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## Around the Task Groups and Working Commissions

### New Joint Coordinator of W082



Pekka Huovila

*At its meeting on May 6-7 in Honk Kong the CIB Programme Committee officially appointed Pekka Huovila as the new Joint W082 Coordinator.*

#### **CURRICULUM VITAE**

MsTech. Pekka Huovila is the Manager of the Concurrent Engineering group at VTT Building and Transport in Finland, one of the largest building research establishments in Europe. His professional background is in design and building practise. Pekka has a long experience in developing and implementing methods and tools for sustainable construction. Among other duties he has acted in relation with CIB as

- the Secretary General of the CIB W082 Workshop "Construction Beyond 2000", in Espoo (1992?)
- the Scientific Secretary of the CIB Co-ordinating Committee for Sustainable Construction (1996-2001?)
- Co-Author of the CIB report 225? "Sustainable Development and the Future of Construction" (1998?)
- an active member in CIB W082 and W060.

Pekka's ongoing international research projects include e.g. the following EC funded Thematic Networks:

- Construction and City Related Sustainability Indicators, CRISP 2000-2003 (Director of the Process / Strategy Cluster)
- Performance Based Building, PeBBu 2000-2004 (Director of the Building Process - Organisation and Management Domain 5).

His current interests are decision support in

- Sustainable life cycle process of the built environment
- Process re-engineering
- Information networking in construction.