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The Chitkara School of Engineering & Technology, a constituent institution of Chitkara University, Himachal Pradesh offers industry-relevant engineering programs. The curriculum of these programs is delivered in capacious classrooms with the aid of information and communication technology (ICT) equipment, as well as on traditional black-boards. The School boasts of a well-stocked library and excellent on-campus accommodation facilities for students.

At the University, academics are only one crucial cog in the wheel of holistic development of students. Ample encouragement and suitable facilities are provided to students so that they engage in co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. There are chapters of several clubs and societies on campus, as well as facilities for several sports.

The various national and international collaborations of Chitkara University ensure that learning opportunities for students are always aplenty. Moreover, student exchange programs ensure that foreign students regularly add to the cultural diversity of our campus, while our students take the Indian culture to foreign universities and institutions. The university also possesses an impressive on-campus recruitment record, with many blue-chip companies regularly visiting, and recruiting from our campus.

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#### INTRODUCTION

Modern and reliable infrastructure is essential to the development of any nation. The availability of infrastructure in the economy is a major precondition for attaining the principle objective of economic growth of developing world, both in passable quantity and quality. The deficiency of infrastructure will certainly hamper not only economic growth but also affect different facets of development like a country's economy, social security as a whole, and sustainable economic growth, political progress as well as business environments.

The Indian economy is getting bigger and better. Going with the estimates that Asia's third largest economy will become the world's third largest by 2050; a need for more robust and vast infrastructure is inevitable and continues to be the focus for the Government. Spanning from roadways to airways, ports to airports and power production facilities, infrastructure segment enjoys intense attention from top-grade policy makers of the country. Liberal and supportive Government policies coupled with deliberate strategies to promote infrastructure; spells great opportunities for engineering and construction (E&C) and Infrastructure management companies in India.

The alarming increase in the rate of urbanization and consequent industrialization have posed challenges on natural resources, construction materials and practices forcing new ways and means for infrastructure development. This conference will focus on the information exchange on these new developments to stimulate further in-depth study in this field as well as the close collaboration among the conference participates in the future. The topics of the proposed conference will cover both basic research and practical application of this industry. The conference will be multidisciplinary in nature, covering a wide range of expertise in Infrastructure Design, Planning and Management; Infrastructure Development and Economic Growth; Infrastructure Governance and Politics & Infrastructure Investments and Financing

#### **OBJECTIVES**

The conference shall serve as a platform to create awareness and appreciation amongst academicians, scientists, researchers and practitioners from various disciplines and sectors about infrastructure development; deliberate on new initiatives in latest technologies in the field of infrastructure; formulate concrete strategies with optimal utilization of available resources for developing these technologies; consolidate the suggestions, strategies and recommendations made during the conference and disseminate knowledge on the topic.

#### THEMES

- · Sustainable Infrastructure Development and Green Growth
- Smart materials and advanced construction practices
- Infrastructure Procurement and Project Management
- Infrastructure Maintenance and Facilities Management
- Infrastructure Planning and Management
- · Infrastructure Disaster Management
- · Transport Infrastructure
- Energy Infrastructure
- · Water Management Infrastructure

- · Urban Infrastructure
- Solid Waste management
- Earth moving and construction equipment industry
- Skilled manpower and safety
- Social Responsibility in Infrastructure Development
- Cultural Perspectives of Infrastructure Development
- Legislations and Government policies related to Infrastructure Development.
- Case Studies

#### CALL FOR PAPERS

- Academicians, Researchers and Corporate Executers are invited to send papers covering original research work and case studies. The abstracts should not exceed 300 words, 12 point font size, Times New Roman on MS word with single line spacing.
- The length of full paper should be about 4000 words, 12 point font size, Times New Roman, MS Word, 1.5 line spacing.
- Papers submitted in PDF format will not be accepted.
- Tables, illustrations, charts, figures, etc. should be serially numbered.
- References would be listed on a separate page at the end and should be appropriately indicated in the text of the paper by super scribing the relevant reference number.
- · Each paper must contain an undertaking (duly signed by each of the authors) that it is exclusively for the said conference. The format is attached in the brochure.
- One hard copy should be sent to the conference convener along with a soft copy. The soft copy can be mail at seminar.civil7@gmail.com or registrar@chitkarauniversity.edu.in

#### PROCEEDINGS

All papers accepted for presentation in the Conference will be published in the proceedings having ISBN Number. Few selected papers will be published in the National Journal of Engineering of Technology Education published by National Institute of Technical Teachers Training & Research (NITTTR) and in the Journal of Today's Ideas Tomorrows Technologies, published by Chitkara University.

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#### SUBMISSION DEADLINES

Submission of abstract	-	21st
Intimation of acceptance of abstract	-	31st
Receipt of Full length Paper as per prescribed format	-	14th
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#### WEATHER

In the month of March, there will be mild cold conditions. Light woolen clothes will be required during this period.

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