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CONCRETE ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

TENTATIVE PROGRAMME

17 – 21 AUGUST 2026

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DAY
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17 AUGUST 2026 (MONDAY)



3:00 PM –
6:00 PM

REGISTRATION & CAMPUS TOUR

Registration & Campus Tour

(Universiti Malaya Campus)



DAY
2

18 AUGUST 2026 (TUESDAY)

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

TENTATIVE PROGRAMME



WORKSHOP TITLE:

The Future of Concrete Structures:
Combining 2nd Generation EC2 Standard
with CFP for Sustainable Reuse and
Retrofitting



FACILITATOR:
Dr. Craig Giaccio
(United Kingdom)



DATE:
18 AUGUST 2026
(TUESDAY)



TIME:
8:00 AM – 1:30 PM

TIME	ACTIVITY
08:00 – 08:30 AM	REGISTRATION & LIGHT REFRESHMENT
08:30 – 09:30 AM	SESSION 1: INTRODUCTION & ASSESSMENT OF CONCRETE STRUCTURES USING 2ND GENERATION EC2
09:30 – 10:30 AM	SESSION 2: STRENGTHENING OF CONCRETE STRUCTURES USING 2ND GENERATION EC2
10:30 – 11:00 AM	TEA BREAK
11:00 AM – 12:00 PM	SESSION 3: PRACTICAL EXAMPLE OF ASSESSMENT OF AN EXISTING CONCRETE STRUCTURE
12:00 – 01:00 PM	SESSION 4: PRACTICAL EXAMPLE OF ASSESSMENT OF AN EXISTING CONCRETE STRUCTURE
01:00 – 01:30 PM	DISCUSSION & PRACTICAL EXERCISE
01:30 – 02:00 PM	LUNCH



BEM APPROVED CPD: 5 HOURS

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PROFESSOR CAIJUN SHI Honouree Session

2:00 PM – 6:00 PM



1:30-2:00 PM



Registration

2:00-3:00 PM



Honouree Session for Prof Caijun Shi

- Introduction
- Felicitations by Various speakers

3:00-3:15 PM



Acceptance Speech by
Prof Caijun Shi

3:15-3:45 PM



High Tea

3:45- 4:15 PM



Panel Discussion
(Moderated by Distinguished Researchers)

4:15-6:00 PM



Presentation of Selected Authors





**DAY
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19 AUGUST 2026 (WEDNESDAY)

VENUE: Balai Ungku Aziz, Universiti Malaya,
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

TIME	KEYNOTE SPEAKER / ACTIVITY	TITLE OF KEYNOTE / ACTIVITY
08:00 am – 09:00 am	Registration	—
09:00 am – 09:45 am	KEYNOTE SPEAKER 1 Dr. Craig Glaccio (BEng (Adelaide), PhD (Monash), CPEng, FICE, FIEAust, IntPE) United Kingdom	<i>The Path to Second-Generation Eurocode 2: Evolution, Principles, and Key Changes to Enable Resilient and Sustainable Design</i>
09:45 am – 09:50 am	Arrival of Chief Guest and VIPs	—
09:50 am – 11:00 am	INAUGURAL CEREMONY Official Opening by YBrs Professor Ir. Dr. Ramesh Singh Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Dev), Universiti Malaya Attended by the IEM President and UiTM Vice-Chancellor (Co-Organizers of CONCET 2026)	—
11:00 am – 11:15 am	Break	—
11:15 am – 12:15 pm	KEYNOTE SPEAKER 2 Professor Caijun Shi (BEng Meng (CH) PhD (CA) P.Eng FACI) Canada / China	<i>Advances in Carbon Negative Building Materials and Products</i>
12:15 pm – 01:00 pm	KEYNOTE SPEAKER 3 Prof. Dr.-Ing. Markus König (Dipl.-Ing., PhD (Civil Eng) –Ing.) Germany	<i>From Data to Decisions: Artificial Intelligence Shaping the Future of the Construction Industry</i>
01:00 pm – 02:00 pm	Lunch	—
02:00 pm – 02:45 pm	KEYNOTE SPEAKER 4 Dr. Weng Yuen Kam (PhD., B.Eng (Hons)., B.Com., CPEng, IntPE, MIPENZ) Singapore	<i>Seismic design for low-to- moderate seismic countries a practicing researcher's perspective</i>
03:00 pm – 06:30 pm	Parallel Sessions	—

**DAY
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20 AUGUST 2026 (THURSDAY)

VENUE: Balai Ungku Aziz, Universiti Malaya,
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

TIME	KEYNOTE SPEAKER / ACTIVITY	TITLE OF KEYNOTE / ACTIVITY
08:30 am – 09:00 am	Registration	—
09:00 am – 09:45 am	KEYNOTE SPEAKER 5 Mr. Gary Connah (BEng (LOU) CEng MIES) United Kingdom	<i>Precast Concrete Research in Action: A Teamwork Journey from Idea to Implementation for Hybrid Bolted Precast Connections</i>
09:50 am – 10:35 am	KEYNOTE SPEAKER 6 Professor Wei Pan BEng MSc PhD FHEA FHKIE FICE Hong Kong, China	<i>Smart and Sustainable Modular Integrated Construction: High-density Cities Future Building</i>
10:35 am – 10:50 am	Break	—
10:50 am – 11:35 am	KEYNOTE SPEAKER 7 Professor Dr. Sofiane Amziane PhD, MSc, Meng Fellow RILEM France	<i>Plant-Based Materials at the Heart of Construction: Needs, Opportunities, and Outlook</i>
11:40 am – 12:25 pm	KEYNOTE SPEAKER 8 Professor Dr. Elhem Ghorbel Dipl.-Ing., MSc, PhD France	<i>Sustainable Engineering of Compressed Earth Blocks: From Tunnel Excavation to AI-Assisted Mix Design</i>
12:30 pm – 01:15 pm	KEYNOTE SPEAKER 9 Professor Dr. Hao Wang PhD, PE, F.EMI United States of America	<i>Low-Carbon Pervious Concrete Pavement: Material Design and Techno-Economic-Environmental Assessment</i>
01:15 pm – 02:15 pm	Lunch	—
02:15 pm – 03:00 pm	KEYNOTE SPEAKER 10 Professor Dan Tsang, ICE Fellow, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Hong Kong, China	<i>Low-carbon cement for waste treatment: Toward sustainable construction</i>
03:00 pm – 06:30 pm	Parallel Sessions	—

**DAY
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21 AUGUST 2026 (FRIDAY)

Workshop Title:

**Right-Sizing Resilience:
Practical Seismic Design for
Low-to-Moderate Seismicity**

Facilitator:

Dr. Weng Yuen Kam
(Singapore)



POST-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

WORKSHOP TENTATIVE TIMETABLE

08:00 – 08:30 AM	Registration & Refreshment
08:30 – 09:30 AM	Topics 1–3: Earthquake Hazard, Seismic Risk and Building Standards, Structural Dynamics and Seismic Analysis Methods
09:30 – 10:30 AM	Topics 4 & 5: Building Seismic Design to Eurocode 8 and Lessons from Structural Collapse and Failures in Earthquakes
10:30 – 10:45 AM	Tea Break
10:45 – 12:00 PM	Topics 6 & 7: Geotechnical Seismic Behaviour and Foundation Design; Engineering Trends on Seismic Design – Non-Structural Elements in Mission Critical and Retrofit, Building and Community Resilience
12:00 – 12:45 PM	Practical Exercise & Discussion



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