



SIXTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON DURABILITY OF CONCRETE STRUCTURES (ICDCS 2018)

**18 – 20 JULY 2018
LEEDS, UK**



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**First
Announcement
and
Call for Abstracts**

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Abstract Submission
deadline 31 August 2017

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Conference Website**

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Welcome to the **Sixth International Conference on Durability of Concrete Structures (ICDCS 2018)** which will be held in Leeds, UK, on Wednesday 18 – Friday 20 July 2018.

The International Conference on the Durability of Concrete Structures (ICDCS) series brings together leading experts in the field of concrete durability from around the world. The aim is to discuss recent progress and latest developments in materials technology, assessment of performance both in laboratories and on site, service life concepts and reuse and recycling of construction materials and products to enable concrete constructions to be durable and sustainable.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Authors are invited to submit one page abstract of papers (approximate 300 words in English without figures and tables) for peer-review.

Abstract submission is now open and full details of the submission process are available on the [conference website](#).

The deadline for abstract submission is **Thursday 31 August 2017**

KEY DATES

Abstract submission: Thursday 31 August 2017

Abstract acceptance notification: Friday 29 September 2017

Full paper submission: Monday 15 January 2018

Paper acceptance notification: Friday 16 March 2018

Final manuscript submission: Monday 30 April 2018

Conference: Wednesday 18 – Friday 20 July 2018

We look forward to seeing you in Leeds in 2018.

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Conference topics

The general topics to be covered include:

- Influence of exposure environments on the durability
- Ionic/molecular transport and modelling
- Materials for enhancing the durability
- Mechanisms of deterioration
- Performance of deteriorated structures
- Design for durability and service life
- Life-cycle assessment of concrete structures
- Testing, inspection and monitoring methods
- Repair and maintenance
- Novel cementitious materials
- Practical applications

Venue

The conference will be held in the Faculty of Engineering at the University of Leeds, one of the largest universities in the UK.

University accommodation is available on campus.

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