Announcement

2020 International LADR Workshop, Cyprus

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In cooperation with Cyprus University of Technology, Limassol, and under the aegis of the ASCE Construction Institute (CI), the Journal of Legal Affairs and Dispute Resolution in Engineering and Construction (LADR) is organizing an international workshop on legal affairs and dispute resolution, the dates for which have been set for June 22–23, 2020.

Cyprus University of Technology will act as host and shall make available its facilities for this workshop. The ASCE Construction Institute is serving as a cosponsor.

This workshop is being held in conjunction with the Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) Workshop of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, Cyprus (CIarb Cyprus), which is itself being held in conjunction with the Third European and Mediterranean Structural Engineering and Construction Conference (EURO-MED-SEC-3).

The workshop theme is simply legal affairs and dispute resolution, and extends the concept of the annual workshop of the Journal of Legal Affairs and Dispute Resolution in Engineering and Construction, which is held in February or March every year in conjunction with the CI Summit. The topics covered in these workshops span the traditional fields and diverse areas covered by LADR.

In these workshops, LADR adopts a two-outcome approach: All accepted manuscripts are eligible to be presented at the workshop, in addition to being published in LADR. Authors submit an abstract, which is peer reviewed. This is followed by manuscript submission, which is also peer reviewed, provided an abstract has been preapproved. However, timely submission, review, and revision are crucial to meeting the workshop timelines. In this regard, workshop submission and review are somewhat different from submissions made to the regular issues of LADR. But, all prospective authors should note carefully that their manuscript is expected to be presented at the workshop. All manuscripts that are presented shall be published in a special collection of LADR.

Key Dates (Planned)

Interested authors should note the key dates for the international workshop at Limassol, Cyprus:

- Submission of abstract: December 11, 2019
- Decision on abstract: December 31, 2019
- Submission of manuscripts: January 31, 2020
- Notification of acceptance (approximate): April 15, 2020

The registration fee is USD 195 and must be paid at https://www.isec-society.org/EURO_MED_SEC_03/. All participants shall make their own traveling and accommodation arrangements.

Planned Program

The program planned is as follows:

- June 22, 2020: Welcome reception
- June 23, 2020: Workshop and sessions
- June 24, 2020: Dinner banquet (optional)
- June 25, 2020: Technical tour (optional)
- June 26–27, 2020: Cultural tours (optional)

References

Endnotes

1Next year’s national LADR workshop is scheduled for St. Louis, Missouri, in 2021.
2Refer to the LADR website for scope of topics, https://ascelibrary.org/page/jladah/editorialboard.
3Submit all abstracts for the 2020 international workshop at https://www.conferencereviewmanager.com/International_LADR_Workshop_2020/.
4Full papers shall be submitted through the ASCE editorial management system, https://ascelibrary.org/journal/jladah.
5For further information on the international workshop, contact LADR’s chief editor, Professor Amarjit Singh.
6Cyprus University of Technology will provide guidance in this regard.
7All optional items are at the own cost of participants.