Background

Driven by technology innovation, demographic growth, environmental change, a new economic order and a strong undercurrent of social and political desire for change, the world is changing quickly. Construction doesn’t exist in isolation and, in a fast-changing world the sector has the vital role of providing the requisite built environment to meet the challenges presented by these changes.

CIB Working Commissions and Task Groups

The following CIB Commissions participate in the conference and will have their own Commission Meetings and/or Scientific events as part of the conference.

- W055 - Building Economics
- W065 - Organisation and Management of Construction
- W089 - Building Education and Research
- W092 - Procurement Systems
- W096 - Architectural Management
- W102 - Information and Knowledge Management in Building
- W117 - Performance Measurement in Construction
- TG72 - Public Private Partnership
- TG81 - Global Construction Data
- TG83 - e-Business in Construction

The Conference on Construction in a Changing World will bring together resources and knowledge across different fields, technologies and disciplines to deal with the major challenges that construction professionals will be confronted with in the coming years.

Conference Themes and Topics

The organisers of the conference welcome contributions from industry practitioners, researchers and academics. The themes of the conference include, but are not limited to:

- Construction industry economics
- Global construction data
- Organisation and Management of Construction
- Education in the Built Environment
- Architectural management
- Public Private Partnerships

Conference Venue

The conference will take place in Heritance Kandalama.
Keynote Speakers

The keynote speakers of the conference include:

Les Ruddock, Michael Pitt, Ghassan Aouad, Charles Egbu, Jerry Velasquez and S.S.L. Hettiarachchi

Registration

Conference registration is now open see here.

Conference fees:
CIB members £475
Non members £525

Accompanying persons

An accompanying person package is available at a cost of £225. This includes:
- Welcome Reception, including canapés and drinks (Sunday 4th May 2014)
- Lunch and tea/coffee at the conference venue (5th, 6th and 7th May 2014)
- Sri Lankan Theme Dinner (Monday 5th May 2014)
- International Buffet Dinner (Tuesday 6th May 2014), and
- Courtesy transport and entrance fees to Minneriya Wildlife Park.

Pre and Post conference packages

Delegates who wish to tour around Sri Lanka before or after the conference can contact the Sri Lanka based conference events manager, Aitken Spence travels, Ziyan Ameen ziyan@aitkenspence.lk.

Additional Information

The Conference website at www.cib2014.org provides more details on the conference, including themes, the calls for papers, important dates and the venue.