

Technical Talk - Risk Management in Projects and Enterprises

Date, Time & Venue

29 February 2012 (Wednesday): 6:00pm (Networking), 7:00pm (Start of Seminar) The Australian Consulate General, Hong Kong, "The Wombat Hole" 24/F Harbour Centre, 25 Harbour Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong

Programme Highlights

Foundamentally, risk management is applicable to all situations from individual and team to project and enterprise. In this technical talk, the science and art of the International Risk Management Standard AS/NZ ISO 31000 (2009) will be discussed, followed by the results of a comparative study on safety risk perceptions between Australia and China. In addition, the rationale, methodologies and case studies of ROAD (<u>Risk and Opportunity at Design</u>) will be presented. Finally, the talk will conclude by addressing the need to understand enterprise risk management no matter what kind of business you are in.

Speaker: Professor Patrick XW Zou

Professor Zou is an internationally recognised researcher and teacher in the Risk Management field. He has published over 100 papers and has won several major awards, namely, UK CIOB International Innovation and Research ICPMA Award, UK Higher Education Academy CEBE Best Paper Award, Emerld Literati Network of Excellence Outstanding Paper Award, UNSW Vice-Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching, and Australia Institue of Building (AIB)'s Professional Excellence in Building Award.



Professor Zou is Head of the Building and Construction Management Discipline in the Faculty of Business, Government and Law, at the University of Canberra (UC), where he is leading a team of academics who undertake applied cutting-edge research, develop industry consultancy and engagement, and deliver flexible learning and teaching, including Bachelor, Master, Professional Doctoral and PhD studies. Prior to joining UC, Dr Zou was Associate Professor and Director of the Construction Management and Property Program at The University of New South Wales (UNSW), where he obtained his PhD in 1999 and served as a full-time academic for 11 years (2000 – 2011) in various capacities.

He has worked collaboratively with government and industry organisations and has conducted many contract research and consultancy projects to government department/agencies and construction enterprises. He was senior visiting scholar at Tsinghua University, University of Florida and National University of Singapore, and Visiting

Professor of Renmin University of China, and is a current Chair Professor of Hunan University, and Shenzhen University. Dr Zou has supervised many PhD, Master and Honours students to completion, with many of them winning awards for their research outcomes.

Professor Zou's new book "Construction Management New Directions 3rd Edition", which is due out late 2012, covers current popular topics such as Strategic Management, Benchmarking, Reengineering, Enterprise Risk Management, Total Safety Management, Total Quality Management, Constructability, Value Management, Partnering and East-vs-West Construction Culture.

Special Highlights

2 free soft drinks or beers will be served during the event to the Engineers Australia members present at the technical talk.

Continuing Professional Development (CPD)

Attending Engineers Australia members will be issued with a certificate acknowledging 1.5 hours of CPD.

Registration & Enquiries

The seminar is free of charge. Please complete and return this form to Simon FAN by email: info@ieausthk.org or FAX: **2430 9080** by 23 February 2012. For enquiries, please contact Simon FAN on 9351 4963.

Engineers Austraila Hong Kong Chapter: Technical talk on "Risk Management in Projects and Enterprises" 6:00pm to 8:00pm, 29 February 2012 Registration Form

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