

TRAINING SCHOOL PROGRAM

Self Healing concrete: the path to sustainable construction

TUESDAY 23rd JANUARY

09:15 – 10:15 **COST action CA 15202 SARCOS: Self-healing as preventive repair of concrete structures; and lessons learnt from the FP7 project HEALCON**
Prof. Nele De Belie (UGent).

10:15 – 10:30 *COFFEE BREAK*

10:30 – 12:30 **TRAINING LECTURES I: Self-healing strategies**

Prof. Elke Gruyaert (KULeuven):

The use of superabsorbent polymers and encapsulated precursors of polymeric healing agents in self-healing concrete

Dr. Chrysoula Litina (University of Cambridge):

Self-healing strategies; Microcapsule-based systems

Prof. Henk Jonkers (TU Delft):

Bacteria-based self-healing concrete

12:30 – 13:30 *LUNCH*

13:30 – 15:30 **TRAINING LECTURES II: External repair methods**

Prof. Arkadiusz Kwiecien (Cracow University of Technology):

Stress concentration - cause of damage in brittle building materials. How to avoid it in external repair?

Prof. Paulina Faria (NOVA University of Lisbon):

The assessment of innovative eco-efficient biotreatments on concrete and other building materials

Dr. Mercedes Sánchez (IETcc – CSIC):

External Surface methods with healing ability for the preventive repair of existing concrete structures

15:30 – 15:45 *COFFEE BREAK*

15:45 – 17:45 **TRAINEES LECTURES I**

WEDNESDAY 24th JANUARY

9:15 – 10:15 **INVITED LECTURE: High resistance low-calcium cements; is it possible to reduce process CO₂ emissions while increasing paste resistance?**

Prof. Rogério Colaço (Instituto Superior Técnico)

10:15 – 10:30 **COFFEE BREAK**

10:30 – 12:30 **TRAINING LECTURES III: Characterization Techniques**

Prof. Liberato Ferrara (Politecnico di Milano):

Methods for precracking and measurements of self-healing through mechanical tests

Prof. Paola Antonaci (Politecnico di Torino):

Characterization of the self-healing effect through ultrasonic methods and durability tests

Dr. Christof Schroefl (TU Dresden):

Electron microscopy and other instrumented analysis techniques to characterise self-healing products

12:30 – 13:30 **LUNCH**

13:30 – 15:30 **TRAINING LECTURES IV: Controlled Cracking Processes in Fibre Reinforced Cementitious Composites**

Dr. Vitor Fernandes Cunha (University of Minho):

Fibre Reinforced Cementitious Composites

Dr. Eduardo Pereira (University of Minho):

Strain-Hardening or Ultra-High Performance Fibre Reinforced Cementitious Composites

Prof. Alva Peled (Hebrew University):

Textile Reinforced Cementitious Composites

15:30 – 15:45 **COFFEE BREAK**

15:45 – 17:15 **TRAINEES LECTURES I**

THURSDAY 25th JANUARY

- 09:15 – 10:15** **INVITED LECTURE: The importance of self-healing concrete to create durable structures**
Margarida Mateus (SECIL)
- 10:15 – 10:30** *COFFEE BREAK*
- 10:30 – 12:30** **TRAINING LECTURES V: Self-healing modelling**
- Prof. Anthony Jefferson (University of Cardiff):*
The simulation of mechanical self-healing processes
- Prof. Etelvina Javierre (Centro Universitario de la Defensa):*
Modelling mobilization and reaction of healing compounds
- Prof. Jorge Alfaiate (Technical University of Lisbon)*
Simulating fracture in quasi-brittle materials
- 12:30 – 13:30** *LUNCH*
- 13:30 – 14:30** **Impact of preventive repair methods on corrosion aspects**
(Prof. Fátima Montemor, ITS).
- 14:30 – 14:45** *COFFEE BREAK*
- 14:45 – 16:45** **TRAINEES LECTURES I**