainable Development (ICCESD 2020) organized by the Department of Civil Engineering, Khulna University of Engineering & Technology (KUET), Khulna, Bangladesh. The 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th events of the ICCESD conference were held in 2012, 2014, 2016 and 2018, respectively, and received more than 200 delegates from all around the world in each event. ICCESD aims to provide a platform for exchanging ideas on latest advances in research and innovations, as well as state-of-the-art information in the fields of Civil Engineering among Academicians, Scientists, Researchers and Civil Engineering Practitioners.

The Organizing Committee invites academics, engineers, architects, researchers and developers to present paper(s) and/or participate in the conference. The success and achievement gained in the previous ICCESD conferences have been remarkable and we are confident that this ICCESD 2020 will bring significant benefits to the participants too.

Conference Themes

The ICCESD 2020 conference focuses on a wide range of issues of Civil Engineering to enhance the knowledge-base, increase awareness, explore new ideas and thinking. The technical sessions will consist of plenary and keynote lectures, in which both the leading experts and young researchers will present state-of-the-art reviews of rapidly-developing and exciting areas, report the latest significant findings and developments in all the major fields of Civil Engineering as follows:

- Structural and Earthquake Engineering
- Geotechnical and Geological Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Transportation Planning and Traffic Management
- Water Resources Engineering
- Construction Engineering and Management
- Fire Safety Engineering

Abstract Submission

An abstract, within a maximum of 250 words should be submitted electronically at the conference website (www.iccesd.com).

The abstract should state briefly the purpose of the research, with a maximum of five (05) keywords. All contributing authors should be listed with their affiliations and email addresses and with the indication of the corresponding author with full postal address.

Proceedings

Author(s), of accepted abstracts, need to submit a two-page executive summary and a full paper in the specified templates. Accepted articles will be published in two forms—the executive summaries will be published as hard-copy (printed books) and the full papers will be published as an e-copy proceedings. The e-copy proceedings will be available at the conference website and to major online search engines.

Distinguished articles (among the presented papers in the conference) will be published in a special issue of the Journal of Engineering Science (JES) of KUET following a peer-review process.

Official Languages

The official language of the conference is English. All submissions, presentations and discussions shall be in English.

Key Dates

- **Abstract Submission Deadline**: July 31, 2019
- **Abstract Acceptance Notification**: August 31, 2019
- **Full Paper Submission Deadline**: October 31, 2019
- **Paper Acceptance Notification**: November 30, 2019
- **Full Paper Camera Ready Version Submission**: December 10, 2019
- **Registration Deadline**: January 10, 2020
- **Conference Days**: February 7 – 9, 2020

Registration

Registration is mandatory, by paying the required amount of registration fees, within the specified deadline (10 January, 2020) to participate in the conference as well as to publish the executive summary and full paper in the conference proceedings. Current students need to submit a document issued by the Head/Chairman of the respective department on Official Letterhead as a Proof of Current Studentship at the Registration/Reporting Desk during the Conference.

Fees

- **International Delegates**: USD 200
- **Delegates from SAARC Countries**: USD 100
- **Local Delegates**: BDT 4,000
- **Local Students**: BDT 2,000
- **Accompanying Person**: BDT 2,000

The registration fee covers publication in the proceedings, refreshments, lunches and conference dinner during the conference days.

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