

SCOPE

The **IX International Congress and 23^a Technical Meeting of the Argentinian Association of Concrete Technology (AATH)** is the biennial event that brings together outstanding experts in Concrete Technology in Argentina, along with international personalities prominent in the sector. It offers a forum for researchers, engineers, producers and builders to present and discuss the latest advances, technical knowledge, research and solutions for the construction, production, evaluation and application of concrete from various perspectives. Scheduled activities include training, dissemination and contact possibilities for cooperation.

VENUE

La Plata is the capital of the Province of Buenos Aires, Argentina. Previously, AATH has celebrated its biennial meeting in this city in 1982 and 1995. Similar events on the subject took place in La Plata in 2005 (fib Symposium) and 2015 (Sustain Concrete). Because of this background and its academic, scientific and professional spirit, the city constitutes a **pole of knowledge** in the area of Concrete Technology.

The sessions of the Congress will take place in the "Sergio Karakachoff" Building from **UNLP**, located in the centre of the city (48 entre 6 y 7). The associated activities will be developed in the **UTN-FRLP** building (60 y 124) and the **LEMIT** building (52 entre 121 y 122). The complementation between the three Venues offers ample possibilities for the celebration of the Event.

Tourist attractions in the city include the La Plata Museum, the Planetarium, the Children's Republic Park, the Argentine Theatre and the Cathedral. The Event will include various social activities for attendees and companions.

IMPORTANT DATES

Call for Abstracts: 1 October 2019

Closing for the reception of Abstracts: 28 February 2020

Communication of Abstract acceptance: 15 March 2020

Closing for the reception of Full Papers: 31 March 2020

Closing for the reception of Revised Papers: 31 August 2020

Congress: 2-6 November 2020

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FIRST CALL



The Argentinian Association of Concrete Technology invites you to the



IX International Congress and 23rd Technical Meeting
2-6 November 2020

*"In the 73rd Anniversary of the
First Conference on Concrete in Argentina"*

Laboratory of Multidisciplinary Training
for Research in Technology /
Scientific Research Committee of BA



Faculty of Engineering /
National University of La Plata



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National University of Technology



Themes

1. *Cements and Supplementary Cementitious Materials*
2. *Aggregates for Concrete and Mortar*
3. *Fresh Concrete and First Hours of Concrete*
4. *Properties of Hardened Concrete*
5. *Historical and Contemporary Concrete Works*
6. *Concrete Durability*
7. *High Performance Concrete*
8. *Pathology and repair of concrete structures*
9. *Quality assurance and evaluation techniques*
10. *Panel of relevant works*

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Planned activities:

In addition to keynote conferences and technical sessions of the congress, the following activities will be carried out

- + 8° AATH Student's National Contest
- + Technical Seminars: **Concrete Durability, Special Concretes, Architectural Concrete**
- + International Workshop
- + Courses on Concrete Technology

Language

Most of the event will be held in Spanish. Articles and presentations in both **Spanish** and **English** are accepted.

Something more than just a Congress...



Cathedral



Museum of La Plata



Children's Republic Park



Argentine Theatre