



INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL FOR RESEARCH AND INNOVATION IN BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION

INFORMATION

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Around the Task Groups and Working Commissions

W109 – Ecospace

Introducing the New Working Commission

During its meeting in March 2005 in Madrid, Spain, the CIB Program Committee established a new Working Commission W109- Ecospace. W109 is considered to be the successor of former TG28 on "Dissemination of Indoor Air Sciences" with an extended and much broader Scope. Former TG28 Coordinator Dr. Philo Blyussen, TNO, the Netherlands, is appointed as the Joint Coordinators of W109 together with Prof. Olaf Adan also from TNO. A News article introducing the Joint Coordinators is available from [here](#).

Scope and Objectives

The main objectives are:

- to exchange ongoing research focused on healthy, comfortable and safe spaces
- to promote interaction between different sectors, disciplines, stakeholders and organisations, focused on communication and understanding between the different stakeholders
- to develop visions and roadmaps for realisation of healthy, comfortable and safe spaces

Work Programme and Meetings

- to form a group of organizations that will be named the CIB Commission Ecospace
- to establish a formal link with the external Ecospace platform which is under construction (see external relations)
- to organize a kick-off meeting in 2005 at which the objectives, planned output and action plan will be the main items of discussion

Planned Output

The following will be produced:

- Consequent strategic research agendas
- A report on Shared visions for built environment and health in 2050
- A report on clear set of common priorities for the topic

Internal Structure

Members of this commission are:

- CIB members after approval of their contribution by the Coordinators
- Representatives from selected Industrial Partners

External Relations

Ecospace aims at innovations in the construction sector while using knowledge and innovation of other sectors such as the space industry and the pharmaceutical industry.

After establishment of the CIB commission, relations and/or links with other organisations such as ISIAQ and IUMS will be established as well.

Meetings

The first meeting of W109 will be announced in the near future. Annual meetings will be held, as is the practice with CIB commissions.



Additional Information

For additional information about W109 and its future meetings, please contact the Coordinators:

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You can find more information on the activities of CIB W109 at www.cibworld.nl

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