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### Details:

### 1. Earthquake Engineering Open House at NICEE during Dec 14 - 18, 2009

The annual Earthquake Engineering Open House of NICEE is scheduled to be held at IIT Kanpur during Dec 14 – 18, 2009. The Open House is held with the aim to enable postgraduate students to conduct literature survey for their thesis related to earthquake engineering. The Open House also welcomes professional engineers and architects to help them familiarize themselves with enormous literature available at NICEE on design and construction of safe habitat. The last date of application is 31 Oct 2009. For further details please visit http://www.nicee.org/Open\_House/

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## 2. DAAD PhD Workshop, November 23-25, 2009, Yogyakarta, Indonesia

The DAAD PhD Workshop is scheduled to be held during November 23-25, 2009 in Yogyakarta, Indonesia. For further details please e-mail to Neysa Setiadi: setiadi@ehs.unu.edu

## 3. EERI Special Earthquake Report

EERI has published a special Earthquake Report on "The M7.3 September 2, 2009, West Java Quake. The same can be viewed at http://www.eeri.org/site/images/lfe/pdf/WestJavaEQ-9-2-09.pdf

### 4. Heritage Conservation Workshop at Ottawa, Canada during August 11-13, 2010

The International Workshop on Conservation of Heritage Structures using FRM and SHM is scheduled to be held during August 11-13, 2010, in Ottawa-Gatineau, Canada. The Workshop will highlight current and future applications of fibre reinforced materials (FRM) and structural

health monitoring (SHM) in a heritage conservation context. For further information please visit http://www.ishmii.org/CSHM3/CSHM3home.html

# 5. 14<sup>th</sup> European Conference on Earthquake Engineering at Ohrid, Republic of Macedonia during August 30 – September 03, 2010

14<sup>th</sup> European Conference on Earthquake Engineering is scheduled to be held at Ohrid, Republic of Macedonia during August 30 – September 03, 2010. The conference is expected to be useful for earthquake scientists, engineers, students and all those involved in managing earthquakes. The important deadlines are as follows.

Submission of abstracts	- October 01, 2009
Acceptance of abstracts	- November 15, 2009
Submission of papers	- May 01, 2010
Notification for oral/ poster presentations – June 15, 2010	

For further details please visit http://www.14ecee.mk/

## 6. Call for Nominations for 2010 Bolt Medal

The Bruce Bolt Medal recognizes individuals worldwide whose accomplishments involve the promotion and use of strong-motion earthquake data, leadership and improved seismic safety. The closing date for submitting nominations is October 31, 2009. For further details please visit http://www.eeri.org/site/bolt-medal

# 7. International Conference for Highrise Towers and Tall Buildings 2010 during April 14-16, 2010, Munich, Germany

An international conference for Highrise Towers and Tall Buildings is schedule to be held during April 14-16, 2010 at Munich, Germany. The conference is aimed at providing opportunity to share new ideas, experiences and knowledge within the field of design and construction of safe and sustainable highrise structures. The important dates are as follows.

Submission of abstracts – October 15, 2009 Acceptance of abstracts – November 15, 2009 Submission of papers – January 15, 2010 Acceptance of papers – February 15, 2010

For further details please visit www.hrs.tum.de

## 8. Khan Lecture Series

EERI Member Dan M. Frangopol, Khan Endowed Chair in Structural Engineering and Architecture at Lehigh University in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, invites attendance at the 2010 Fazlur Rahman Khan Lecture Series, sponsored by Lehigh's Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering and the Department of Art & Architecture. The lectures are tentatively scheduled on February 26, March 19 and April 16, 2010. For further details please visit http://www.lehigh.edu/frkseries

## 9. Newsletter of Earthquake Engineering Research Institute (EERI), USA

The September 2009 issue of the *EERI Newsletter* is now available online at: http://www.eeri.org/site/news/newsletter

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