



## CIB NEWS ARTICLE

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### Forthcoming Meeting / CIB Co-Sponsored Event

#### *Final Announcement*



### **Connected – Viable – Livable – Stay Healthy**

**4-5 December 2007, Hong Kong, China**

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The SB07 Hong Kong conference organised by Professional Green Building Council (PGBC) and is part of a series of 13 SB07 international conferences being held around the world that is co-sponsored by iiSBE, CIB and UNEP.

### Conference Themes

- Connecting the Pearl River Delta Region
  - The conference intends to bring stakeholders from different societies and industries to work towards a sustainable economic region of the 21st century. It seeks to establish a closer working and research links among officials, practitioners, investors, builders, users and educators from PRD cities.
- Creating a livable, healthy and environmentally viable cities
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- Education and Market Transformation
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### Conference Venue



*Langham Palace Hotel*

### Additional Information

For further information about the conference please visit the designated website [www.hkpgbc.org/sb07/](http://www.hkpgbc.org/sb07/) or contact:

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### Topics

- Urban Planning, Infrastructure,
- Building Construction and Waste Management,
- Climate Change,
- Energy Conservation and Auditing,
- Healthy & Intelligent Building,
- Sustainable Technologies,
- LCC & POE and Market Transformation