



ITC@EDU 3rd International Workshop on Construction Information Technology in Education Istanbul, Turkey, September 7th 2004

After two successful workshops, in Portorož, Slovenia in 2002 and Madeira, Portugal in 2003, the meetings of the teachers devoted to Construction Informatics took root. The third workshop will be organised in conjunction with the [ECPPM conference in Istanbul](#), in the second week of September 2004.

Workshop Aims

The rapid development of Information Technology (IT) has provided great potentials for improving the building and construction process as well as the built environment itself. To realise this potential, we need to equip new graduates and building professionals with the right IT skills through education and training. What to teach, when to teach and how to teach IT has become a hot discussion topic in many building and construction departments and faculties. In addition, the emergence of multimedia and on-line teaching and learning systems has changed the way teaching is delivered.

In recent years, more and more papers appeared on topics of teaching IT and teaching using IT in many construction IT conferences. Now we would like to move this question onto the stage. The aim of this workshop is to provide a dedicated forum for people with common interests in Construction Information Technology in Education.

Expected Audience and Call for Papers

Academics, researchers, industrialists, professionals policy makers, funding bodies concerned with Construction Information Technology in Education are encouraged to participate and contribute with their knowledge and experience

Abstract and paper submission

Please use Extranet at [ECPPM 2004 website](#) to register and submit your abstract and paper for the ETC@EDU workshop. For details on registration and submission click [here](#) or contact itcedu@itu.edu.tr.

Workshop chairs

Attila Dikbas, TU Istanbul, Turkey, and
Danijel Rebolj, University of Maribor, Slovenia

Organizing committee

The same devoted people who are organising the ECPPM 2004 conference are also taking care of the ITC@EDU organisation.

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to the workshop.

Papers are invited for topics related to Construction Information Technology in Education. Themes of interest include, but are not restricted to the following ones:

- IT subjects in building and construction curricula
- IT subjects in Architecture
- IT training and Continuing Professional Development (CPD) courses
- IT skills demand and supply
- E-Learning, Distance learning and Virtual Training
- International ITC education initiatives

Papers can be presentation of research results, case studies, best practice of IT teaching and course development.

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Important Dates

For deadlines please visit [ECPPM 2004 website](#)

Refereeing Policy and Proceedings

All papers will be reviewed by the scientific committee. Accepted papers will be included in the proceedings book - published as an ISBN numbered book

Registration

Registration for the workshop is combined with ECPPM 2004. Registration fee payed at the conference is 550€ (ECPPM + ITCEDU) or 125€ (ITCEDU only). Reduced fees are available for early bird and student registrations. Please visit the [ECPPM 2004 website](#) for details and use Extranet to register.

Venue

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