



***It is a pleasure to welcome you to join the
Eleventh High Performance concrete (11th HPC) and the
Second Concrete Innovation Conference (2nd CIC)
in Tromsø 6-8 March 2017.***

Tromsø is nick-named "Paris of the North" due the high number of places to wine & dine per capita and this time of year it is still possible to see the Northern lights (Aurora borealis) at night.



Tromsø is not cold, just cool!
(see more at www.visittromso.no/en)

The **11th HPC** will actually be the 30th Anniversary since the 1st HSC conference (forerunner of HPC) was held in Stavanger, Norway. The term HPC includes more than strength and denotes concrete that perform exceptionally well ranging from rheology in fresh state to durability both as material and in construction processes/structures. Esthetics and architectural expression is also part of this.

The **2nd CIC** follows the success of the 1st CIC held in Oslo, Norway, in June 2014. The future needs expressed by the industry, the society, such as energy saving, reduced CO₂-emission, and resources use, efficient construction and higher performance to lower cost, are innovation drivers. The 2nd CIC themes will be based on this. To underline the importance of innovation, a contest will be organized to highlight the best innovation in several categories.

The two conferences will be overlapping with **11th HPC** running 6-7 March and **2nd CIC** running 7-8 March 2017. Delegates can participate at individual conferences or both.

Please follow the updates on both events on www.hpc-cic-2017.no.
Abstract deadline for either conference is 1st of May 2016.

***We sincerely hope to see you in Tromsø in March 2017
– The coolest place to be!***

Greetings from the Organizing committee;

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