



# COBRA 2007 Fact Sheet

6-7 September 2007 Atlanta, Georgia, USA

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The Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS), in conjunction with the Building Construction Program at the Georgia Institute of Technology, will host its annual construction research conference Sept. 6-7 on Georgia Tech's campus. The COBRA 2007 Conference is the premier international conference on the built environment. Scholars and building professionals from across the globe will present original research on a variety of topics during the course of this two-day event. The intent of the conference is to provide an ideal platform to share knowledge and examples of best practices with fellow design, construction and facility management professionals. Last year's conference featured more than 80 paper presentations. Following on from last year's extremely successful London conference, RICS has invited the Built Environment Law Network to participate. The conference will feature a special "Law in the Built Environment" stream. This will provide an opportunity for academics specializing in law subject areas to meet, and to present and discuss their ideas with others working in similar areas.

### Conference Fees:

Early Registration (by 20 July 2007) \$600.00 Delegates; \$390.00 Students  
Late Registration (20 July -6 August 2007) \$700.00; On-site registration for all \$900.00

Costs include: conference registration; abstract books; electronic versions of papers; coffee/tea/snack breaks; lunches; and conference banquet. Additional banquet tickets will be available for \$70.00.

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### Preliminary Program

Wednesday- 5 September 2007  
16:00 to 18:00 Registration

Thursday- 6 September 2007  
08:00 Registration  
09:00 Opening Plenary Session  
10:30 to 17:00 Parallel sessions  
18:00 Conference Banquet

Friday- 7 September 2007  
09:00 to 17:00 Parallel sessions

### Dates to Remember

Full paper submission deadline-*passed*  
Full paper acceptance notification-29 June 07  
Final paper submission deadline- 3 August 07

### Conference Venue

The Conference will be held at the Georgia Tech Global Learning Center located in the heart of the city. See website <http://www.gatechcenter.com/> for accommodation details. *Electronic registration available July 07.*