

# 2<sup>ND</sup> ARCASIA COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (ACSR) ARCHITECTURE SYMPOSIUM 2014



## THE SYMPOSIUM 2014

The Symposium is held annually as part of the ACSR objectives to provide continuous awareness, disseminate knowledge and encourage participation of many stake holders from students to practitioners in the making of a social responsible design in our environment.

For the ACSR Architecture 2014 Symposium in Kuala Lumpur, the theme "Rejuvenate and re-conciliate humanity and environment through architecture", is to address outcome of recent events of the region that includes the Haiyan Cyclone incident in the Philippines as one of natural disasters, the incident of MH370 Search and Rescue (SAR) preparation; the basic need of providing affordable shelter for people; and the continuous efforts of implementing inclusivity, accessibility, universal design in the design of the built environment.

The theme "Rejuvenate and re-conciliate humanity and environment through architecture" aims to initiate agility and flexibility in the approach of responsible design architecture with social equity in mind. Addressing the mass of different geographical altitude and altitude; culture; social; political; and economic worldview of Asians is a challenge. History had proven that sharing of ideas and experiences towards effective solution needs a common media. Architectural reinventing through rejuvenating epic and innovative architectural solutions for contemporary use has never fail to inspire and indeed wise move.

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"REJUVENATE AND RE-CONCILIATE HUMANITY AND ENVIRONMENT THROUGH ARCHITECTURE",

**Date** : 29th June 2014 (Sunday)  
**Time** : 8.00 am - 2.00 pm  
**Venue** : Plenary Theatre, Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

## PROGRAMME

8.00 am Registration  
8.30 am Introduction & Prayer  
Welcoming Speech by the ACSR Chairman,  
Ar. Joseph Kwan MH  
Speech by the ARCASIA President,  
Ar. Tan Pei Ing  
9.00 am Keynote Speech  
ACSR Architectural Student Design Ideas  
Competition Prize Giving Ceremony

**SESSION 1**  
**DISASTER PREVENTION, PREPAREDNESS AND REDUCTION**  
Moderator Ar. Hj. Abdul Halim Suhor  
9.45 am **Paper Presentation 1:**  
Disaster Relief, Resettlement and Management  
Tuan Haji Norazam Abu Samah, MERCY Malaysia  
*"Rebuilding of Communities after Typhoon Haiyan in the Philippines"*  
10.05 am **Paper Presentation 2:**  
Post-Disaster Reconstruction  
Ar. Chinthaka Chaminda Wickramage,  
Gold Medal Winner AAA 2013 (Sri Lanka)  
*"AFRCS Community Centre for Tsunami Affected Community in Sri Lanka"*  
10.25 am **Paper Presentation 3:**  
Disaster Preparedness and Management  
Mr. Bill Ho, Asian Disaster Preparedness Center (Thailand)  
*"Towards a Safer Asia - Building Resilience through Innovation and Partnerships – ADPC's Approach to Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) in Asia-Pacific"*  
10.45 am **Paper Presentation 4:**  
Post-Disaster Architecture  
Associate Professor Zhu Jingxiang  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong  
*"Post-Disaster Architecture and Construction in Yunnan and Sichuan, China"*  
11.05 am Tea Break

## SESSION 2 SOCIAL HOUSING AND LIVEABLE CONDITIONS

Moderator Ar. Thirilogachandran S.  
11.20 am **Paper Presentation 5:**  
Affordable Housing in Malaysia  
Ar. Mazlin Ghazali, PRIMA (Malaysia)  
*"House to Call Home"*  
11.40 am **Paper Presentation 6:**  
Low Cost Housing  
Ar. Syed Yawar Abbas Jilani,  
Arcop Associates Pakistan  
*"Al-Azhar Garden Housing"*

## SESSION 3 UNIVERSAL DESIGN - ACCESSIBILITY

Moderator Ar. Joseph Kwan MH  
12.05 am **Paper Presentation 7:**  
Universal Design & Access  
Prof. Dato' Sri Ar. Dr. Asiah Abdul Rahim,  
International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM)  
*"Malaysian Initiatives and Achievements in Universal Design and Accessibility"*  
12.25 pm **Paper Presentation 8:**  
New Access Code and Awards  
Ms. Rita Soh Siow Lan, Singapore  
*"BCA Code on Accessibility in the Built Environment 2013 and the Universal Design Mark Award"*  
12.45 pm Panel Discussion and ACSR Architecture  
Symposium Resolution  
Ar. Joseph Kwan MH, Ar. Hj. Abdul Halim Suhor  
and Ar. Thirilogachandran  
1.15 pm Closing Remarks  
1.30 pm End of session

## Registration Form:

Name :		
Membership No : PAM	LAM	Others
Address :		
Country	Mobile No	
Tel No	Fax No	
Email		

Admission is free, however, pre-registration is required. Any cancellation of registration must be notified by 16 June 2014, 12.00 pm. Walk-in registration is not recommended.

Limited seat available for 300 participants only. Thus, registration is based on a first-come-first-served basis.

Notes: Please fill in the Registration Form and return to the Secretariat at fax **+603-2692 8782** or email to **acsr@pam.org.my**.

At times, due to unforeseen circumstances, the scheduled events may have to be cancelled or rescheduled for which the Secretariat would normally inform the registered attendees/participants accordingly. In order to avoid causing any inconvenience to members due to any last minute changes, we strongly recommend that members to call the Secretariat **+603-2693 4182 (Pertubuhan Akitek Malaysia/Malaysian Institute of Architects, Level 11 Wisma Bandar, No. 18 Jalan Tuanku Abdul Rahman 50100 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia)** for confirmation of the scheduled events or visit PAM website at [www.pam.org.my](http://www.pam.org.my).