

2nd Announcement

2nd MTC INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON WOOD ARCHITECTURE

It has been hailed as a magnificent material and those who know it best are vouching for it. Architects and engineers are praising timbers' superior qualities as a building material and say that they may be building completely with timber by the end of the century as climate change also demands it.

To highlight the type of architecture that timber will deliver in the 21st century are five speakers comprising architects and engineers who will share their insights at the 2nd International Conference on Wood Architecture.



9 November 2017

Level 3,
Plenary Theatre,
Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre

Programme

(Thursday, 9 November 2017)

Time	Programme
0830	Registration Refreshment
0915	Opening and Keynote Address
0945	Working with Timber Especially on Glulam and Cross Laminated Timber by Kevin Hill
1030	Australia's Experience in Building Timber Structures with Emphasis on Fire Performance Requirements by Boris Iskra
1115	Mass Timber Building and Timber Projects, i.e., Timber Residential Tower by Andrew Waugh
1200	Lunch
1330	Experience in Designing Timber Projects by Almaz Salma Abdul Rahim
1415	Material Speaks - Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow of Timber Structure by Norihide Imagawa
1500	Panel Discussion
1600	End of Seminar Refreshment

Organised by the Malaysian Timber Council, the conference will be held on 9 November 2017 at Level 3, Plenary Theatre, Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre from 9am to 4pm. Come and meet these celebrated professionals to understand timbers' strength and beauty as a construction material.



Andrew Waugh, United Kingdom



Kevin Hill, Singapore



Almaz Salma Abdul Rahim, Malaysia



Norihide Imagawa, Japan



Boris Iskra, Australia

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Andrew Waugh

Andrew Waugh is the founding director of Waugh Thistleton Architects in London, a world leading architecture practice in the use of cross-laminated timber. Over the last 18 years, Waugh has worked on award-winning projects from cinemas to synagogues and housing to shopping centres.

A dedicated advocate of timber construction having been responsible for the famous Stadthaus, a nine-storey residential tower, Waugh also won the RIBA President's Award for Research in 2010. A judge and chair for competitions and organizations, respectively, Waugh continues to conduct research and lectures across the world on timber construction and the future of architecture.

Stadthaus, UK

Kevin Hill

Kevin Hill is a UK Chartered Builder who has been living in Singapore for over 25 years. As managing director of Venturer Pte Ltd in Singapore, Hill and his partners are the pioneers of the first high-rise Mass Engineered Timber (MET) construction. Hill has also successfully introduced MET technologies in the Middle East, Maldives, Indonesia and the US.

A prominent figure in the construction industry, Hill is also the founder of the Double Helix Tracking Technologies in Singapore. The tracking system employs scientific methods to secure timber supply chains and promote legal timber trade. Hill, who is the winner of the British Chamber of Commerce Entrepreneur of the Year Award, is part of the Building and Construction Authority's Productivity Advisory Gateway Panel in Singapore.



Sustainability Academy, Singapore



Norihide Imagawa

Norihide Imagawa is the Chairman and Professor Emeritus of the Tokyo Denki University. An architecture graduate from the Nihon University in 1969, Imagawa started his career as a researcher in the Tokyo University before joining S.D.G. Co Ltd. He later founded TIS & Partners Co. Ltd in 1978 and was responsible for the research and development of the Interior Shear Glass Wall.

Imagawa, who has lectured at the Polytechnic University, Musashino Art University, Tokai University and Meiji University, has been winning numerous awards since 1992. He won the International Architecture Award for Wood of Net in 2010 and UNESCO's Asia-Pacific Heritage Award for the Yokohama Red Brick Warehouse in 2010, among others.

Wood of Net, Japan

Almaz Salma Abdul Rahim

Almaz Salma Abdul Rahim set up her firm Almaz Architect in 1994. She is known for her distinctive ability to infuse elements pertaining to nature in her designs. She has won numerous awards with the latest being the grand prize of the Malaysian Wood Awards 2017 for her home in Rawang, Selangor.

Almaz graduated with a degree in architecture from the University College of London in 1980. Among her prominent projects are the Iraq Airways Hotel in Baghdad, Wisma Tani in Putrajaya, IIUM Dental School in Kuantan and the Feng Shui House in Selangor. Her timber-based projects include the Villamay Spa and Surau Nusantara in Shah Alam and her award-winning home, the Kuang Retreat House in Rawang. Almaz is also the winner of The Edge My Dream Home Silver Award 2009.



The Kuang Retreat House, Malaysia

Boris Iskra

A structural engineer by qualification, Boris Iskra has an in-depth understanding of Australia's forest and wood products sector having been involved in the field for over 30 years. He is the National Manager – Codes & Standards with Forest & Wood Products Australia (FWPA) where he coordinates the development and reviews Australia's timber standards.

He was involved with the coordination and development of FWPA's Proposal-for-Change that enabled Australia to permit the use of timber-frame and massive timber panelized construction in buildings up to 25 metres in height. Iskra also has extensive experience within the Australian building industry sector and links with key building professional agencies such as the Housing Industry and Master Builders Associations.



REGISTRATION FORM

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Venue:
Level 3, Plenary Theatre,
Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre

Date: 9 November 2017

1. Participant Details

Name: _____ Contact Number: _____

Company / University: _____ Fax Number: _____

Address: _____ Email: _____

2. Category [Please Tick (✓) one]

PAM Member Membership ID Number: _____

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IEM Member Membership ID Number: _____

BEM Member Membership ID Number: _____

Student ID Number: _____

Member of Timber Trade Associations

MFC MPMA MWIA MWMJC PEKA TEAM

Others _____

Membership ID Number: _____

3. Conference Fee

Participant Category	Conference Fee (inclusive GST)
Others	RM 100
Students & Members of Timber Trade Associations	RM 50

Conference fees are inclusive of seminar materials, refreshments and lunch.
Conference fees will be forfeited if participants fail to attend the event.

Please send the completed Registration Form and Payment Slip before **27 October 2017** to:-

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