



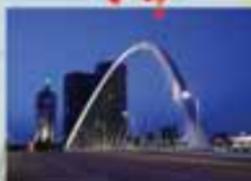
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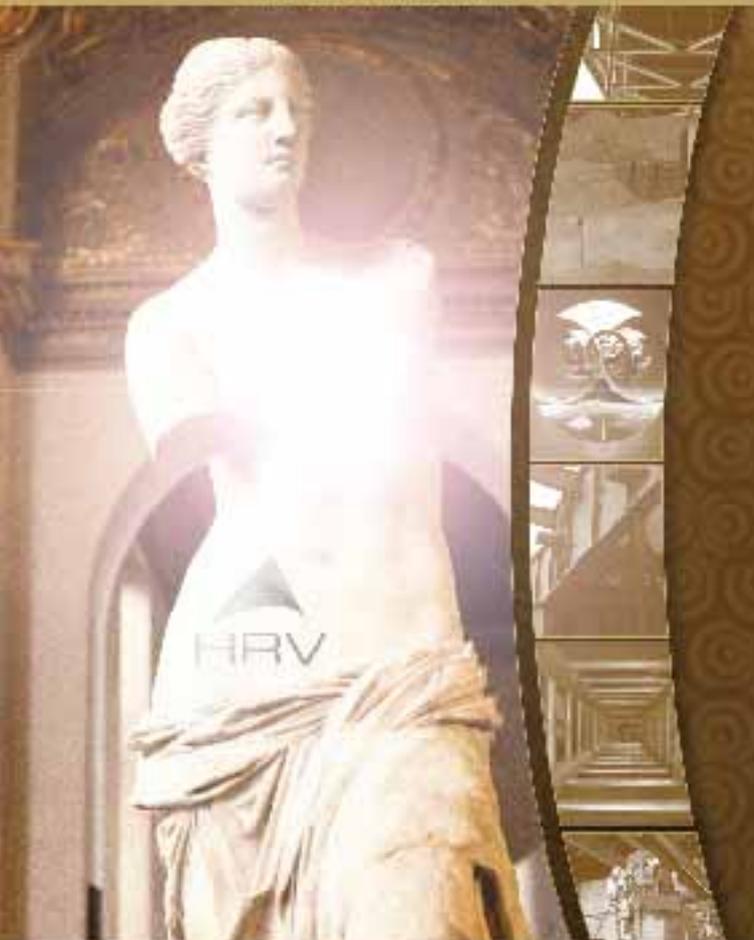
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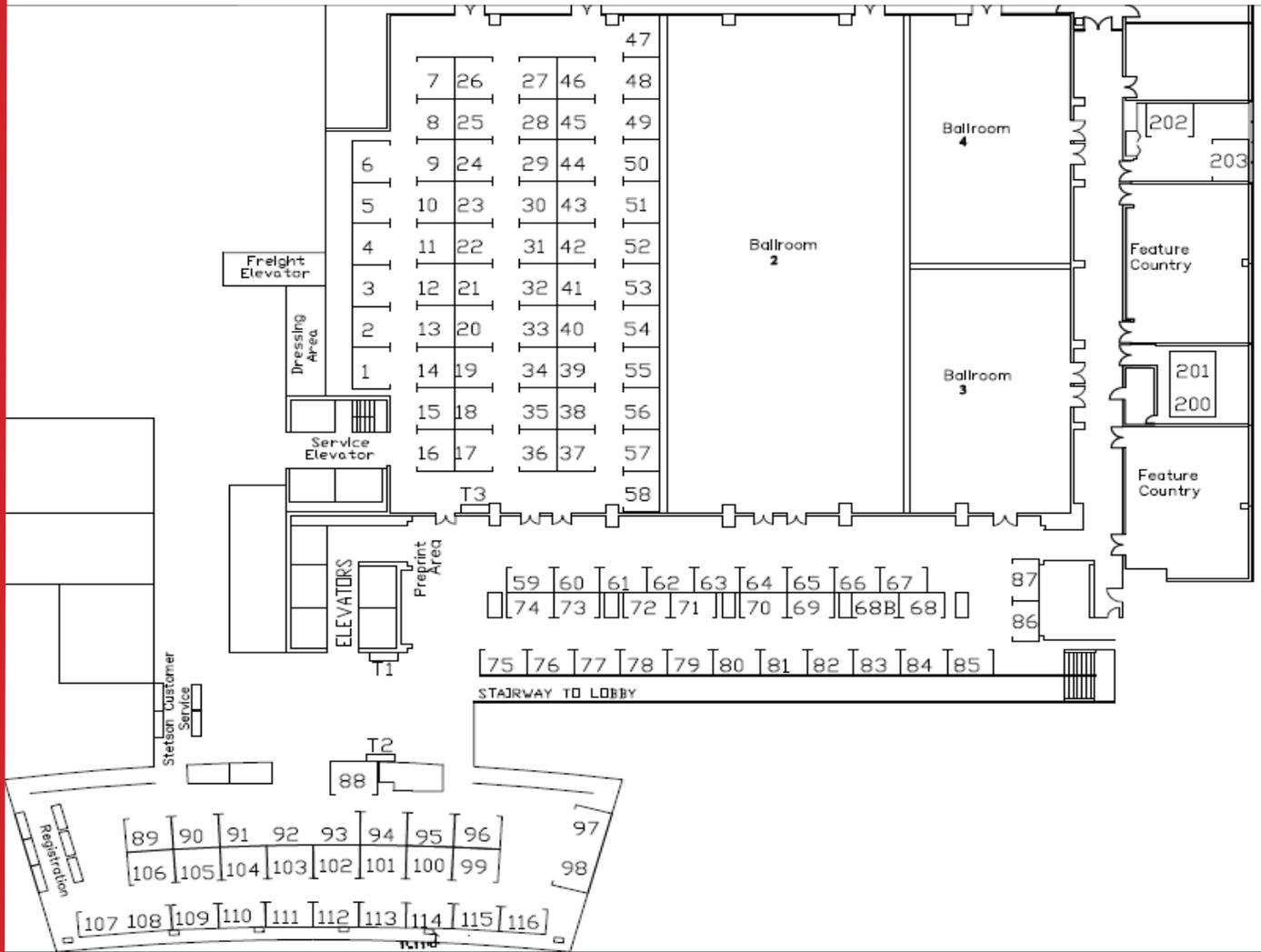
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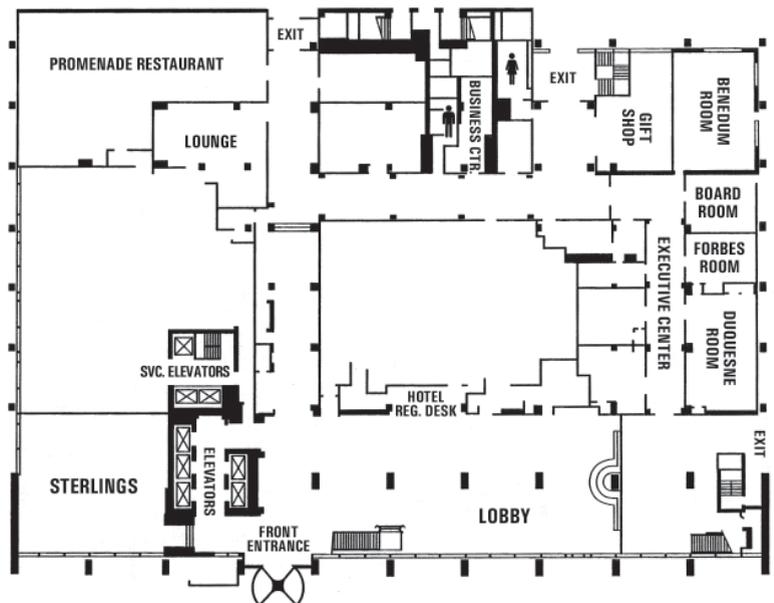


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**Date:** June 1-4, 2008  
**Location:** David L. Lawrence  
Convention Center,  
Pittsburgh, PA  
**Hotel:** Westin Convention Center

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### 2007 Chairman's Message



M. Myint Lwin, P.E., S.E.  
2007 IBC General Chairman

As this year's General Chairman, I am pleased to invite all of you to the 24<sup>th</sup>. Annual International Bridge Conference® (IBC) in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The Executive Committee has worked diligently to develop an outstanding

conference program to cover a broad spectrum of practical highway, railway and pedestrian bridge engineering – design, construction, inspection, testing, preservation, replacement, rehabilitation and much more. The conference provides many opportunities for participants to share and learn from each other in all aspects of practice and specialty. Educational seminars have been selected to provide participants with timely learning in constructability of steel bridges, construction practices for concrete segmental bridges and in the application of the AASHTO Manual on Load and Resistance Factor Rating (LRFR) of highway bridges. You will find this conference informative, educational, practical and enjoyable. Capture the opportunity!

The IBC continues to be the preeminent forum covering activity in the bridge industry. Last year's conference attracted approximately 1,100 bridge professionals from North America, Europe and Asia. Primarily sponsored by the Engineers' Society of Western Pennsylvania (ESWP), the Conference is guided by the volunteer members of the IBC Executive Committee, which is comprised of bridge owners, designers, constructors, manufacturers, suppliers and educators. The IBC Executive Committee has spent many hours in developing the program in order to provide a conference of the highest quality and practical value to all attendees.

We are pleased to be able to kick off this year's conference by offering an outstanding group of Keynote speakers for the **Opening Session**. The **Monday Awards Luncheon**, held immediately following the Opening Session, is generally a sold out event, so be certain to register early to reserve your spot. It is complimentary, but limited to 300 on a first-come first-served basis.

We are honored to have China as the **"Featured Country"** at the 24<sup>th</sup> Annual IBC. In the past 15 years, China has been investing unprecedented resources in the construction of roads and bridges for highways and expressways. The National Trunk Highway System (NTHS) in China will be completed in 2007, 13 years ahead of schedule. In the next phase of the highway infrastructure expansion, China will focus on the new National Expressway Network, estimated at 53,000 miles in total length. Their goals are to reach 34,000 miles of expressway by the year 2010, and 53,000 miles by the year 2020. Highway road and bridge construction is expected to continue at an unprecedented pace and to meet new challenges in bridging valleys, large rivers, bays and straits. As the "Featured Country", China will showcase the country, its people

and its bridges throughout the conference in the "Featured Country" Session on Monday afternoon, and in the oversized exhibit area. Mr. Maorun Feng, former Chief Engineer, Ministry of Communication, China, will lead a relatively large delegation to Pittsburgh to show exhibits and make presentations on the technical, financial, environmental and social challenges and opportunities of high-visibility and record-setting projects. Please come to Pittsburgh for the 2007 IBC and join me in welcoming the Chinese delegates and in exchanging ideas with them in advancing the bridge industry internationally.

The theme of this year's conference is **Bridging Continents – Sharing Ideas**. The theme reflects the many outstanding papers that we have received from authors from many countries. We thank the authors for bridging the continents through sharing their ideas, experiences, and sound practices, so we all can benefit from them. Our Technical Program this year has been expanded and is packed with exciting presentations that will benefit all attendees. In addition to the presentations on a number of signature bridges, we have a wide variety of presentations in the program including a number of very timely presentations on innovations for improving durability and cost-effectiveness, prefabrication and accelerated bridge construction to improve safety and minimize congestion, systematic preservation to extend service, and several leading edge academic papers that may have a positive impact on the practice of bridge design and analysis. There are also several papers that focus on developing context-sensitive designs, and how aesthetics can be incorporated economically into bridge structures.

We will also have **Seminars** and **Special Interest Sessions** to keep you current with the latest technology advancements in the world of bridge engineering. Over **120 Exhibitors** are expected to attend and showcase the latest products and services. We encourage you to take the time to visit with them and see what they have to offer. We will again be offering our annual **Bus Tour** on Tuesday afternoon, and it will highlight some current bridge construction projects in the Pittsburgh area.

Please take a moment to peruse the information in this brochure. For those of you who are attending the IBC for the first time, we trust that you will find the Conference a rewarding and exciting educational experience, as have many thousands before you. For those who have attended the IBC previously, we welcome you back to Pittsburgh - the City of Bridges - and hope you make this Conference truly memorable. Come and learn about the latest developments in the bridge industry and take advantage of the networking opportunities that occur at the IBC and its related functions.

M. Myint Lwin, P.E., S.E.  
Director, FHWA Office of Bridge Technology  
2007 IBC General Chairman

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Meeting Information

All IBC functions are located in the Hilton Pittsburgh. Please check individual listings in the program for specific locations and times for all technical sessions, seminars and social functions. Any changes in the program schedule will be posted or announced.

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### Registration

The IBC registration is located in the Kings Garden area of the Hilton Pittsburgh. Registration hours are as follows:

Sunday:	5:30pm to 7:30pm
Monday:	7:00am to 6:00pm
Tuesday:	7:00am to 5:00pm
Wednesday:	7:00am to 1:30pm

### Registration Lists

Registrations received prior to May 25 have been compiled in the IBC PRE-REGISTRATION LIST, and is distributed free to all registered attendees.

An addendum to the registration list will be available Wednesday morning of the conference and reflects those attendees who registered after May 26 or on-site during the conference.

An electronic copy of the entire list is available for \$25 following the conference.

### Message Board

As a service to Conference registrants, a Message Board will be located in the Kings Garden area of the Hilton Pittsburgh. The board will be available on June 3, 4, 5 & 6. Messages will be retained until the end of each day.

### IBC Exhibition

One of the main attractions of the Conference is the IBC Exhibit Hall. As you stroll through over 120 exhibits, you will be able to explore the latest technologies, products and services the bridge industry has to offer.

The IBC Exhibit Hall is located in Ballroom 1, the Ballroom Foyer, Kings Garden and the Boardwalk. You will be able to view the exhibits during the following hours:

Monday:	11:00am to 7:00pm
Tuesday:	7:00am to 5:00pm
Wednesday:	7:00am to 1:30pm

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Badge Identification

Please wear your IBC name badge at all times during the conference. Not only is the badge your passport to all Conference activities, but it also lists several important local phone numbers on the back. ESWP has authorized monitors on staff to deny access to anyone not wearing the appropriate badge. As a safety consideration, we do suggest that you remove your badge when leaving the hotel property.

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### Pre-prints

Pre-prints for all technical presentations are available at the Pre-Print area located in the Ballroom 1 Foyer. Pre-prints can be purchased for just \$3.00 per copy. Also, you can find copies of previous years' IBC Proceedings (for \$55 per volume). The Pre-Print Booth will be open:

Sunday:	5:30pm to 7:30pm
Monday:	9:00am to 6:00pm
Tuesday:	8:00am to 5:00pm
Wednesday:	8:00am to 1:30pm

### IBC Gift Items

Once again at this year's IBC, you will have the opportunity to purchase IBC Golf Shirts, Sweatshirts, and Hats. These items are high quality and feature the popular IBC logo. The Gift Item Table is located at the Preprint desk where you can make your purchases throughout the Conference until Wednesday at 2:00pm. Please be sure to stop by and see them before Wednesday.

### Proceedings

Proceedings are an optional order-only purchase and may be ordered in advance or on-site at the IBC for \$30.00. Following the conference, proceedings may be ordered for \$55.00

The official proceedings of the 24th Annual International Bridge Conference will be available in late Summer 2007 and mailed to you at that time.

### Coffee Stand

Complimentary coffee and breakfast breads are available throughout the Exhibit Hall hours in the Le Bateau

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Pittsburgh Recreational Highlights

The **Three Rivers Arts Festival** is an annual Pittsburgh tradition marking the beginning of the summer season. The Festival, is a showcase for every imaginable craft in the exhibit booths surrounding the Hilton Pittsburgh, Gateway Center and Point State Park. In addition to the artists market, a wide variety of ethnic foods can be found across the street from the main entrance to the Hilton. Live performances of music and dance are scheduled throughout the day and evening. A world of cultural activity is right outside your door.

Nights come alive in the **Cultural District**, home to five theaters within walking distance of hotels and the convention center. The Cultural District also affords a selection of up-scale and mid-range dining, from French to Italian, Tex Mex to Thai.

In the **Strip District**, the clubs are hot, the food is spicy, and dance floors pulse to the sounds of rock, blues, jazz and swing. Award-winning brewpubs serve up the finest lagers and ales, while classic Pittsburgh fare is featured at nearby diners. By day, the Strip is alive with street vendors and shoppers buying the freshest breads, pastries, cheeses, coffees and ethnic specialties.

Whether you are in Pittsburgh for business or pleasure, **Station Square** offers the most attractions combined into one location. Locals will tell you that Station Square is always happening featuring some of the area's top entertainment. See a show from rock to blues to jazz or comedy. Take a tour and sightsee Pittsburgh on a boat, on the historic inclines, a horse drawn carriage, or tour the town on a duck (yea it's not a typo...see Just Ducky Tours). Plus, you'll want to pick up some souvenirs from your adventures too. Learn more at [www.stationsquare.com](http://www.stationsquare.com).

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Area Museums

Three hundred years of Pittsburgh history come alive at the **Senator John Heinz Pittsburgh Regional History Center** in the Strip District. Located in what was formerly the Chautauqua Lake Ice House, The Senator John Heinz History Center is an affiliate of the Smithsonian Institution and the largest history museum in the state of Pennsylvania. Devoted to the history and heritage of Western Pennsylvania, the History Center is a 275,000-square-foot museum and research facility that is located in the city's historic Strip District. The History Center's home combines the former Chautauqua Lake Ice Company building with the five-story Smithsonian wing that opened November 13, 2004. This museum offers a variety of exhibits that tell the story of the people who built and influenced Pittsburgh's evolution from industrial megaforce to a center for technology, medicine, robotics and tourism. For more information, visit [www.pghhistory.org](http://www.pghhistory.org) or phone 412-454-6000

From downtown, a short walk across one of Pittsburgh's many bridges over the Allegheny River takes you to the **North Shore**, where visitors can experience the work of the pop art prince and Pittsburgh native Andy Warhol at **The Andy Warhol Museum**, the most comprehensive single-artist museum in the world. The Warhol was recently "in the news" when an original sold for more than \$70 million at auction! Learn more at [www.warhol.org](http://www.warhol.org)

Another North Side "must see" is the **Carnegie Science Center**, an interactive amusement park for the mind, which features over 250 hands-on exhibits, including the largest science and sports exhibition in the world.

Please visit the **Greater Pittsburgh Convention & Visitors Bureau** information table located on the 2nd floor Mezzanine Level for more information regarding these attractions and many more.

### Pittsburgh Pirates — [www.pittsburghpirates.com](http://www.pittsburghpirates.com)

A short walk from the IBC, just across the Allegheny River on Pittsburgh's North Shore you'll find PNC Park, the home of the Pittsburgh Pirates. This 38,000-seat classic baseball stadium has been designed with masonry arches, a terra cotta front, and a center field that opens to a dramatic view of Pittsburgh's skyline and has been called the "perfect blend of location, history, design, comfort and baseball." (<http://espn.go.com/page2/s/ballparks/pncpark.html>)

The Pittsburgh Pirates will take on the Los Angeles Dodgers on Friday, June 1 (7:05 pm), Saturday, June 2 (7:05 pm), Sunday, June 3 (1:35 pm) and Monday, June 4 (7:05 pm). Single game tickets are now available online at [www.pittsburghpirates.com](http://www.pittsburghpirates.com) or by calling 1-800-Buy-BUCS.

## MONDAY, JUNE 4

### OPENING SESSION

**Time:** 8:30 – 11:30am  
**Room:** Ballroom 2  
**Chair:** M. Myint Lwin, PE, SE,  
IBC 2007 General Chairman –  
*Federal Highway Administration (FHWA),  
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Alex G. Sciulli, PE, *Engineers' Society of Western Pennsylvania 2007 President, Mellon Financial Corporation, Pittsburgh, PA*

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## MONDAY, JUNE 4

### BRIDGE AWARDS

**Time:** 11:30am - 12:45pm  
**Room:** Ballroom 2  
**Chair:** Carl Angeloff, PE  
*Bayer Material Science, LLC, Pittsburgh, PA*

ESWP, in association with Roads and Bridges Magazine, Bayer Corporation, bridge design and engineering Magazine and the International Bridge Conference®, invites you to join us at the Twenty-First Annual IBC Bridge Awards Luncheon. SEATING IS STRICTLY LIMITED to the first 300 people at this complimentary event. You must select the "Awards Luncheon" option on the Registration form (and be registered to attend the Conference on Monday) to receive a ticket. Requests are honored on a first-come, first-served basis. Honorees will be recognized in the following categories:

**John A. Roebling Medal** – For Lifetime Achievement in Bridge Engineering, awarded to William B. Conway, PE, Chairman, Modjeski and Masters, New Orleans, LA

**George S. Richardson Medal** – For a Single Recent, Outstanding Achievement in Bridge Engineering awarded to the Maine Department of Transportation, for the Penobscot Narrows Bridge and Observatory, Waldo and Hancock Counties, ME

**Gustav Lindenthal Medal** - For an Outstanding Achievement that demonstrates innovation coupled with aesthetic merit, harmony with the environment or successful community participation awarded to Construction Command Office of Nanjing No. 3 Yangtze River Bridge for the Nanjing No. 3 Yangtze River Bridge, Nanjing, P.R. China

**Eugene C. Figg Jr., Medal for Signature Bridges** – For a Single, Recent, Outstanding Achievement in bridge engineering that, through vision and innovation, provides an icon to the community for which it was designed, awarded to Florida Department of Transportation for the Royal Park Bridge Replacement, West Palm Beach, FL

**Arthur G. Hayden Medal** - A Single, Recent Outstanding Achievement in bridge engineering demonstrating Innovation in Special Use Bridges such as Pedestrian, People-mover, or Non-traditional Structures, awarded to Project Bureau Ijburg for Nesciobrug, Ijburg, The Netherlands

**James D. Cooper Student Award** - An annual competition available to all graduate and undergraduate students at tending an accredited college or university that offers a civil engineering major awarded to Jessica T. Newlin, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, and K. Sham Bhat, Department of Statistics, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA for their paper: Identification and Prioritization of Stream Channel Maintenance Needs at Bridge Crossings (IBC 07-18)

## FEATURED COUNTRY: CHINA

中国主题年

Time: 1:30 – 5:00pm

Room: Ballroom 2

Co-Chairs: Maorun Feng,

*Chairman of Technical Consultative Committee  
and Former Chief Engineer Ministry of Communi-  
cations, People's Republic of China*

King W. Gee, PE

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U.S. Department of Transportation*

IBC 07-01-润扬长江大桥 1:30pm

## Runyang Yangtze River Bridge

Feng Zhaoxiang, *Director of Yangtze River Bridge  
Construction Headquarters of Jiangsu Province*

IBC 07-02-巫山长江大桥 1:55pm

## Wushan Yangtze River Bridge in Chongqing

Gu AnBang, *Professor, Chongqing Jiaotong University*

IBC 07-03-南京长江第三大桥 2:20pm

## No. 3 Nanjing Yangtze River Bridge

Wang Chengjiang, *Vice Director of No. 3 Nanjing  
Yangtze River Bridge Construction Headquarters*

IBC 07-04-苏通大桥 2:45pm

## Sutong Bridge

You QingZhong, *Vice Director General of Jiangsu  
Provincial Communications Department; General  
Director of Sutong Bridge Construction Headquarters*

**BREAK 3:15-3:45pm**

IBC 07-05-杭州湾跨海大桥 3:45pm

## Hangzhou Bay Long Bridge

Fang Mingshan, *Vice Chief Engineer of Hangzhou Bay  
Long Bridge Construction Headquarters*

IBC 07-06-西堠门大桥 4:10pm

## Xihoumen Bridge of Zhou Shan Island-Link Project

Xu Hongliang, *Division Chief Engineer, China Highway  
Planning and Design Institute (HPDI) Consultants, Inc.*

IBC 07-07-长大跨度铁路桥梁 4:35pm

Four Long and Large Span Railway Bridges Being  
Designed and Studied in China

Xu Gongyi, *Vice Chief Engineer, China Zhongtie Major  
Bridge Reconnaissance & Design Institute*

## PROPRIETARY SESSION

Time: 4:00 – 6:00pm

Room: Ballroom 3 &amp; 4

Chair: Eric S. Kline

*KTA-Tator, Inc., Pittsburgh, PA*

IBC 07-08 4:00pm

Innovative Engineering & High Performance  
Precast Concrete Superstructure

Robert Brunner, PE, *NYS Thruway Authority, Albany,  
NY*; Scott Harrigan, PE, *The Fort Miller Co., Inc.,  
Schuylerville, NY*

This presentation will explain the Spaan Span Bridge System; a concrete structure with a depth of less than 21" for a span of almost 100'. The presentation will discuss the criteria for selecting the system; the system will be explained; and the manufacturing and erection processes will be described in detail.

IBC 07-09 4:25pm

Use of Filled Grid Deck Panels on Rapid  
Reconstruction Projects

Mark Kaczinski, *Bridge Grid Flooring Manufacturers  
Association, North Baltimore, OH*

Filled grid decks have a long history of use on bridge projects to help reduce dead load. Over the past 10 years many projects have also been completed with prefabricated grid deck panels to reduce construction schedules. This method of deck reconstruction will be reviewed and several case studies presented.

IBC 07-10 4:50pm

Summary and Analysis of Effective Bridge  
Inspection Efforts: Looking back over the 40 years  
since the Silver Bridge Collapse

Jeremy Shaffer, Michael Schellhase, *InspectTech,  
Pittsburgh, PA*

This presentation will highlight some of the different approaches and philosophies toward bridge inspection that currently exist in the United States. The historical background will be covered along with a more detailed look at how technology can be effectively applied to enhance the inspection and management process.

IBC 07-11 5:15pm

Major Developments in the Waterproofing and  
Surfacing of Structures

John Hammond, *Pavement Innovations Limited,  
Newington, CT*

In the United Kingdom over the last 10 years there have been major advances in the bridges industry with the waterproofing and surfacing of structures, in both the development and use of new materials and the performance-based criteria demanded by clients. Following two years of research, and the investigation over 20 highly-stressed structures, it

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was concluded that, while many systems failed prematurely, there was a waterproofing/surfacing system that could perform satisfactorily and increase bridge sustainability, and reduce the future maintenance needs of bridges by as much as 50%.

**IBC 07-12**

**5:40pm**

### Long Term Protection for Concrete Bridges

Doug Zuberer, *Chase Specialty Coatings, Taunton, MA*

Significant problems associated with Bridge Deck (Full depth design) and concrete overlays involve a 21 step process according to the current FHWA Guidelines. The Transportation Research Boards web site has noted over the years many of the early deck cracking problems, and the need for a fast track maintenance program. This can all be eliminated should the designers make a choice to provide a wearing course that is also a waterproofing system. One alternative method used by many states on several Interstate projects is discussed.

## ATTENDEE WELCOME RECEPTION

**Time: 5:00 – 7:00pm**

**Room: Exhibit Hall**

Hosted by the IBC Exhibitors: join all registered attendees for the Annual Welcome Reception, located throughout the Exhibit Hall, from 5:00-7:00pm. All attendees will receive two tickets for complimentary beverage service, and enjoy light appetizers offered thru the Exhibit Hall. Renew old acquaintances and make new friends at this annual event enjoyed by all!

## TUESDAY, JUNE 5

## ATTENDEE BREAKFAST

**Time: 7:00 – 8:00am**

**Room: Exhibit Hall**

Hosted by the IBC Exhibitors: join all registered attendees for the Tuesday morning breakfast, located throughout the Exhibit Hall, from 7:00-8:00am. Coffee, danish, fruit and juice will be placed thru the Exhibit Hall. Get your day started right with a great breakfast! As a registered conference attendee, there is no cost to attend.

### Seminar: Construction Practices for Concrete Segmental Bridges

**Time: 8:00-12:00noon**

**Room: Sterling's (1st Floor)**

**Presenters: ASBI**

**Overview of Segmental Construction 8:00-8:30am**

M. Myint Lwin, *Federal Highway Administration* and Cliff Freyermuth, *American Segmental Bridge Institute*

**Construction of Precast Segmental Span-by-Span Bridges 8:30-9:15am**

William Jay Rohleder, P.E. *Figg*

**Construction of Precast Balanced Cantilever Bridges 9:15-10:00am**

David Jeakle, *URS Corporation*

**Break 10:00-10:15am**

**Construction of Cast-in-Place Balanced Cantilever Bridges 10:15-11:00am**

John Crigler, *VSL*

**Production of Precast Segments with an Overview of Equipment for Handling, Transporting, and Erecting Precast Segmental Bridges 11:00-12:00noon**

Elie Homsy, *Flatiron Constructors, Inc.*

Special Interest Session : Coatings

Time: 8:00am - 12:00noon  
 Room: Benedum (1st Floor)  
 Presenters: SSPC

Bridge Coatings in China 8:00-8:30am  
 Bayer MaterialScience LLC

The 12 Most Common Deficiencies in Bridge Painting 8:30-9:00am  
 Lloyd Smith, CCC&L

The use of Analytical Instrumentation in the Failure Analysis of Coatings 9:00-9:30am  
 Dwight Weldon, Weldon Labs

Break 9:30-9:45am

The Completion of Phase I of the Single Coat Research Program 9:45-10:00am  
 Eric Kline, KTA-Tator, Inc.

Bridge Painting Challenges in New York City 10:00-10:30am  
 Ron Rauch, New York City DOT

Fabrication Shop and Polyaspartic: A Perfect Fit 10:30-11:00am  
 Gary Gardner, The Sherwin-Williams Company

Painting of the Olympic Village 11:00am-12:00noon  
 Bayer MaterialScience LLC

Lunch 12:00-1:00pm

Tour 1:00-3:00pm  
 Pittsburgh's Historic Incline and New Wabash Tunnel

SSPC will take attendees on a tour of the Pittsburgh's Historic Incline and New Wabash Tunnel. The first stop will take us to the Pittsburgh Duquesne Incline which has been providing public transportation, via funicular railway, since May 20, 1877. Utilizing two original, 1877 cable cars, the Duquesne Incline is a working museum. Additionally, the spacious Observation Deck overlooks the beautiful Golden Triangle of Downtown Pittsburgh, and surrounding area including the upper Ohio River valley and lower Allegheny River Valley, ranked the second most beautiful view in America by USA Weekend Magazine!

The second stop on the tour will take us to the New Wabash Tunnel where 30,000 square feet of concrete was coated. The tunnel received a durable coating for the concrete ramp supports walls – one that allows for easy removal of graffiti, as well as long-lasting protection against rain, sun, wind, and cold. Come join us on this tour to take a look at the aliphatic acrylic polyurethane coating system specification that was used for both the color coat and clear coat.

Extreme Events

Time: 8:30am - Noon  
 Room: Ballroom 2  
 Chair: Lisle E. Williams, PE, PLS  
 T.W. Consultants, Inc., Pittsburgh, PA

IBC 07-13 8:30am  
 Performance of Bridges During the Sumatra Tsunami and Hurricane Katrina

Mark Yashinsky, Caltrans, Sacramento, CA  
 The American Society of Civil Engineering sent investigation teams to study bridge damage after the December 26, 2004 Sumatra Tsunami and the August 29, 2005 Hurricane Katrina. This paper presents the results of these investigations.

IBC 07-14 8:55am  
 Replacing I-10 Bridge Over Lake Potchartrain After Hurricane Katrina

Arthur D' Andear, Hossein Ghara, Louisiana Department Of Transportation & Development, Baton Rouge, LA  
 The challenges of replacing the interstate 10 Twin Spans over Lake Pontchartrain which entailed combining new bridge design specifications, LRFD, with a coastal engineering impact analysis. The management of this effort took place in a difficult construction environment, including uncertain funding scenarios combined with the public demand for speed and accountability. The presentation will also cover the repairs and operational maintenance to the existing structure heavy usage of SPMTs and temporary ACROW spans.

IBC 07-15 9:20am  
 Hurricanes Katrina & Rita- Louisiana's Response and Recovery

Ray Mumhrey, Hossein Ghara, Louisiana Department Of Transportation & Development, Baton Rouge, LA  
 This presentation will introduce the audience to the transportation infrastructure damage Louisiana experienced as a result of two major hurricane events striking along the coast of Louisiana in 2005. We will also describe how Louisiana responded to the disaster and our road to recovery. During hurricane Katrina a major interstate link between New Orleans and Slidell, Louisiana was destroyed by the wave forces. We will provide information on the temporary emergency repair of the bridges and our current efforts at reconstruction of the I-10 Twin Span Bridge.

### The Replacement of the I-10 Bridges over Escambia Bay

John Poulson, Victor Ryzhikov, *Parsons Brinckerhoff, Tampa, FL*

Hurricane Ivan struck Florida's coast near Pensacola on September 16, 2004. The Category 4 storm packed winds of over 120 MPH, produced a 20 foot storm and waves which devastated the existing 2.6 mile long bridges carrying I-10 over Escambia Bay. The Tidewater Skanska/Flatiron Constructors/Parsons Brinckerhoff Team developed an approach to the project which will produce over 5 miles of bridge structure in approximately two years; an average of 2,000 square feet of bridge constructed per day. The DVB Team developed innovative design and construction methods to make the construction schedule achievable.

### BREAK

10:10-10:30am

### Did London Bridge Fall Down?

Charles Seim, *Consulting Bridge Engineer, El Cerrito, CA*  
London Bridge was falling down! Bridges should not fall down; but they have! This paper examines historic and contemporary bridge failures and reasons for the failures. Perhaps studying past bridge failures will aid the bridge engineering profession to help prevent future bridges from falling down.

### James D. Cooper Student Paper Award Winner: Identification and Prioritization of Stream Channel Maintenance Needs at Bridge Crossings

Jessica T. Newlin, *Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering*; K. Sham Bhat, *Department of Statistics, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA*

Maintenance of bridge crossings over streams require consideration of both the state of the bridge structure itself and the state of the stream channel that it is crossing. The objective of this paper is to apply decision-making tools to stream stability assessment data to prioritize and identify stream channel maintenance needs at bridge crossings. The methods that are presented allow a manager or decision-maker to prioritize sites based on overall condition and to reduce a large data set to a manageable list of alternatives for stream channel improvement at the sites in the worst condition.

**Time:** 8:30am - 12:00noon  
**Room:** Ballroom 3  
**Chair:** Kent A. Harries, PhD, FACI, PEng  
*University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA*

### Stress Ribbon Pedestrian Bridges Supported or Suspended on Arches

Jiri Strasky, *Consulting Engineer, Greenbrae, CA*; Gary Rayer, *OBEC Consulting Engineers, Eugene, OR*

A new system that combines arches with the stress-ribbon is described in terms of the architectural and structural solution, static and dynamic analyses and a process of construction. The advantage of the structural system is demonstrated on examples of several structures built in Oregon, USA and in the Czech Republic.

### Integrated Abutment Technology for Simple Bridges

Michael T. Adams, William Wright, *Federal Highway Administration, McLean, Va*; Warren Schlatter, *Defiance County*

The concept of a Geosynthetic Reinforced Soil Integrated Bridge System" was developed by the Federal Highway Administration to meet the demand for new common, single-span bridges. This simple method of bridge support is quick to build and blends superstructure with the approach way to create an efficient, jointless bridge system

### Nano Technology and Bridges

Ken P Chong, P Balaguru, *National Science Foundation, Arlington, VA*

A futuristic bridge using nanotechnology is proposed. State of the art composites with sensing and control elements, self-healing materials, anti-graffiti and self-cleaning surfaces, smart paint, geothermal energy [to de-ice bridge decks], seismic design and other features will be incorporated in this futuristic concept. A preliminary design of this has appeared in the USA Today based on the interview with the author.

### New Stainless Steels for Bridge Applications

Fred Fletcher, *Mittal Steel USA, Coatesville, PA*; Jean-Christophe Gagnepain, *Industeel Arcelor, le Creusot, France*

Innovative bridge designers and engineers who are open to new materials can provide owners significant life cycle cost savings. Selecting the right bridge steel for special localized environmental conditions involves knowing and understanding the design strength and corrosion properties of the steels to be described in this presentation.

### BREAK

10:10-10:30am

IBC 07-23

10:30am

**Crossing Hangzhou Bay**

Beile Yin, *Hardesty & Hanover, New York, NY*; Lu Zhongda, Fang Minshan, *Engineering Headquarters of Hangzhou Bay Bridge, Ningbo, China*

Due to the complicated construction circumstance and large engineering scale of bay bridge, the design and construction of Hangzhou Bay Bridge will encounter numerous obstacles and challenges during construction inevitably. The paper presents a series of studies and their applications on key techniques, such as the GPS-based all-weather survey and control technique, the prefabrication, transit, and erection of large scale pre-stressed concrete box girder, the design, manufacturing, preservation and construction of large-diameter over-length steel tube pile, the durability of concrete structure in the marine environment, the influences of catastrophic weather on traffic safety, and the corresponding application methods are proposed.

IBC 07-24

10:55am

**The Second Wujiang Bridge in Fulin, China**

Gulei Ren, *T.Y. Lin International, Chongqing, China*; Man-Chung Tang, *T.Y. Lin International, San Francisco, CA*

This is an asymmetrical 3-span cable stayed bridge with spans of 100m, 340m and 150m. Because the uneven side span lengths, the two towers are of different heights. The main girder carries a single cell concrete box girder. Suspended by a single plane of cables.

IBC 07-25

11:20am

**Unique Bridge Type Selection for Two New Ohio River Bridges**

James B. Williams, *Michael Baker Jr., Inc., Louisville, KY*; Daniel Carrier, *Parsons Brinkerhoff, Louisville, KY*; Aaron L. Stover, PE, SE, *Michael Baker Jr., Inc., Louisville, KY*

The Ohio River Bridges Project in Louisville, Kentucky and Southern Indiana is one of the nation's major mega transportation projects, and it included two new bridges over the Ohio. This paper describes the four step Bridge Type Selection process that used public involvement to create informed public consent along with meeting the budget, engineering, and environmental requirements.

**DESIGN, PART 1**

Time: 8:30am - 12:00noon

Room: Ballroom 4

Chair: Gerald Pitzer, PE

*GAI Consultants, Inc., Homestead, PA*

IBC 07-26

8:30am

**Construction Engineering for the World's Longest Cable-Stayed Bridges**

Robin Sham, *Maunsell AECOM, Shatin, Hong Kong*

The work conducted for Sutong and Stonecutters Bridges, the world's two longest cable-stayed bridges, is the finest example of the application of construction engineering to tackling the technical challenges in large bridge construction. The very significant construction engineering activities include contractor's design; development of construction methodology; stage-by-stage erection analyses; bridge geometry monitoring and control; bridge aerodynamics and wind tunnel testing; vibration mitigation measures/devices, substantial falsework and cofferdam design; navigation studies and marine traffic management; marine jetty design; temporary traffic management; geotechnical engineering; together with research and development, amongst many other coordinated strands of work.

IBC 07-27

8:55am

**Cable Stay Acceptance Testing Program for the Stonecutters Bridge**

Thomas Weinmann, *CTLGroup, Skokie, IL*; Brian West, *Maeda, Hitachi, Yokogawa, Hsin Chong J.V., Kowloon, Hong Kong*; Gary Gan, PE, PhD, *CTL Group, Skokie, IL*

The Stonecutters Bridge in Hong Kong spans a record 1018m and will contain more than 100 stay cables. This paper discusses the approach taken by the owner and engineer to determine applicable cable-stay acceptance testing specifications for the Stonecutters Bridge and presents in detail the actual test program and results.

IBC 07-28

9:20am

**Seismic Design of a Base Isolated Arch Bridge with Complex Site Soil Conditions**

Paul Chung, Jason Fang, *Caltrans, Bridge Design Office, So.2, Diamond Bar, CA*

The paper describes the analytical studies and design solution to a proposed concrete arch bridge on a uniquely complex site geological condition. The proposed bridge is located in Los Angeles and crosses over the 405 freeway. The proposed structure measures 175.5 m in length and stands 25 m over the canyon which the 405 freeway passes under. The existing concrete box bridge will be replaced by a longer span structure to accommodate lane widening of the 405 freeway. The replacement will be a concrete arch bridge to symbolize a doorway to the Beverly Hills/Santa Monica community.

IBC 07-29

9:55am

**The Creation of a Culturally Significant Bridge**Bradley Touchstone, *The DodStone Group, Tallahassee, FL*; Faith Baum, *Illumination Arts LLC, Bloomfield, NJ*

A community's social goals for major bridge projects can become manifest through integration of lighting and aesthetics. Faith Baum and Bradley Touchstone will discuss how to successfully integrate these design components into the development of bridge projects without negatively impacting cost, constructability and maintenance.

**BREAK****10:10-10:30am**

IBC 07-30

10:30am

**Perry Street Bridge Replacement**James O'Leary, Richard Walters, *HNTB, Cleveland, OH*

The Ohio Department of Transportation wanted to replace the only bridge crossing the Maumee River in Napoleon, Ohio, during a one year period. They called upon HNTB to develop a methodology enabling the replacement. The use of innovative construction techniques facilitated the successful replacement in nine months.

IBC 07-31

10:55am

**Allegheny River Bridge Replacement**Brian Ranck, PE, *PA Turnpike Commission, Harrisburg, PA*; Gregory D. Stiles, PE, *FIGG, Exton, PA*

The Pennsylvania Turnpike plans to replace its Allegheny River crossing near Pittsburgh. Dual cast-in-place concrete box girder bridges using balanced cantilever construction will replace the existing bridge. Either pipe pile or drilled shaft foundations will support 100-foot high piers with curved sides that reflect the arching superstructure shape.

IBC 07-32

11:20am

**Design Alternatives of Liberty Memorial Bridge**Jimin Huang, Theunis van de Veen, *HDR Engineering, Inc., Tampa, FL*; Todd Lang, *HDR Engineering Inc., Minneapolis, MN*

This paper introduces and compares concrete and steel design alternatives of the 2369-foot-long Liberty Memorial Bridge in Bismark, ND. The concrete alternative did not have a cost advantage over the steel alternative for many reasons, including a unique pier design, the increase of concrete unit prices, and construction staging challenges.

**Special Interest Session: Bridge Inspection and Management Software****Time: 8:30 – 11:00am****Room: Allegheny (1st Floor)****Presenters: Marty Neaman, Michael Schellhase, Jeremy Shaffer**  
*InspectTech, Pittsburgh, PA*

InspectTech has worked with bridge owners and engineering firms in several states to develop a powerful and easy to use software package that benefits both inspectors and managers. We will be discussing experiences and observations on best practices for using computer technology in conducting inspections and managing bridge data.

Two sessions will be presented; the first will address problems and solutions for organizations performing inspections. The second covers challenges that bridge managers and owners face. A demonstration of relevant components of InspectTech's BridgeInspect™ software suite will be given in both sessions.

**Bridge Inspection Software****8:30-9:30am**

Learn how inspectors are using computer software to improve report quality and achieve significant time savings in data collection and report generation. The software has been used on several thousand structures ranging from 3000' bridges to simple spans to culverts to mass transit supports.

**Bridge Management Software****10:00-11:00am**

This presentation describes a popular bridge management system that places all bridge information (pictures, sketches, inspection data, etc.) just a click away via a powerful web-accessible interface. Owners and managers can now easily generate standard and custom reports, search across all fields, automatically flag problem areas, and compare data and trends from past inspection years.

## Special Interest Session: FRP Composites – Proven Performance in Bridge Construction

**Time:** 9:00am – 12:00noon  
**Room:** Duquesne Room (1st Floor)

FRP composites used in new bridge construction and rehabilitation provide bridge engineers with innovative solutions for today's infrastructure problems. Composites benefits such as light weight, high strength, and corrosion resistance contribute to easy transportation, offsite construction, modular assembly, rapid installation, and long-term durability. These benefits provide cost-effective solutions and value to the bridge owner. Composites multiple strengths and wide ranging design possibilities are illustrated through case histories of decks and structural rehabilitation of bridges. Session attendees will learn of new products and applications, how to design and specify composites, and installation techniques using examples from field applications.

### Composites Multiple Strengths and Infinite Possibilities

John P Busel, *American Composites Manufacturers Association*

### Tangier Island, VA: Site of the First Installation for an Innovative FRP Bridge Deck System

Dan Richards, Ph.D., PE., *ZellComp, Inc.*

### Strengthening Steel Bridges with Composites

Sami H. Rizkalla, PhD, PE., *North Carolina State University*

### Durability is in the Details for Successful FRP decks

Mark Henderson, PE., *LJB, Inc.*

### Renovation of a Historic Bridge Using an FRP Decking System

Ron Watson, *R J Watson, Inc*

### Hybrid-Composite Beams - The Sensible Bridge Alternative

John R. Hillman, PE, SE, *TENG*

## Seminar: Constructability of Steel Bridges: Smart, Safe, and Fast (NSBA)

**Time:** 1:00 – 5:00pm  
**Room:** Sterling's (1st Floor)  
**Presenters:** The National Steel Bridge Alliance (NSBA)

Field construction activities have been receiving much more consideration in recent years; both to deliver bridge projects with less impact on the motoring public and also to avoid accidents which can endanger both construction workers and the public.

This session would be a series of presentations on "Best Practices" in the Construction of Steel Bridges; focusing on design for fast construction, along with case studies of successful construction projects, from the contractor perspective.

## Special Interest Session: The Archtec System: A Unique Bridge Reinforcement System

**Time:** 1:00 – 5:00pm  
**Room:** Benedum (1st Floor)  
**Presenters:** Cintec America, Inc.

In North America, there are over 1,000 masonry arch bridges. Most are well over 100 years of age and many are registered as historical structures. Virtually every state in the U.S. has programs to upgrade, rehabilitate and/or widen many of these bridges for safety purposes as well as to accommodate the larger, heavier vehicles that use public roads today. The Archtec system, a product of Cintec America, Inc., provides a unique bridge reinforcement system. This system is a complete diagnostic, design and installation system designed to strengthen masonry arch bridges.

Archtec provides optimum level of strengthening while causing virtually no change to the appearance of the bridge, and can be installed without closing the bridge to traffic. In addition, the Archtec system can be installed in approximately one-fourth the time of the conventional concrete saddling method of reinforcement.

In this session, we will discuss all aspects of bridge evaluation and strengthening as well as discuss several bridges that were strengthened with this unique, cost effective system.

## Special Interest Session: RSA Floating Bridge

**Time:** 1:00 – 5 :00pm  
**Room:** Duquesne (1st Floor)  
**Presenters:** RSA and HNTB

The invention describes a factory prefabricated floating vehicular and pedestrian bridge of long lengths (typical 2,200') which can be easily and quickly re-assembled at site and connected to pre-constructed concrete footings to produce a safe four lane causeway with an additional center lane for service vehicles or pedestrian walkway. The floating bridge also has means to open from its middle to angle outwards allowing boat traffic through the center opening and then be pulled back and instantly reassembled as a safe floating vehicular roadway.

The invention can be freighted in equal sized pieces to the site via standard trucks or barged as a floating element to be floated into place at the site.

Distinct elements of the bridge include series of winch motors mounted to concrete blocks at or near the shore with cables connected to portions of the connected floating bridge elements. These programmed winch cables both stabilize the bridge against currents, tides, wind, etc. when connected as a single roadway length. Then as the center of the bridge is transitioned open one side cables are pulled in one direction as those connected floating elements curve away from the middle to allow for boat passage. The winch motors then reverse the cables to pull the bridge back to center as the center transition bridge automatically reconnects the bridge for vehicular traffic. Means to guide upstream floating debris and ice to the shore by use of floating booms with connected floating fence elements protect the bridge before debris can contact the bridge. Afterwards means to "self clean" the debris by opening both the floating boom and bridge are part of the maintenance operations.

RSA developed this bridge concept with HNTB Corporation.

## IBC BUS BRIDGE TOUR

**Time:** 1:00 to 5:00pm  
**Presenter:** John Nedley, PE  
*Robson Forensic, Inc*  
*Cranberry Twp., PA*

Pittsburgh is the city of bridges, and the IBC is pleased to once again offer our tour of unique bridges. The tour this year includes stops at the Mossdale Blvd. Bridge and the historic Hot Metal Bridge over the Monongahela River. These two structures are scheduled to be under construction in 2007. We also plan to visit the historic George Westinghouse Memorial Bridge, which when built included the longest concrete arch span in the world. This guided tour departs from the main entrance of the Hilton Hotel at 1 pm, please arrive 15 minutes early to board the bus. An additional fee of \$40 is required - please make your reservation at the Registration Desk.

## LONG SPAN BRIDGES

**Time:** 1:30 - 5:00pm  
**Room:** Ballroom 2  
**Chair:** Herbert M. Mandel, PE  
*GAI Consultants, Inc., Homestead, PA*

### IBC 07-33 1:30pm

#### Construction of the New Tacoma Narrows Bridge

Thomas Spoth, Augusto Molina, Seth Condell, Joe Viola,  
*Parsons, New York, NY*

The new Tacoma Narrows suspension bridge will consist of a 2,800 ft. main span supported by reinforced concrete towers founded on caissons of open-dredge construction. Gravity anchorages will secure the main cables. An integral truss / orthotropic deck system was designed to include an option for future lower roadway or LRT system.

### IBC 07-34 1:55pm

#### Design and Construction of the Chao Phraya River Cable-Stayed Bridge

Ruchu Hsu, *PB Americas, New York, NY*

This paper will discuss the design and construction of a cable-stayed bridge, which has a 500 m (1640') main span. The bridge is located in Bangkok, Thailand. Total 8 gantries in 4 pairs are erecting bridge deck segments simultaneously. The bridge has been designed for easy and ready access to all major components.

### IBC 07-35 2:20pm

#### Cable-Stayed Bridges- Discovering Alarming Distress and Damages

Armin Mehrabi, *Bridge Engineering Solutions, Lewiston, NY*; Christopher Ligozio, *Construction Technology Laboratories, Skokie, IL*

A series of shortcomings related to design, fabrication, and erection of stay cable systems, alarmingly common in many bridges are described, providing useful feedback to designers and contractors for deficiencies in some common details and methods, and for avoiding similar problems for future bridges. New inspection methods are also discussed.

### IBC 07-36 2:45pm

#### Design Build of a 350m long LNG Pipeline Suspension Bridge in Africa

Andreas Felber, David Queen, *Buckland & Taylor, North Vancouver, BC, Canada*

In a period of 20 months, Buckland & Taylor Ltd. Designed and Bechtel built a 350 m main span suspension bridge in Africa. The bridge carries a LNG pipeline and other utilities from a plant at an elevation of 60 m to a loading facility in the ocean.

### BREAK 3:15-3:45pm

IBC 07-37

3:45pm

### Construction of Tied Arch Bridge Across Ohio River and Blennerhassett Island

Gregor Wollmann, *Michael Baker Jr. Inc., Blacksburg, VA*; Ben Beerman, Julie Hartman, *West Virginia Department of Transportation, Charleston, WV*; Scott Benjamin, *Walsh Construction Company*

Construction of a new crossing of the Ohio River and Blennerhassett Island near Parkersburg, West Virginia is currently under way. The structure comprises an 878.5-ft long steel tied arch bridge over the main navigational channel of the river and plate girder approach bridges on Ohio and West Virginia side. The total length of the structure is 4,008 ft, which will make it the longest bridge in West Virginia. With a bid price of \$120 Mill. it is also the largest highway project ever awarded by the West Virginia Department of Highways. A unique feature of the tied arch span is its network hanger arrangement, ranking it among the longest span structures of this type in the world.

IBC 07-38

4:10pm

### High Tech Cable Stayed Bridge creates Economic Development Opportunities

Chris Burgess, SE, PE, *FIGG, Denver, CO*; Tom Doe, PE, *Maine Department of Transportation, Bucksport, ME*

Maine's first cable-stayed bridge is an extraordinary transportation asset. This 2,120' emergency replacement bridge opened 40 months after the need was identified and includes state of the art cable technology, unique aesthetics and the world's tallest public bridge observatory.

IBC 07-39

4:35pm

### Toledo's Newest Landmark

Manuel Carballo, PE, SE, *FIGG, Toledo, OH*; Michael Gramza, PE, *Ohio DOT, Toledo, OH*

Toledo's I-280 Veterans' Glass City Skyway bridge is the largest single project undertaken to date by Ohio DOT and consists of approximately 27,000 linear feet of precast concrete segmental construction and a unique cable-stayed main span unit that includes innovative structural components and aesthetic features.

## INNOVATION, PART 2

**Time:** 1:30 - 5:00pm  
**Room:** Ballroom 3  
**Chair:** Kenneth J. Wright, PE  
*HDR Engineering, Inc., Pittsburgh, PA*

IBC 07-40

1:30pm

### New Developments In Precast Prestressed Concrete Bridge Systems In Washington State

Bijan Khaleghi, *Washington State DOT, Tumwater, WA*

As the trend towards long-span girders continues, the need for an optimum girder section becomes greater. To meet this need, WSDOT has developed new girders to expand the use of precast prestressed girders in bridge construction. A comprehensive review of WSDOT long-span prestressed girders are presented in this article.

IBC 07-41

1:55pm

### Lateral Cantilevered Bridge for the Hillside Roadway Construction in Steep-Sloped Mountainous Area

Fang Li, *Chongqing Jiaotong University / TRC Imbsen, Folsom, CA*; Zhixiang Zhou, *Chongqing Jiaotong University, Chongqing, China*

For steep-sloped hillside roadway construction, an integral cantilevered frame system with ground tieback anchors was introduced as an alternative to the deep cuts and high fills approach, which would often lead to potential slope instability problems and initiate new landslides during service life, as well as increase the life cycle cost of the project.

IBC 07-42

2:20pm

### Evaluation and Prediction of Lateral Load Distribution and Dynamic Behavior for the Sandwich Plate System In Bridge Applications

Devin Harris, Tommy Cousins, Thomas Murray, Elisa Sotelino, *Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA*

An innovative solution on the market, the Sandwich Plate System (SPS), has been utilized in a series of bridges in Canada and is being implemented in two bridges in the United States. SPS is comprised of a rigid polyurethane core bound by steel face; the system is typically cast as prefabricated panels that serve as the bridge deck. The system lightweight, simple to construct, and can be tailored for both new construction and repair/rehabilitation applications.

IBC 07-43

2:45pm

### Mechanical Behaviour of Reactive Powder Concrete Bridge Beams

Ri Gao, *Beijing Jiaotong University, Beijing, China*;  
Chenggen Li, *First Railway Survey & Design Inst. Lanzhou, China*

A new type of bridge beam, which is made of reactive powder concrete (RPC) precast segment prestressed by external tendons, is presented. The structural concept is based on the combination of the advantages of RPC and prestress technology. Based on the optimal mixture proportion of RPC, eight simply supported RPC beams are made and tested. The mechanical properties of RPC beams, including section deformation, load-displacement relationship, failure forms, crack distribution, crack extension and ultimate flexural capacity, are discussed.

**BREAK**

3:15-3:45pm

IBC 07-44

3:45pm

### Unique Features of the Michigan Modified Twin Arches

Muthiah Kasi, *alfred benesch and company, Chicago, IL*;  
George Horas, *alfred benesch and company, Allentown, PA*;  
Ihab Darwish, *alfred benesch and company, Lansing, MI*

A first of its kind, the Gateway Bridge in Detroit, Michigan offers several unique structural accomplishments to the field of engineering. Uneven arch lengths, pressurized ribs, an underground concrete tie and even Super Bowl XL inspired football-shaped braces were all incorporated in this state-of-the-art design.

IBC 07-45

4:10pm

### Deck Replacement of the Port Authority Bus Ramps

David M. Marcic, PE, *Hardesty & Hanover, LLP, Annapolis, MD*

This paper presents the technical challenges and solutions for performing complex deck replacement work using pre-cast concrete deck panels, as well as working in a congested urban environment where traffic demand is high, and impact to local residents is of concern.

IBC 07-46

4:35pm

### Innovative Arch Span

Richard Beaupre, Christoph Dilger, *URS Corp, Tampa, FL*; Cliff Hall, *URS Corp, Dallas, TX*

The Arapaho Road Bridge in the town of Addison, Texas was not only designed to relieve traffic but become a signature bridge for the Town. The challenge was to come up with a solution that met the Town's desire to create a unique landmark yet was still economically feasible.

## INSPECTION

Time: 1:30 - 5:00pm

Room: Ballroom 4

Chair: Jeffrey J. Campbell, PE

*Michael Baker Jr., Inc., Moon Twp., PA*

IBC 07-47

1:30pm

### Inspection and Retrofit of a Segmental Concrete Box Girder Bridge

Steven Kaufman, PE, Michael Abrahams, PE, *PB Americas, Inc., New York, NY*

The Jamestown-Verrazano Bridge features a 4,950-foot-long pre-stressed segmental box girder main bridge. The paper will discuss in some detail inspection findings and repairs that are underway including tendon voids and the use of a carbon-fiber reinforced polymer reinforcement system for the cracked webs of the pier tables.

IBC 07-48

1:55pm

### Post Fatigue Evaluation for Existing Steel Bridges Rehabilitation and Strengthening

Wang Chunsheng, Hao Xianwu, *Chang'an University, Xi'an, China*

Post fatigue evaluation is very necessary for existing steel bridge strengthening in order to make their continued safe use while at the same time avoiding unnecessary repairs. According to post fatigue life evaluation results using fracture mechanics, strengthening effectiveness and maintenance strategies for Wubao Yellow River Bridge are determined.

IBC 07-49

2:20pm

### Active Fatigue Crack Inspection, Detection, and Analysis on Three Steel Pennsylvania Bridges Using the Electrochemical Fatigue Sensor

Marybeth Miceli, *Sam Schwartz, PLLC, New York, NY*;  
Brent Phares, PE, PhD, *Material Technologies, Los Angeles, CA*; Monty Moshier, PhD, *MAKStride, LLC, Washington, UT*

The paper will briefly discuss the technical background of the EFS system, several case studies with a specific interest in testing completed in October 2006 on three Pennsylvania Interstate steel bridges with documented cracks at fatigue sensitive details. Using EFS, the engineering team determined that some of the cracks were continuing to actively grow while other retrofitted locations were not exhibiting growth, allowing for deferment of repair funds. Also, the engineering team identified additional active cracking locations not previously documented.

**IBC 07-50****2:45pm****Re-evaluation of Weight Limits for Six Bridges in Montgomery County Maryland**Ed Zhou, *URS Corporation, Hunt Valley, MD*; Tim Cupples, *Montgomery County DPWT Maryland, Rockville, MD*

Montgomery County of Maryland owns and maintains 266 bridges. As a pilot program for re-evaluating weight postings, 6 of their 74 weight restricted bridges were selected for an advanced analysis through combined field load testing and finite element modeling. The project was successfully completed in 2005 and the work procedure and results are summarized in this paper. As a result of this project, weight postings of all six bridges have been removed.

**BREAK****3:15-3:45pm****IBC 07-51****3:45pm****Remote Structural Monitoring for Asset Management**Raymond Hartle, *Michael Baker Jr. Inc., Moon Township, PA*; Paul Majoris, *PennDOT, Indiana, PA*

This paper will demonstrate how the application of current sensor technology combined with remote data transfer using wireless technology, and the integration of a 3D finite element modeling, will save bridge owners money and simultaneously illustrate management solutions for safe bridge operations and a longer service life.

**IBC 07-52****4:10pm****Findings of the Initial Inspection of the CA/T Segmental Bridges in Boston- Successes and Shortcomings**Firooz Panah, Reed Brockman, *DMJM Harris, Boston, MA*

This paper provides a summary of the inspection results and performance of a number of bridge components including wearing surfaces, superstructure boxes, longitudinal and transverse closure pours, seismic restrainers, and bearings. With over 40,000 ft of segmental bridges, the project is one of the largest applications of precast concrete segmental construction in an urban setting.

**IBC 07-53****4:35pm****City of Baltimore - From Paper to Electronic in Bridge Management and Inspection**Tony Grant, *City of Baltimore, Baltimore, MD*; Jeremy Schaffer, *InspectTech, Pittsburgh, PA*

This presentation covers a background on the city bridge program and discusses a new approach taken by a team of consultants and the city on the latest inspection cycle. An integrated software system was used to enhance and streamline the process both within the consultant team and the city.

**SEMINAR: AASHTO Load and Resistance Factor Rating Workshop (LRFR)**

**Time:** 8:00am – 12:00noon  
**Room:** Sterling's (1st Floor)  
**Presenters:** Dr. Firas Sheikh Ibrahim, PE

*FHWA - Chair;*

**Mr. Bala Sivakumar, PE,**  
*Lichtenstein Engineers - Instructor*

The American Association of State and Highway Officials (AASHTO) and the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) have set a transition date of October 1, 2007 after which all new bridges shall be designed by the LRFD Bridge Design Specifications. This has created an opportunity for rating engineers to convert their practice to the new Load and Resistance Rating (LRFR) Methodology when rating these newly designed bridges, and when rating existing bridges designed with the Standard Specifications.

To assist the bridge community in a successful transition to LRFR, this workshop will serve as an introduction level portion of a series of educational seminars and training courses that will be available through the FHWA over the next few years. The workshop will provide an overview of LRFR and will include an introduction to load rating, loads, load factors, and load rating process. Two simple rating examples of steel and concrete bridges will be discussed.

**Special Interest Session: Western Pennsylvania Transportation Research Forum**

Presented by the University of Pittsburgh Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering

**Time:** 8:00 am – 12:00 noon  
**Room:** Benedum Room, 1st Floor  
**Presenters:** Kent A. Harries, PhD, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

The forum will highlight both research-in-progress and recently completed bridge and transportation research funded largely by PennDOT and NCHRP. The forum will be focused on technology transfer and will be of interest to DOT engineers, consultants and practitioners. Brief presentations will be followed by questions. The forum will close with a panel discussion consisting of the presenters and other invited representatives. Following the IBC, Forum attendees will receive a CD consisting of the presented papers and a transcript of the questions, responses and panel discussion. The forum is open to all IBC attendees.

## CONSTRUCTION

**Time:** 8:00am - 12:30pm  
**Room:** Ballroom 2  
**Chair:** Mary Lou Ralls, PE  
*Ralls Newman, LLC, Austin, TX*

**IBC 07-54** 8:00am**Design and Construction of World Longest Rail and Highway Tie-Arch - Chongqing Yangtze River Crossing**

Man-Chung Tang, *T.Y. Lin International, San Francisco, CA*; Junling Sun, *Sun Engineering Consultants International, Inc., Guangzhou, China*; Hua Yusheng, Li Huaji, *Chongqing City Construction and Investment Co., Chongqing, China*

Currently under construction, the Chongqing Caiyuanba Bridge will carry six lanes of highway and two pedestrian walkways on its upper deck plus two tracks of monrails on its lower deck. Scheduled to be open to traffic in 2007, this 420 m. span tied arch will be a world record of its type.

**IBC 07-55** 8:25am**Demolition Study of 300-ft Truss Incorporated in Bridge Replacement Bid Documents**

John Shanks, PE, Ed Cinadr, PE, *Burgess & Niple, Inc., Columbus, OH*

Alerting Contractors of demolition complexity, a study for dismantling a 300-foot truss over the Mahoning River and two active railroad bridges in proximity of high-voltage transmission lines was incorporated in the bridge replacement bid documents including one feasible demolition scheme with crane sizes, configurations, positions, picks, clearances, and shoring/causeway locations.

**IBC 07-56** 8:50am**Overnight Delivery - The Story of NJDOT's US 1 Freeway Bridge Reconstruction Project**

Xiaohua Cheng, *New Jersey Department of Transportation, Trenton, NJ*; Harry Capers, *Arora and Associates, PC, Lawrenceville, NJ*

Our highway bridges are subjected to increasing traffic volumes and structural deficiency, and must be continuously renewed while maintaining traffic flow. This paper presents the application of prefab construction technology that involved replacing bridge superstructures over weekends. It shows an example supporting the FHWA's accelerated bridge construction decision making framework.

**IBC 07-57** 9:15am**Advances and Trends in Implementing HPC in the Western States**

Tarif Jaber, *Jaber Engineering Consulting, Inc., Scottsdale, AZ*

This presentation reviews western states programs, policies and approaches in extending the service life of their bridge decks. While some states are designing and building their bridges for 120 years service life, others are in the early stages of such programs, exploring new technology and materials for their bridges.

**IBC 07-58** 9:40am**Accelerated Concrete and Maturity Testing for Rapid Replacement of Bridge Decks**

Walid Najjar, Steven Smith, *Chas. H. Sells, Inc., Briarcliff Manor, NY*

Strength development of accelerated concrete in re-constructed deck slabs of an elevated steel viaduct is monitored through maturity loggers inside the slabs. Early-opening-to-traffic is based on field data and pre-established strength-maturity correlation. Laboratory testing of accelerated concrete and field application of the maturity method are presented.

**BREAK** 10:05-10:20am**IBC 07-59** 10:20am**National Perspective on Accelerated Bridge Construction**

Gary S. Jakovich, PE, Vasant Mistry, *Federal Highway Administration, Washington, DC*

This paper will provide information on the state of the art practices of the Accelerated Bridge Construction Technology, including information on how by using innovative prefabricated bridge technologies and innovative equipment and contracting strategies rather than conventional techniques, we can achieve our goals of rapid onsite construction.

**IBC 07-60** 10:45am**Ramp H of the E-470/I-70 Interchange**

Kenneth C. Saindon, PE, Chuck Agins, PE, Dave Holst, PE, *DMJM Harris, Denver, CO*

Ramp H of the E-470/I-70 Interchange is a direct connector of 1616' overall length. This complex structure is composed of precast/curved/spliced/post-tensioned concrete tub girders. The challenge of designing this structure within the context of design/build is presented along with innovative solutions developed as well as lessons learned from construction.

**IBC 07-61** **11:10am**

**Accelerated Bridge Construction in Areas of High or Moderate Seismicity**

Bijan Khaleghi, *WSDOT, Tumwater, WA*

In recent years, there has been an increasing public demand for accelerated bridge construction using precast members. This paper examines the applicability of the AASHTO LRFD Specifications to precast bridges in areas of high or moderate seismicity. It discusses the different seismic design methodologies and their application to precast bridges.

**IBC 07-62** **11:35am**

**Design Practices for Lagging used with Soldier Pile Walls**

Stuart Bennion, *WSDOT Bridge and Structures, Olympia, WA*

A comparison of AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications (3rd edition, 2004), Washington State Bridge Design Manual (LRFD 2006), and the FHWA Table of "Recommended Thickness of Timber Lagging" (Report No. FHWA-RD-75-130) shows why the timber lagging thicknesses vary from state contracts to those designed by contractors.

**REHABILITATION**

**Time:** 8:00am - 12:30pm  
**Room:** Ballroom 3  
**Chair:** Louis J. Ruzzi, PE

*Pennsylvania Dept. of Transportation, Bridgeville, PA*

**IBC 07-63** **8:00am**

**Ebey Island Viaduct Bridge: Pilot Project to Comprehensive Carbon Fiber Rehabilitation**

Ralph Dornsife, *Washington State Dept. of Transportation - Bridge & Structures Office, Olympia, WA*

This 6,850' long bridge comprising deteriorating precast concrete super-structure elements is being rehabilitated to extend its service life. Capacity loss assessment, structural design, work sequencing, and traffic control issues will be presented with construction photographs, durability observations, and lessons learned from a pilot project completed several years ago.

**IBC 07-64** **8:25am**

**Design for Main Structures - Alexander Hamilton Bridge**

Martin Kendall, Chih Ping, *Edwards and Kelcey Inc, New York, NY*

The analysis and design of the main bridge structures carrying the Cross Bronx Expressway over the Harlem River is described. This includes the linking together and upgrading of two parallel hingeless arch bridges and the rehabilitation of the approach span multi-girder structures for increase in redundancy and seismic upgrade.

**IBC 07-65** **8:50am**

**Widening and Rehabilitation of Homestead Grays Bridge**

Dan Wills, *ms consultants, inc., Coraopolis, PA*

This paper will present the unique design solutions and innovative construction techniques required to widen and rehabilitate this 3100 foot-long Wichert Truss bridge with two intersecting ramps. While maintaining two lanes of traffic at all times through girders, floorbeams, expansion dams and bearings were replaced. The reuse of the existing 70-year-old concrete filled grid deck and pedestrian railing will also be discussed.

**IBC 07-66** **9:15am**

**Rehabilitation of the Haverhill-Bath Covered Bridge**

Robert Durfee, *DuBois & King, Inc., Nashua, NH*

A detailed analysis was performed to determine the load sharing relationship between the two primary structural systems (trusses and arches). The analysis identified design deficiencies in the trusses and the arches. Modifications were designed that did not affect the aesthetic or historic fabric of the bridge, an important requirement as part of the rehabilitation.

**IBC 07-67** **9:40am**

**Preserving Our Nation's Transportation Heritage (Restoring the Blaine Hill Stone-Arch Bridge)**

Ronald Bovetsky, *KCI Technologies, Inc., Akron, OH*;  
 Wade Rider, *Lichtenstein Consulting Engineers, Inc., Langhorne, PA*

A case history will be presented illustrating the rehabilitation of Spans 2 and 3 of the Blaine Hill stone arch bridge, constructed in 1828 in Ohio, utilizing traditional repair measures along with the construction of a load bearing reinforced concrete arch inside the existing masonry structure.

**BREAK** **10:05-10:20am**

**IBC 07-68** **10:20am**

**Heat Straightening and Heat Shortening of Truss Eyebars to Repair Flood Damage**

Roger Stanley, PE, MSCE, *DMJM Harris, Philadelphia, PA*; Michael J. Abrahams, PE, *PB Americas, New York, NY*; Roy W. Little, PE, *Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission, Morrisville, PA*

In June of 2006, a near-record flood damaged 21 eyebar members of the 1040 foot truss bridge crossing the Delaware River between New Hope, Pennsylvania and Lambertville, New Jersey. Heat straightening was undertaken to remove flood-induced eyebar deformations. Heat shortening was also performed to equalize the loads and restore capacity in these 100 plus year old components.

IBC 07-69

10:45am

### Development History, Specifications, and Case Studies of Polyester Polymer Concrete Overlays for Bridge Deck Protection

Paul D. Krauss, *Wiss Janney Elstner Associates, Northbrook, IL*; Al Klail, *Kwik Bond Polymers, LLC, Ramon, CA*

An overlay system of HMWM methacrylate primer and flexible polyester resin polymer concrete has been in continuous use since 1981. Returns traffic within 2 hours of paving down to 40 F. While used over 25 years, plastic concrete remains new to most agencies making writing quality specifications difficult. Agencies need to adopt quality overlay specifications, test and evaluate specific systems in the field, and develop a quality control and acceptance program based on performance results.

IBC 07-70

11:10am

### Emergency Pier Repairs to the Liberty Memorial Bridge, Bismarck, North Dakota

Michael Marks, *Kadrmars, Lee & Jackson, Inc., Fairfield, NJ*; Wade Frank, *Kadrmars, Lee & Jackson, Inc., Moorhead, MN*

This paper describes innovative design and construction techniques utilized to repair severe cracking and deterioration found on river pier columns supporting 480 foot truss superstructures. These deficiencies eventually required closure of the structure. Using a design-build concept, repairs were designed, constructed and the bridge re-opened within 7 weeks.

IBC 07-71

11:35am

### Bronx-Whitestone Bridge Redecking

Genaro Velez, *Weidlinger Associates, New York, NY*; Omar Fernandez, *MTA Bridges and Tunnels, Bronx, NY*

The Bronx-Whitestone Bridge has put on a lot of weight from additions tacked on to widen the bridge from four to six lanes. Engineers determined that the extra pounds, which were placing undue strain on the aging structure's suspension cables, could cause complications. In response, a new deck-stiffening system was constructed that shed some of the bridge's weight and extend its lifespan.

## DESIGN, PART 2

Time: 8:00am - 12:30pm

Room: Ballroom 4

Chair: Matthew P. McTish, PE

*McTish, Kunkel and Associates, Allentown, PA*

IBC 07-72

8:00am

### Revised New Recommended Seismic Design Guide Specifications of The U.S. Highway Bridges

W. Phillip Yen, *FHWA, McLean, VA*; Richard Pratt, *Alaska DOT, Juneau, AK*

This Paper briefly discussed the major changes of revised recommendations for AASHTO's New Bridge's Seismic Design Guide Specifications. The revised specifications were completed by a National Cooperative Highway Research Program project in May, 2006. NCHRP 2007 / Task 193 will be considered for adoption by AASHTO in 2007.

IBC 07-73

8:25am

### Seismic Response of Long Span Bridges Subjected to Near Fault Ground Motions

George Lee, *Multidisciplinary Center for Earthquake Engineering Research (MCEER), Buffalo, NY*

In this paper, three types of long span bridges are selected as the model bridges for study under the selected near fault ground motions (which has dominate velocity pulse and large displacement): the first one is a suspension bridge which has longest period, the second one is a cable stayed bridge with less longer fundamental period, and the third one is a steel arch bridge with the least longer fundamental period. Their seismic responses are compared with that from a well used near fault ground motion record 1940 EL Centro (which does not contain any of these pulses). The different effects of such near fault ground motions on the responses of the three selected typical long span bridges are discussed.

IBC 07-74

8:50am

### The Replacement of the US 98 Bridge over Mexico Beach Canal

Tom Romanowich, *Parsons Brinckerhoff, Jacksonville, FL*; John Poulson, *Parsons Brinckerhoff, Tampa, FL*

The project is located in Mexico Beach, Florida; a coastal resort community located in the Florida panhandle. The medium span precast concrete arch alternate was selected after consideration of the improved vertical and horizontal clearance for marine traffic and the superior aesthetics.

**Schedule at a Glance** ..... **Ballroom 2 (Mezzanine)** ..... **Ballroom 3 (Mezzanine)** ..... **Ballroom 4 (Mezzanine)** ..... **Benedum Room (1st Floor)** ..... **Duquesne Room (1st Floor)** ..... **Sterling's Room (1st Floor)**

**MONDAY** ..... **EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 11:00am - 7:00pm**

8:30-11:30am	Opening Session				
11:30am-12:45pm	Awards Luncheon - Tickets required				
1:30-5:00pm	Featured Country: The People's Republic of China				
4:00-6:00pm	Proprietary Session				
5:00-7:00pm	Attendee's Opening Reception throughout the Exhibit Hall				

**TUESDAY** ..... **EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 7:30am - 5:00pm**

7:00-8:00am	Attendee's Continental Breakfast throughout the Exhibit Hall				
8:30-12:00noon	Extreme Events	Innovation, Part 1	Design, Part 1	SIS: Coatings (8:00-12:00)	SIS: FRP Composites (9:00-12:00)
					Seminar: ASBI (8:00-12:00)
		<b>Ballroom 2 (Mezzanine)</b>	<b>Ballroom 3 (Mezzanine)</b>	<b>Ballroom 4 (Mezzanine)</b>	<b>Benedum Room (1st Floor)</b>
					<b>Duquesne Room (1st Floor)</b>
					<b>Sterling's Room (1st Floor)</b>

SIS: Inspectech  
(8:30-11:00 Allegheny Room)

1:00-5:00pm	IBC Bus Tour				
1:30-5:00pm	Long Span	Innovation, Part 2	Inspection	SIS: Archtec (1:00-5:00)	SIS: RSA Floating Bridge (1:00-5:00)
					Seminar: NSBA (1:00-5:00)
		<b>EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 7:30am - 1:30pm</b>			

8:00am-12:00noon	Construction	Rehabilitation	Design 2	SIS: WPTRF	Seminar: AASHTO
12:00noon-1:30pm	Attendee's Buffet Lunch throughout the Exhibit Hall				
1:30-5:00pm	Special Structures	Pedestrian Bridges			

**IBC 07-75**

**9:15am**

**Transportation Infrastructure Design-Build at APM Terminal, Portsmouth, VA.**

Greg Lassiter, PE, Tyson Rosser, PE, *Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc., Boston, MA*

The first Design-Build contract awarded by the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) was propelled by the private sector. When A.P.Moeller-Maersk (APM) of Denmark sought to expand its facilities in Portsmouth, Virginia and build the first privately developed U.S. container terminal, the roads and bridges leading to the site were found to be inadequate. The state of Virginia quickly responded to this need by using the Design-Build delivery system. Critical to the success of the APM-Maersk port operations is an aggressively timed construction to extend access from Route 164 to the port site. Expediently solving the significant infrastructure, right-of-way, and permitting challenges was tailor-made for the Design-Build partnership.

**IBC 07-76**

**9:40am**

**Probabilistic Damage Control Approach (PDCA) for Seismic Design of Bridges**

Amir Malek, Abbas Tourzani, Sam Ataya, Mark Mahan, *California Department of Transportation, Sacramento, CA*

Probabilistic Damage Control Approach (PDCA) is a new assessment procedure to quantify damage to bridge columns subjected to various probabilistic seismic events. The level of damage is represented by Damage Index coefficient. This paper provides general information on application of PDCA in seismic design and also post-event evaluation of bridges.

**BREAK**

**10:05-10:20am**

**IBC 07-77**

**10:20am**

**Breathing Life into Dreams**

Nedim Alca, P.Eng., Hisham H. Ibrahim, Peter G. Buckland, *Buckland & Taylor Ltd., North Vancouver, Canada*

Today, signature bridges are more popular than ever with both the public and bridge owners. Many authorities are therefore looking for bridge crossings that "make a statement". The questions that immediately arise then are: what is the statement, why do public and owners want signature bridges, what does it take to build one?

**IBC 07-78**

**10:45am**

**Context Sensitive Segmental Design Over the Northeast Cape Fear River in North Carolina**

Satrajit Das, PhD, PE, *URS Corporation - North Carolina, Morrisville, NC*; Santiago Rodriguez, *T.Y. Lin International, Raleigh, NC*

Context sensitive solutions played a prominent role in the successful completion of this award winning six-lane bridge project on US-17 over the Northeast Cape Fear River, NC. The bridge consists of 6,300 feet of pre-stressed concrete girder approach spans and a 1,037 - foot concrete segmental unit with a 479-foot channel span.

**IBC 07-79**

**11:10am**

**A Study on Extradosed Bridges for Road and Railway Traffic**

Wouter De Corte, *Ghent University, Ghent, Belgium*

Extradosed bridges are post-tensioned concrete bridges with post tensioning cables reaching beyond the physical boundaries of the concrete section. Although its appearance resembles a cable stay bridge with shorter towers, an extradosed bridge functions rather as a normal post-tensioned bridge resisting vertical loads primarily by bending rather than by the vertical component of the cable force creating flexible intermediate supports. The paper provides initial design guidelines for a continuous multi-span extradosed bridge, and this for road bridges as well as railway bridges.

**IBC 07-80**

**11:35am**

**Behavior of Integral Abutments with Tall Back walls**

Faheem Ahmad, Nasser Zoubi, *E. L. Robinson Engineering Co., Charleston, WV*; Ahmed N K Mongi, *West Virginia Division of Highways, Charleston, WV*

This paper presents studies conducted on the height of abutment back wall and its influence on the behavior of integral abutments. Factors investigated included wall height, abutment skew, pile orientation and type of backfill. Based on the studies, upper limit for the height of integral abutment back wall is presented.

**ATTENDEE BUFFET LUNCH**

All Registered Attendees of the IBC are welcome to enjoy lunch served throughout all of the IBC Exhibit Hall. Enjoy this opportunity to browse the Exhibits while finding different buffet items at each booth. The Attendees Buffet Lunch will begin at 12:00noon and is available until 1:30, at the closing of the Exhibit Hall!

**SPECIAL STRUCTURES**

**Time: 1:30 – 3:45pm**  
**Room: Ballroom 2**  
**Chair: Donald W. Herbert, PE**

*Pennsylvania Dept. of Transportation, Uniontown, PA*

**IBC 07-81**

**1:30pm**

**Replacing The MLK Bascule Bridge**

David Rogowski, *Genesis Structures, Inc., Kansas City, MO*; Jeff Kracun, *National Engineering and Contracting Company, Canonsburg, PA*

The MLK Replacement Project required removal of four delicately balanced bascule leaves followed by installation of four new bascule frames, all performed on the Maumee River. This paper highlights the innovative erection process developed to carefully choreograph a combination of large deck barges, heavy duty mobile transports, erection gantries, lifting towers and auxiliary counterweights.

**IBC 07-82** 1:55pm

**A New Concept For A Vertical Lift Bridge In Rouen**

Michel Moussard, *Arcadis, Savres, France*

A large new lift bridge is being completed over the River Seine in Rouen (France). To fit into the city, engineers and architects have designed an innovative structure, which combines efficiency, reliability, and elegance. Its masterpiece is the lifting system, located in between the two independent spans.

**IBC 07-83** 2:20pm

**Two Steel Bridges for the High Speed Railway line Madrid-Barcelona-French Border**

Juan Sobrino, *Pedelta, Barcelona, Spain*

The two first steel bridges for the High Speed Railway line Madrid-Barcelona-France have been recently completed near Barcelona. Both viaducts were designed according to a similar concept: composite steel-concrete deck suspended on structural steel tied members. Bridges have been incrementally launched. The main span is 75 m (250 ft)

**IBC 07-84** 2:45pm

**Designing Bridges For Aircraft**

Ted Bush, *HDR Engineering, Inc., Boise, ID*; Rob Turton, *HDR Engineering, Inc., Phoenix, AZ*

This presentation will provide attendees with useful guidance on the design and detailing of major airside structures. An overview of typical airside design considerations will be followed by a presentation of a case study - the design and construction of the Taxiway Sierra Underpass at Phoenix's Sky Harbor International Airport.

**IBC 07-85** 3:10pm

**Design and Construction of the World Longest Girder Bridge - The New Chongqing ShiBanPo Yangtze River Crossing**

Junling (John) Sun, *Sun Engineering Consultants International, Inc., Guangzhou, China*; Yusheng Hua, *Chongqing City Construction Investment Co., Chongqing, China*

The New Chongqing ShiBanPo Yangtze River Crossing is a segmental frame girder bridge with a main span of 330 meters. Open to traffic in Sept. 2006, this bridge sets the new span length records for all girder bridges. This paper presents some of the critical issues both in design and construction.

**PEDESTRIAN BRIDGES**

**Time:** 1:30 – 3:45pm  
**Room:** Ballroom 3  
**Chair :** Arthur W. Hedgren, Jr., PhD, PE  
*Consultant, Pittsburgh, PA*

**IBC 07-86** 1:30pm

**Design of a Curved, Self-Anchored Suspension Bridge for the New San Diego Ballpark**

Tomás Kompfner, PhD, PE, Jiri Strasky, PhD, PE, *Strasky+Anatech, San Diego, CA*; Joseph Tognoli, PE, Daniel Fitzwilliam, PE, *T.Y. Lin International, San Diego, CA*

A pedestrian bridge will link the San Diego Ballpark with a parking garage. It will be a curved suspension bridge supported on only one side with a span of 353' and a 20' width. The structural behavior of this structure will be explained, and some innovative details required will be shown.

**IBC 07-87** 1:55pm

**Construction of the Wichita Riverfront Cable-Stayed Pedestrian Bridges**

David Byers, John Boschert, *Genesis Structures, Inc., Kansas City, MO*; Matt Inlow, *Dondlinger & Sons Construction Co., Wichita, KS*

As part of Wichita's four-phase riverfront development program, two pedestrian bridges located at the confluence of the Arkansas and Little Arkansas rivers are being constructed. The bridges will connect Exploration Place, a modern, interactive science museum, with the Mid-America All-Indian Center, surrounding lands that lie between the rivers and bicycle and hiking trails on the banks of both rivers. The city of Wichita, Kansas authorized a cable-stayed bridge design concept with asymmetrical tower locations. The focus of this presentation will be to present the very unique aspects of pedestrian bridge construction.

**IBC 07-88** 2:20pm

**Stabilization of a Two-Girder Pedestrian Bridge During Construction**

Brian Kozy, Shawn Tunstall, *HDR Engineering, Inc., Pittsburgh, PA*

This paper discusses stability analysis and bracing of a two-girder pedestrian bridge during construction in Newport, Minnesota. Analysis showed the bridge may be unstable during the deck pour due to "system buckling". FE buckling analyses were performed to develop a bracing scheme that minimized the construction costs and delays.

**IBC 07-89**

**2:55pm**

**Omaha Pedestrian Bridge - Deck Aerodynamics and Derivation of Wind Loads via 3D Force Balance Testing**

Jamieson K. Robinson, PEng, *Motioneering Inc., Guelph, Ontario, Canada*; Ted Zoli, H. Hutton, C. Brown, *HNTB Corporation, New York, NY*; Stoyan Stoyanoff, *RWDI, Canada*

The 3000 ft Missouri River Pedestrian Bridge will be one of the longest pedestrian spans ever constructed, and features a unique, horizontally curved, cable-stayed main span. As such, it poses many structural, architectural, and wind engineering challenges. These will be discussed, including wind tunnel sectional model tests to confirm stability, a novel 3D Force balance wind tunnel method that was devised to study three-dimensional wind effects on the curved superstructure, and pedestrian-induced vibration engineering assessments.

**IBC 07-90**

**3:20pm**

**Walkway over the Hudson**

Peter Melewski, PE, *Bergmann Associates, Albany, NY*; Mal McLaren, Dave Thurnherr, *Walkway over the Hudson, Poughkeepsie, NY*

The 1.25 mile long Poughkeepsie Railroad Bridge was an engineering wonder when it opened in 1888. Design is underway to establish it as a public park and walkway, as well as a bridge engineering educational resource. The walkway will connect 30 miles of recreational trails, and provide breathtaking views.

The IBC Exhibit Hall features more than 120 different firms and organizations who are part of the bridge industry. Attendees are encouraged to browse the entire Exhibit Hall - Ballroom 1, Foyer, Kings Garden and Rooms 200-204 - during each day of the IBC. Exhibit Hall hours are:

- Monday, June 4 from 11:00am until 7:00pm,
- Tuesday, June 5 from 7:30am until 5:00pm, and on
- Wednesday, June 6 from 7:30am until 1:30pm.

Special events are scheduled each day during the IBC, and include

- the Opening Welcome Party on Monday from 5:00-7:00pm,
- the Tuesday morning Continental Breakfast at 7:30am, and
- the Wednesday Luncheon Buffet from 12:00-1:30pm.

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**American Bridge Manufacturing**

**Booth: 23**

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Serving the needs of specifiers, architects, engineers, contractors, and fabricators throughout North America since 1935, the American Galvanizers Association (AGA) provides information on the most innovative applications and state-of-the-art technological developments in hot-dip galvanizing for corrosion protection. Created to educate and train in the specification and use of hot-dip galvanized steel, the AGA maintains a large technical library, distributes numerous industry publications, offers free educational seminars, and provides toll-free technical support to the specifying community.

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TRC provides engineering services in support of the transportation and bridge industries with proven excellence in federal, state and local agency projects. Another service TRC provides is the selling, supporting and maintaining of multiple engineering design programs through IMBSEN Software Systems.

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Vector Corrosion Technologies provides products and services for concrete corrosion protection. Our innovative solutions include; electrochemical chloride extraction, impressed current cathodic protection, and an array of galvanic protection systems including; embedded galvanic anodes, galvanic jackets and activated arc spray zinc metallizing. Vector also provides corrosion evaluation, and mitigation of post-tension corrosion. Contact us (813)830-7566 or visit www.vector-corrosion.com.

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Viathor, Inc. is dedicated to the development of top quality, user friendly, bridge design and analysis software. Our flagship software, Vbent, is a fully interactive, all-in-one bridge substructure program for designing pier caps, columns and footings in integral (monolithic) and non-integral piers.

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Watson Bowman Acme Corp. is an ISO9001:2000 certified company and industry leader in developing, manufacturing and delivering expansion control and specialty products to the transportation market. Products include Fabricated Expansion Control Systems, Armorless Expansion Control Systems, Seismic Expansion Control Systems, Specialty Metal Fabrication

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Williams Form Engineering Corporation has been offering high capacity Ground Anchors, Concrete Anchors, Post Tensioning Systems, and Concrete Forming Hardware to the construction industry for over 80 years.

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