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### Forthcoming Meeting

## Special Track CIB World Building Congress for TG65 - Small Firms in Construction



In May 2010 the CIB World Congress will take place in Salford, United Kingdom. The overall conference theme is Building a Better World. Within this integrating context, Task Group TG65 will be hosting a track on the management of small construction firms at the Congress and we invite interested researchers to submit a paper.

### Topics

Topics may include, but are not limited to:

- The quality of life and wealth creation contributions, which small construction firms make
- The management of innovation in small construction firms
- Innovation clusters made up of small construction firms
- The role of owner-managers in small construction firms
- Networks and supply chains between small construction firms
- Entrepreneurship in small construction firms
- Academia-industry engagement with small construction firms

Further details about the conference can be found at [www.cib2010.com](http://www.cib2010.com)

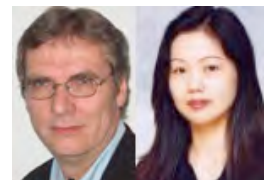
### Deadlines

Abstract submission	<b>18 May 2009</b>
Notification of abstract acceptance	<b>22 June 2009</b>
Full paper submission	<b>19 October 2009</b>
Notification of full paper acceptance	<b>7 December 2009</b>
Camera ready papers	<b>22 February 2010</b>

If you need further assistance with this process, please contact Kaushal Keraminiyage [Kaushal@cib2010.org](mailto:Kaushal@cib2010.org) for details.

### Additional Information

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