



**June 2011**

### **Forthcoming Meeting / CIB Co-Sponsored Event**



The 6th Built Environment Conference of the Association of Schools of Construction of Southern Africa (ASOCSA) endorsed by the International Council of Research and Innovation in Building and Construction (CIB) and sponsored by the Construction Industry Development Board (CIDB) from July 31 through August 2, 2011 in the Balalaika Hotel in Sandton will feature keynote speakers addressing topics of relevance to construction industry stakeholders.

The conference provides an international forum for researchers and practitioners from developed, developing and underdeveloped nations to address fundamental problems and constraints that affect the Built Environment and a wide range of topics will be presented such as:

- Improving project delivery
- Alternative dispute resolution (ADR)
- Health and Safety culture and performance improvement
- Energy management
- Design-build as a procurement system
- Lean construction
- Leadership development
- Sustainable and rural electrification
- Communication and knowledge management
- Community participation
- Public-Private Partnerships

The conference organizers aim to bring together researchers, academics, administrators and practitioners representing educational institutions,

government agencies, contracting organizations, consulting enterprises, financial institutions, and other construction-related organizations from Southern Africa and the rest of the world. The recently approved Memorandum of Understanding between the CIB and ASOCSA will be signed at the conference. A highlight at the conference will be awarding Dr Rodney Milford a previous President of CIB the first ASOCSA Lifetime Achievement Award for his contribution to the construction industry.

#### **Conference Venue**

The conference will take place at the Protea Hotel, Balalaika, Sandton, Johannesburg.





## Additional Information

For further information about the conference visit the designated website

<https://www.asocsa.org/conference2011/index.html>

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