CIB Student Chapter

Announcement of New CIB W080 Commission-based International Student Chapter

Introduction

CIB Working Commission W080 - Prediction of Service Life of Building Materials and Components established a new CIB Student Chapter based on the work of the Commission, and intended to serve the interests of students whose spheres of research are closely aligned with that work.

W080 seeks to promote international cooperation on prediction of service life of building materials and components by identifying systematic methodologies related to the Evaluation and Estimation of Service Life.

Vision

The W080 Student Chapter will be a working group of PhD, master students on topics related to - Prediction of Service Life. The aim is to interchange research ideas and outcomes, to collaborate on research processes and information dissemination, and to organize workshops and social networking events.

The W080 Student Chapter aims to provide an active and supportive community for students worldwide and has a number of specific objectives:

- international cooperation between the universities and students involved
- an international discussion group
- active participation in the CIB W080 Work Programme
- publications resulting from the research cooperation
- organised workshops
- a book with research outcome on a W080 theme (expected at 13DBMC).

Programme

The priority tasks for the new W080 Student Chapter are already in progress, and are to:

- establish a membership list
- create a group account for internal communication and sharing of documents
- encourage the use of informal communication and social networking.

Membership

Applications for membership should be submitted to the W080 Student Chapter Commission Representative, Prof Bruno Daniotti, or to the CIB W080 Scientific Secretary Fulvio Re Cecconi. (see contact details below). Students enrolled at an existing CIB Member
university may join without charge but must have the prior support of the designated CIB contact of their university and that contact person should be copied into the e-mail when applying for membership of the W080 Student Chapter.

**Further Information**

For further information, see the official CIB W080 Student Chapter webpage [here](#).

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