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1. Job Vacancy at Princeton University

Princeton University, Assistant Professorship. The Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering at Princeton University invites applications for a tenure track appointment at the assistant professor level, with the potential to be jointly appointed within the Andlinger Center for Energy and the Environment. Review of applications will begin December 14, 2012. [More information..](#)

2. The 18th IABSE Congress Seoul A Great Success!

Taifun Sanba hit Seoul just two days before the Congress, but did not prevent participants from travelling to Seoul. Messrs Sung-Pil Chang, Chair of the Organising Committee, Hyun-Moo Koh, Chair of the Scientific Committee and Won Do Yup, Minister of Land, Transportation and Maritime Affairs welcomed 623 participants (incl. 134 young engineers) from 45 countries to a very successful event. During three days delegates discussed on ways to create sustainable urban infrastructures and environments.

175 papers were presented in 25 technical sessions, and 66 papers were presented in four poster sessions. 30 presentations were given in four Special Sessions with the main topics: The Design and Construction of Yi Sun-Sin Bridge; The Immersed Tunnel of Busan-Geoje Fixed Link; The West Gate Bridge Strengthening Project, and High-Performance Steel for Construction.

The Congress Report collects five Keynote Lectures and 274 contributions. Members can order the book with USB flash drive for CHF 90 (incl. mailing costs) online: www.iabse.org/onlineshop

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3. Awards 2012 Presented

Predrag Popovic, President of IABSE, conferred following Awards at the Annual

Meetings and 18th IABSE Congress in Seoul:

- Honorary Membership to Gilson Marchesini, Brazil
- The International Award of Merit to Hai-Fan Xiang, China
- IABSE Prize to João Ramôa Correia, Portugal
- Outstanding Paper Award, in the category 'Technical Report' to Peter. Ch. Mulqueen, New Zealand
- Outstanding Paper Award in the category 'Scientific Paper' to Walter Kaufmann and Manuel Alavarez, Switzerland.

Posters of the Outstanding Structure Award 2012 were presented throughout the Congress:

OStrA Winner: Estadio de la Plata, Buenos Aires, Argentina

OStrA Finalists: Busan-Geoje Fixed Link, Busan, Korea and Xihoumen Bridge, Zhoushan, China.

Tobia Zordan, Chair of the Foundation Council, conferred the Anton Tedesko Medal to:

- Paul Grundy, Emeritus Professor of Civil Engineering, Monash University, Australia.

For more information, download the IABSE Awards 2012 brochure [here..](#)

[Photos..](#)

4. Outstanding Contributions by Young Engineers

Two Young Engineers were awarded for their outstanding papers presented at the Congress with a diploma and a money prize of CHF 2'500 each, sponsored by the IABSE Fellows:

- **Frederik Teworte, Germany**

'Non Fatigue of Prestressed Concrete Beams with low Shear Reinforcement Ratios - Experimental Investigations'

- **Kermin Chok, Singapore**

'The Role of CFD in the Conceptual Design of High Rise Buildings'.

[Photos ..](#)

5. Annual Meetings held from September 16-19

157 delegates and 24 Accompanying Persons attended the Annual Meetings of IABSE in Seoul from September 16-18, 2012.

The Permanent Committee elected David A. Nethercot, Emeritus Professor of Civil Engineering, Imperial College, London, UK, as the next President of IABSE. After serving one year as President-Elect, he will succeed Predrag Popovic next year, on November 1, 2013. David A. Nethercot is a member of IABSE since 1986 and has served on numerous IABSE Committees. He is currently a Vice-President of IABSE, a member of the Administrative and Executive

Committees, Member of the SEI Advisory Board, and Chair of the British Group of IABSE.

Apart from the usual Committee Meetings, Chairs of the National Groups gathered for two half-days to discuss the findings of the Association's Strategy Task Group and exchange views on the future of IABSE and opportunities offered by the new strategy.

Read more about this in the November issue of SEI 2012.

6. News from The National Groups

United Kingdom - The Young Engineer's Conference 'Future of Design' held on September 13, 2012, combined the Young Engineers Conference of the British Group of IABSE and the Kenneth Kemp Seminar of the Institution of Structural Engineers. More than a hundred congregated at University College London and the young engineers, led by Lee Frank and Jamuna Al-Zubaidi, had assembled an impressive array of leaders and thinkers from the profession. [Read more..](#)

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7. IABSE Photo Wall Calendar - Last Chance to Order!

The IABSE Calendar 2013 with a beautiful photo for each month can be ordered online until **October 26, 2012**. The Calendar makes an excellent Christmas gift, it will be mailed on November 8, 2012. [More information..](#)

8. Calendar of Events

2012

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October 25-26, 2012, Düsseldorf, Germany, 'Engineered Transparency - International Conference at Glasstec'. [More..](#)

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October 31-November 3, 2012, San Francisco, USA, 'ASCE 6th Congress on Forensic Engineering'. [More..](#)

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November 15-18, 2012, Shanghai, China, 'IC-SDCI' International Conference on Sustainable Development of Critical Infrastructure. [More..](#)

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December 5-7, 2012, Hong Kong, China, 1st International Conference on Performance-based and Life-cycle Structural Engineering. [More..](#)

2013

IABSE Workshop

February 14-15, 2013, Helsinki, Finland 'Safety, Failures and Robustness of Large Structures', organised by the Finnish Group and the Finnish Association of Civil Engineers (RIL). Call for Papers by September 30, 2012. [More..](#)

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May 2, 2013, Pittsburgh, PA, USA, SEI/ASCE 'The Structures 2013 Congress'.
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IABSE Conference

May 6-8, 2013, Rotterdam, The Netherlands, 'Assessment, Upgrading and Refurbishment of Infrastructures' organised by the Dutch and Belgian Groups of IABSE. [More..](#)

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July 24-26, 2013, Guimares, Portugal, 'ICSA 2013' with the theme 'Structures and More' organised by the School of Architecture, University of Minho. [More..](#)

IABSE Symposium

September 24-27, 2013, Kolkata, India, 36th IABSE Symposium 'Long Span Bridge and Roofs - Development, Design and Implementation' (Annual Meetings precede Symposium). [More..](#)

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June 30 - July 2, Porto, Portugal, EURO DYN'2014 -IX International Conference on Structural Dynamics

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