

Contek Shilstone Inc. would like to invite you to it's fourth International conference on **Advanced Technology for Concrete, Aggregate & Asphalt** a two day event in beautiful Istanbul, Turkey.



**Venue: Conrad Hotel in Istanbul, Turkey**

**Date: 26/27 April 2011**

**Time: 9:00AM – 5:00PM**

**The seminar will focus on these Major Points:**

- The latest mix design technology & Nano Technology.
- Optimized Aggregate blending.
- Reduce cost by improving Quality Control processes.
- Raise the participants level of expertise in concrete Sustainability and Durability.
- Promoting the environment, **GREEN** technologies and how to achieve LEED points.
- Modern techniques for building systems and materials.
- Hot & Cold Mix Asphalt.

**WHY ATTEND ?**

- Receive a PDH certificate (Professional Development Hours).
- Apply the practical knowledge acquired in day to day operations.
- Learn the latest trends in the industry.
- Guaranteed networking opportunities.
- Share knowledge and learn about the latest technology to make your business more competitive.
- This is a unique opportunity to network with various experts & meet professionals not available otherwise.

**Please note that the number of seats are limited. Registration Deadline: MARCH 28<sup>TH</sup>, 2011**

Special discount for:

1. Early Registration before **March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2011**.
2. Companies with group of three subscribers or more.
3. Educational Institutions.

### One-day pass

Same price regardless of purchase date: **€397 EURO**

One-day pass includes access to one day of sessions, buffet luncheon and two coffee breaks on Tuesday 26 or Wednesday 27 of April 2011.

<b>1. BASIC PACKAGE</b>		
	<b>Amount in EURO</b>	<b>Deadline Date:</b>
<b>Early Registration</b>	<b>€ 750 EUR/</b> Per participant	March 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2011
<b>Group of 3 or more</b>	<b>€ 650 EUR /</b> Per participant	March 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2011
<b>Regular Registration</b>	<b>€ 1.200 EUR /</b> Per participant	March 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2011

#### 1. **Basic Package Includes:**

- Two day Concrete, Aggregate & Asphalt Advanced Technology Seminar.
- PDH certificate.
- Two Coffee Breaks.
- Buffet Luncheon

<b>2. EXECUTIVE VIP PACKAGE</b>		
	<b>Amount in EURO</b>	<b>Deadline Date:</b>
<b>Early Registration</b>	<b>€ 3,000 EUR /</b> Per participant	March 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2011
<b>Group of 3 or more</b>	<b>€ 2,950 EUR /</b> Per participant	March 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2011
<b>Regular Registration</b>	<b>€ 3,250 EUR /</b> Per participant	March 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2011

#### 2. **Executive Package (V.I.P) Includes:**

- Two days Concrete, Aggregate & Asphalt Advanced Technology Seminar.
- PDH certificate.
- Hotel Accommodation (Conrad Istanbul Hotel).
- Three Nights (25-26-27 April 2011).
- Breakfast.
- Buffet Luncheon.
- Two Coffee Breaks.
- Complementary VIP dinner with top industry consultants.

<b>3. PLATINUM PACKAGE</b>		
	<b>Amount in EURO</b>	<b>Deadline Date:</b>
<b>Early Registration</b>	<b>€ 5,100 EUR /</b> Per participant	March 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2011
<b>Group of 3 or more</b>	<b>€ 4,495 EUR/</b> Per participant	March 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2011
<b>Regular Registration</b>	<b>€ 5,900 EUR/</b> Per participant	March 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2011

#### 3. **Platinum Package Includes:**

- One Concrete QC/Mix optimization Software License. (seeMIX III)
- PDH certificate
- Two day Concrete, Aggregate & Asphalt Advanced Technology Seminar
- Hotel Accommodation (Conrad Istanbul Hotel)
- Three Nights (25-26-27 April 2011).
- Breakfast
- Buffet Luncheon

- Two Coffee Breaks
- Complementary VIP dinner with top industry consultants.

**Payment Methods:**

- Wire Transfer to Contek Shilstone Inc. Bank Account.
- Credit Card (Visa, MasterCard)

**Payment Terms:**

- All Early Registration discounts require payment at time of registration and before the cut-off date in order to receive any discount.
- All discount offers cannot be combined with any other offer.
- Due to limited conference space we advise early registration.
- Your registration will not be confirmed until payment is received.
- Admission to the conference will be refused if payment has not been received

**Group Fee Registration Terms:**

- Registrations must be done together and before event commence.
- Registration must be from the same company.
- Group fee becomes invalid if any delegate cancels registration.

**Credit Card Payment Terms:**

- If you are paying by credit card, the fee amount will be deducted in USA Dollars.

**Refund Policy:**

If you have paid the fee and subsequently unable to attend the conference, we can refund you. However, please note the following:

- The conference fee can be credited to next/future conference.
- If a registrant is unable to attend an event for any reason they may substitute, by arrangement with the registrar, someone else from the same institute/organization.
- Contek Shilstone Inc. will only issue a refund on the instruction of the conference organizers. Therefore, to request a refund, please contact Ms. Rawda Naili, [rawdan@contekonline.com](mailto:rawdan@contekonline.com)
- If you have paid by credit card, please note that a refund can only be made to the card used in the original transaction.
- For payments received by bank transfer, the refund will be made by bank transfer and all bank charges will be for the registrants account.
- All refunds will be processed after the Conference.
- Special University Students Discount.

For further information please contact me.

**If you are interested in any of these Packages,  
Entry Visa Requirements  
or  
Sponsorship Opportunities**  
(Guaranteed exposure to a targeted audience & excellent sponsorship packages  
available)

**please feel free to contact me:**  
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**REGISTRATION FORM**  
**Advanced Technology for Concrete, Asphalt & Aggregates  
Conference**  
**Conrad Hotel in ISTANBUL, TURKEY**  
**26/27 APRIL 2011**

Name of Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Address of Company: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Company Website & Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Tel #: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Fax#: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Participant(s) & Nationality:(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address of Participant(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Tel # of Participant(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Package Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Method: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Due: \_\_\_\_\_

**RETURN BY FAX TO: + 1 (450) 445-7090 OR EMAIL: [rawd@contekonline.com](mailto:rawd@contekonline.com)**

**Thank you for your interest in the Contek Shilstone Inc. Advanced Technology for  
Concrete, Asphalt & Aggregates Conference**

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# **SPEAKERS**



**Mr. Monte G. Symons**

**Airfield Asphalt Pavement Technology  
Program (AAPTP) Director**

**Auburn University**

**USA**

Monte Symons ([symonmg@auburn.edu](mailto:symonmg@auburn.edu)) received his Bachelors and Masters of Science degree in Civil Engineer from the University of Illinois in 1974 and 1975, respectively.

He has worked 30+ years for the Federal Highway Administration in various pavement and materials related positions and locations throughout the United States. For the last 20 years, he worked in the applied research area for highway and airfield pavements.

Monte has served as Materials and Research Advisor to the Ministry of Public works in Kuwait. Upon returning to the US, he was briefly assigned to Transportation Research Board's Strategic Highway Research Program and then helped FHWA administer the Long Term Pavement Performance (LTPP) for 9 years.

Monte's last assignment with the FHWA was with the Resource Center in Atlanta where he directed the national Pavement and Materials Technical Service Team. He currently works at Auburn University, as Director for the Airfield Asphalt Pavement technology Program.

This \$1.6 million per year cooperative agreement program from the Federal Aviation Administration has awarded 20 projects towards improving the efficiency and effectiveness of airfield asphalt pavements.

He is a registered professional engineer in Washington.



**Dr. Y. Cengiz TOKLU**  
**Professor**  
**Head of Civil Engineering Department**  
**Yeditepe University,**

**Istanbul - Turkey**

After having his BS and MS degrees in Civil Engineering from Middle East Technical University (METU), Ankara, Turkey, in 1967 and 1969, and his Ph. D. degree in "Institut de Mécanique Théorique et Appliqué, Faculté des Sciences, Université Paris VI (Pierre et Marie CURIE)", Paris, France, at 1976, with tests conducted at Laboratoire Central des Ponts et Chaussées, Paris, Dr. Toklu served at METU as Assistant Professor until 1982 after which he worked essentially as a consultant and supervisor and directed many giant projects including New Galata Bridge, 2<sup>nd</sup> Bosphorus Bridge, Imrahor Bridge, Ankara light railed system, Izmir-Cesme and Izmir-Aydin Motorways, etc.

He was chief consultant to Highways Department in the first contracting process of the Izmit Bay Bridge (2800m span suspension bridge). In 1998 he returned to academic life and undertook administrative works as head of different departments including Civil Engineering Department, Computer Engineering Department, Mechatronics Engineering Department, and also as Vice Dean of Engineering Faculty. He is reviewer of various national and international scientific journals, and committee member of various congresses.

He now continues his academic life in Yeditepe University and Aeronautics and Space Technologies Institute of Turkish Air Force Academy, being the Head of the Civil Engineering Department of the former. His main research areas include civil engineering applications of meta-heuristic methods, and design and construction in space.

He is the pioneer of Total Potential Optimization Method in structural analysis and use of meta-heuristic methods in solving blending problems. Among others, he is a member of the board of trustees of the Turkey Science Centers Foundation; Turkish delegation to United Nations Committee of Peaceful Uses of Outer Space; Association of Turkish – French Engineers; American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), Structural Engineering Institute, Emerging Computing Technologies Committee; European Group for Intelligent Computing in Engineering (EG-ICE); European Chapter of Metaheuristics (EU/ME) and ASCE Global Center of Excellence for Computing in Civil Engineering.

He has more than 50 scientific publications in Turkish, English and French and listed in "Who's Who In Computational Science And Engineering 2005-2006, Saxe-Coburg Publications, 2006".



**Dr. Tumer Akakin**  
**Turkish Ready Mixed Concrete Association**  
**Istanbul, Turkey**

**Head of American Concrete Institute**  
**(ACI) Turkey Chapter**

### **Dr. Tumer Work Experience**

1. Turkish Ready Mixed Concrete Association Vice Secretary General (2007 – Present) Turkish
2. Ready Mixed Concrete Association Technical Manager (1998-2007)
3. Quality Assurance System Board Member
4. Head of Turkish Ready Mixed Concrete Association Laboratories  
Concrete Magazine Technical Editor  
Instructor in Chamber of Civil Engineers, Architects and Turkish Ready Mixed Concrete Association  
Head of American Concrete Institute Turkey Chapter

### **Dr. Tumer Certifications**

ISO 9001 Head Auditor -27 -31 Aralık 2004- Nigel Bauer  
ISO 9001- Documentation- 29 Mart 2004- İpek Danışmanlık  
ISO 9001- Standards- 1 Mart 2004- İpek Danışmanlık  
ISO 9001- Internal Auditor- 17 Mayıs 2004-25 Ağustos 2004 İpek Danışmanlık  
ISO 9001- Basic Concepts- 12 Ocak 2004- İpek Danışmanlık  
TS EN 45012 General Requirements for Certification Bodies – TURKAK  
TS EN 45004 General Requirements for Certification Bodies – TURKAK  
TS EN ISO/IEC 17025 – Documentation- THBB Yapı Malzemeleri Laboratuvarı  
Construction Products Directive (89/106/EEC) (Meda)  
Agregates, fly ash, water chemical tests, Prof. Dr. Sabriye Pişkin (THBB Construction Materials Laboratory.)  
"Leonardo Da Vinci Program"27 Mayıs 2005  
3<sup>rd</sup> International Symposium on Sustainability on Cement and Concrete- 21-23 May 2007, ISTANBUL , 9. Beton Yollar Sempozyumu 4 - 7 Nisan 2004, ISTANBUL ve çeşitli kongreler



**Mr. Eric Turgeon**

**Vice President R&D and Advance Technologies**

**Contek Shilstone Inc.**

**Montreal, Canada**

Mr. Turgeon is a Civil Engineer Technologist and has been Contek Shilstone's Research Products and Technology Manager for the last 2 years.

Mr. Turgeon has over 10 years of software development collaborating with customers from North America but also from different parts of the world including India, Australia and France.

He is in charge of adapting the different applications and modules to international standards through multiple testing requirements. Finally he is in charge of all major implementations and specializes in interfaces between production and quality control systems.

Mr. Turgeon also acquired extensive quality control experience while working for "Le Groupe SM" in Montreal during which he supervised a private quality control testing lab for 5 years. In addition, he also spent two years in James Bay working for Hydro Quebec during the extension of a hydroelectric transition center.

Mr. Turgeon is now seeking new ways and technologies to improve the development of innovative software products for the aggregate, concrete and asphalt industry.



**Asst. Prof. Dr. Bekir Yilmaz Pekmezci**  
**Istanbul Technical University**  
**Faculty of Civil Engineering**

**Laboratory of Building Materials**

**Istanbul, Turkey**

Dr. Bekir is Assistant Professor at Istanbul Technical University Civil Engineering Department.

He is the general manager of the R&D company TICEM Advanced Structural Systems Ltd at the same time.

Dr. Bekir graduated from Istanbul Technical University 1998. He got his MSc and PhD degree from the same University.

He had been to ACBM (Center for Advanced Cement Based Materials) at Northwestern University, USA as visiting scholar in the years of 2004-2005.

Dr. Bekir's main interest areas of research are :

- Mineral admixtures in concrete,
- Nano materials in concrete,
- high performance concrete,
- Innovative Production Technologies in Cement Based Materials.