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1. Professorship Vacancy ETH Zurich

Professor of Risk and Safety in Structural Engineering

Application deadline: March 31, 2011

The Department of Civil, Environmental and Geomatic Engineering at ETH Zurich invites applications for the above mentioned professorship. In research, the known deterministic models in structural engineering are enhanced by using frequentistic and probabilistic methods of risk and safety. Research in this field is based on an interdisciplinary approach and on findings and knowledge of related branches of research. In teaching, the professor is responsible for the fundamental education in risk and safety and its implementation in structural engineering at BSc, MSc, and PhD level. [More information..](#)

2. IABSE Foundation: www.iabsefoundation.org

The IABSE Foundation has a new website, presenting itself in a fresh new look. It offers an increased visibility of the Foundation towards Donors, Applicants and the general public. Visit www.iabsefoundation.org and discover projects supported by the Foundation. Consider making a donation, it will help support ongoing projects and the Foundation's aim to promote cooperation and understanding within the field of structural engineering and related fields.

3. IABSE-IASS Symposium 2011: 900 Abstracts Reviewed!

This Symposium jointly organised by IABSE-IASS from September 20-23, 2011 in London, promises to be the biggest international gathering of its kind for many years: over 800 delegates are expected to attend. 900 abstracts have been received and reviewed by the Scientific Committee on the themes: Concepts and Planning; Design and Construction; Analysis and Methods; Materials and Durability; Saving Energy and Extending Life; Operation and Maintenance; Instrumentation and Monitoring. [More..](#)

4. SEI 1/2011 (Feb.) Structures in the UK and Ireland

The February 2011 issue has been published and is on its way to you. Look forward to reading [following articles...](#)

5. Membership Drive 2011

As a Member you can make a big difference to IABSE by introducing new Members to our Association. Acquire new Members and receive at your choice either an IABSE Calendar 2012 or a classic Schaeffer ball pen engraved with the IABSE Logo for each new member introduced by you by **March 30, 2011**.

Download:

- the special 'Application Form for the Membership Drive 2011' [here..](#)
- the IABSE leaflet [here..](#)

6. New: IABSE Group on LinkedIn

IABSE has started a Group on LinkedIn that can be used for IABSE Members and Non-Members to exchange information and discussions. [Join the group..](#)

7. News from The National Groups

Denmark – The Danish Group of IABSE together with the Danish Society for “Bygningstatik” (structural analysis) and the Danish Association for Tunnel- and Underground Construction, organised a meeting on February 1, 2011, to discuss the Femern Baelt project. Lectures were given by Project Director, Steen Lykke, Femern A/S and Chief Consultant Ole Peter Jensen from Ramboll.

Sweden – The Swedish Group has appointed Mikael Hallgren as new Chair of its Group. IABSE thanks recent Chair Ake Skarendahl for his services and congratulates Mikael Hallgren to his new position.

United Kingdom - Brian Duguid is the new Editor of 'IABSE UK News' the newsletter of the British Group of IABSE. IABSE Secretariat has received the latest issue, reporting amongst others on the 2010 Annual Lecture by Bill Baker; the lecture by Chris Wise, Milne Medal Winner 2010; the Henderson Colloquium 2010 and the Groups Study Tour to Paris, [read more..](#)

8. Obituary

With sadness we inform that Alan Kemp passed away on January 21, 2011. Alan Kemp was part of the Outstanding Paper Committee in 1996 and a former Member of WC 2 (1993-2001). He was Chair of the South African Group of IABSE from 2002-2004 and played a leading role in developing contacts between the structural engineering community in South Africa and the International Association for Bridge and Structural Engineering. IABSE presents his family and friends its sincere condolences.

9. Calendar of Events

2011

Co-sponsored by IABSE

June 15-17, 2011, Wroclaw, Poland, 'ICMS 2011' 12th International Conference on Metal Structures, organised by the Wroclaw University of Technology. [More..](#)

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July 4-6, 2011, Leuven, Belgium, 8th International Conference on Structural Dynamics EURO DYN 2011, organised by the European Association for Structural Dynamics (EASD), K.U. Leuven, and the Technological Institute of the Royal Flemish Society of Engineers (TI KVIV) [More..](#)

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July 6-8, 2011, Wroclaw, Poland, 'Footbridge 2011' organised by Wroclaw

University of Technology. [More..](#)

IABSE Symposium 2011, jointly organised with IASS

September 20-23, 2011, London UK, '35th IABSE Symposium, Taller, Longer, Lighter', organised by the British Group of IABSE and IASS (the Annual Meetings precede the Symposium). [More..](#)

2012

IABSE Conference

May 7-9, 2012, Cairo, Egypt, 'Global Thinking in Structural Engineering: Recent Achievements' (Spring Meetings precede the Symposium). [More..](#)

18th IABSE Congress

September 19-21, 2012, Seoul, Korea, 'Innovative and Sustainable Infrastructures Towards Human Urbanism' (Annual Meetings precede Symposium).

2013

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

More [events](#) on the Calendar of the Liaison Committee.

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IABSE Members and National Groups of IABSE are encouraged to send us information they wish to communicate to their colleagues.

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