

Welcome to the XVth International TICCIH Congress 2012 in Taiwan

Date: 4th-11th November 2012

Host City: Taipei (<http://www.taipeitravel.net>)

TICCIH Congress 2012 call for papers

Web: <http://www.arch.cycu.edu.tw/TICCIH%20Congress%202012/index.html>

Paper submission

Deadline for paper abstract submission: 15th February 2012

Announcement of accepted papers: 15th March 2012

Deadline for full paper submission: 30th April 2012

1. Theme & Programme

Post-colonialism & Reinterpretation of Industrial Heritage

We use the term 'post-colonial', to cover all the culture affected by the imperial process from the period of colonization to the present day. Since the beginning of industrialization the development of more and more new industries has changed the urban and rural landscapes all over the world. The process of birth, growth and decline of such industries is even more dramatic and fast-coursed by the colonization of the world. It is still visible in the remaining industrial monuments; it is also alive in the structure of a landscape which was formed over centuries by industrial activities and the development of technical infrastructure. Thus, as the first TICCIH congress held in Asia, we would like to explore the industrial heritage in relation to post-colonialism - to see the industrial heritage of others from various points of view and to seek the solution to the massive industrial impact on the landscape in the present day.

In the west, '*regeneration through heritage*' has a long development since the 1960s. In Asia, it is a relatively new concept for urban and regional development. Different attitudes towards post-colonialism have also affected the life of industrial heritage and social development of society. In addition, there are some countries which just started their industrialization. Therefore, it is the time to review the industrial heritage development and to look for a dynamic and sustainable development of the industrial world in the future.

The congress theme '***Post-colonialism & Reinterpretation of Industrial Heritage***' aims at these close connections between historical, political, racial, environmental, economic, technical, and social questions of industrial heritage in our modern world. It will be a forum for presentations and discussions on these issues and for realized, actual and planned projects as well as concepts for possible solutions of these problems. Therefore, the congress and its planned sessions will be open for participants from all scientific and administrative fields and institutions which are dealing with historical, political, ecological, economic and heritage problems of industrial monuments and industrial landscapes. The key-sessions and sub-sessions will be defined later.

The conference will begin with four keynote speakers from Europe, USA and Asia. Their papers will give an introduction and overview on general topics of the main theme of the congress. Beyond that, the conference will be open for free organized sections (3 to 5 papers) and poster sessions for the presentation on the results of new research and development projects in this field. The poster sections will be presented with an exhibition of Expo of Industrial Tourism.

In addition to the conference, a congress excursion and post-conference excursions are planned. The congress excursion will take participants to Taichung Creative and Cultural Park (a reused winery and the office of Headquarters Administration of Cultural Heritage), Changhua fan-shape railway workshop and Xihu sugar factory. The optional post-congress excursions will bring participants either to the industrial heritage of southern Taiwan such as sugar factories, salt field and museum, steel factory, and yacht making factory or to the industrial heritage of northern Taiwan about mining sites (Gold Ecological Park, Jingtong Mining Industry Museum and Taiwan Coal Mine Museum), water supply system (Taipei Water Park), railway workshops and so on. Several social events are also planned during the congress. Some of the site information is available on the website of TICCIH.

2. Venue & Timetable

Venue : Huashan 1914 Creative Park

	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	Day 8
	4/11/2012	5/11/2012	6/11/2012	7/11/2012	8/11/2012	9/11/2012	10/11/2012	11/11/2012
	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
A M	Arrival (TICCIH Board Meeting)	Opening Reception Keynote Speech 1-2	Excursion to Taichung Creative and Cultural Park	Keynote Speech 3-4	TICCIH Special Sections Poster Sessions	Post-Congress Tours 3 days 1. Industrial Heritage Tour of Southern Taiwan (sugar factories, salt field and museum, steel factory, and yacht making factory) 2. Industrial Heritage Tour of Northern Taiwan (mining sites, water supply system, railway workshops)		
P M	Taipei Industrial Heritage Tour	Sessions 1-4	Xihu Sugar Factory Changhua Railway Workshop	Sessions 5-8 Sessions 9-12	TICCIH General Assembly Poster Sessions			
E V E	Welcome Party at Huashan 1914 Creative Park	Social Programme	Lugang Settlement (Back to Taipei)	Free night	Farewell Party			

3. Contact

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