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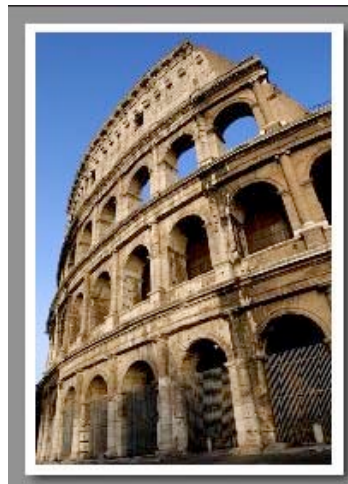
Forthcoming Meeting

Joint International Symposium of CIB Working Commissions:

W055 - Building Economics

W065 - Organization and Management of Construction

W086 - Building Pathology



Construction in the XXI Century: Local and Global Challenges

18-20 October 2006, Rome, Italy

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Introduction

The objectives of the CIB W065/W055 2006 symposium are to:

- Address the diversity of the construction industry around the world and its identifying features
- Ascertain the impact of the global economy on the construction industry, its enterprises and suppliers
- Discuss how local construction industries cope with these challenges
- Consider the development of beneficial relationships among the stakeholders of construction markets
- Present and demonstrate how research can be used to help countries and enterprises in problem solving.

Who should attend the Symposium

The proposed symposium will bring together some 150 academicians and practitioners from developed and less developed countries, in the areas of construction management, construction economics and real estate management, to share knowledge and experience and identify areas for research and policy initiatives. The 3-day event also offers the opportunity for networking internationally with experts from around the world.

Symposium Topics

- Global versus local issues of construction
- Changing frontiers of construction
- Structure and performance of the construction industry
- Competitive strategies for the XXI century
- Managing human and physical resources
- Economics aspects of construction
- Evaluation and sustainability of research efforts and agendas

Symposium Venue

The symposium will be held at the School of Engineering of the University of Rome, La Sapienza, and a nearby hotel. The School, partially housed in a former convent, is located on the Esquiline hill, a few blocks away from the Roman Forum and Coliseum.



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