

Important dates

9 September 2016 abstract submission
27 September 2016 notification of abstracts
28 October 2016 submission 1 paper draft
28 November 2016 review 1 decision
20 December 2016 submission 2 revised paper
25 January 2017 review 2 decision
13 March 2017 submission final paper
13-14 June 2017 Conference

All papers will be double-blind peer reviewed by researchers in the field. Publication will be done through recognized academic publication channels, publisher tbc.

Info

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Nordic Conference on Construction Economics and Organization

9th
FIRST CALL

Welcome to Chalmers University of Technology in Göteborg, Sweden, and the 9th Nordic Conference on Construction Economics and Organization. The conference takes place June 13-14, 2017

The conference aims to create a forum for exchange of ideas and research that contributes to the discourse of construction economics and organization.

The conference theme is *What happened to quality? Design, processes and outcomes*

We now invite you to contribute to the development of the field, its practice and research.

The conference is one of the activities of CREON, Construction Researchers on Economics and Organisation in the Nordic region, and is organized by the division of Construction Management at Chalmers



Themes and topics

The conference will be organised around the following themes, and the topics serve as guidance

Improving (re)thinking) resource efficiency for future generations

Project and site management
HRM and performance management
Social, ecological and economic sustainability
Lean construction and performance measurement systems and models
Risk management
Health and well-being in construction
Health and safety in construction
Gender and diversity management

The future of digitalization in construction and real-estate practices

Digital-design practices and applications
Big data potential and challenges
Improving information quality and learning across project and organization boundaries
Impact of new technology on roles and professions

Improving the quality of research and education in construction related fields

Inventory of research orientations and directions: where do we want to go?
Quantitative versus/or/and Qualitative?
Quality and innovative practices in education
Industry in education, the interface between studies and work life
Needs analyses of bachelor, master and vocational educations? What's missing?



Procurement practices
New types of procurements and their effects
Implementation issues
New perspectives on PPP, PFI, IPD, Project Alliance models and others
Quality in and of procurement

Innovations for improved construction quality, processes and performance

Re-designing resilient businesses
Innovating in construction
Enabling/managing transitions: paradigm shifts, economic downturns
Globalisation potential and challenges
Coping with local and global regulatory changes
Emerging roles and professions in construction

The value and meaning of spaces, buildings and environments

Rethinking space in and for construction
Rethinking sustainability and life-cycle
Rethinking models and frameworks

Stakeholder issues: dynamics, integration and management

Construction project management: collaboration, integration and learning
Co-creation, integration and dialogues between stakeholders
Managing multiple and diverse relationships: locally and globally
Including the customer/end-user in construction operations
New perspectives on governance and institutions

We look forward to seeing you in Gothenburg