

40th AIVC - 8th TightVent & 6th venticool Conference

From energy crisis to
sustainable indoor climate
40 years of AIVC

15-16
October
2019

Ghent,
Belgium

Conference Organizers



Supporting Organizers



Scientific Information

Conference Scope

In the past 40 years, since the first oil crisis in the seventies, energy and climate goals have been shaping many countries' policy and legislative agendas. The building sector plays a crucial role in achieving these goals, considering the energy use attributed to buildings and its huge potential for improved energy performance.

Whereas in the past most of the focus was on reducing the energy consumption, it is now clear that better performing buildings must ensure an acceptable Indoor Environmental Quality (IEQ), by providing higher Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) and comfort levels for their occupants. Building ventilation entails both challenges and opportunities to achieve this goal. In 2019 the AIVC completes its 40th year of existence and the conference organisers thought that it would be good to pay a particular interest to the evolution during these 40 years.

This is the context defining the core theme of the joint 40th AIVC, 8th TightVent and 6th venticool Conference as: "From Energy crisis to sustainable indoor climate – 40 years of AIVC".

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Conference Venue

The conference will be held in Het Pand, the culture and congress centre of Ghent University

Conference Concept

The conference will consist of 3 parallel sessions largely devoted to:

1. Smart ventilation, Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) and health relationships
2. Airtightness
3. Ventilative cooling – Resilient cooling

The conference will consist of a mixture of:

- Well-prepared and structured sessions focused on the conference topics;
- Presentations on invitation;
- Presentations arising from the call for papers;
- 90 seconds industry presentations.

Important Dates

Authors who only want a review of their abstract:

Call for Abstracts & Papers

Abstracts Submission due

March 20
2019

Abstracts Acceptance Confirmation due

April 23
2019

Papers' Submission due

July 1
2019

Authors who want a review of their abstract and of their full paper:

Call for Abstracts & Full Papers Review

Abstracts Submission due

December 14
2018

Abstracts Acceptance Confirmation due

February 1
2019

Papers' Submission due

April 1
2019

Papers' Notification of Acceptance & Review Comments due

June 1
2019

Final Papers' Submission due

July 1
2019

Registration

Type	Until 30 June 2019	After 30 June 2019	On Site
Regular	650,00€	700,00€	750,00€
Students	200,00€	200,00€	225,00€
1 Day	400,00€	450,00€	480,00€

Registration fee includes

- Admission to all scientific sessions
- Admission to conference exhibition area
- Congress Material (final programme, pdf of conference proceedings, pads, pen, bag)
- Certificate of Attendance*
- Coffee breaks*
- Lunches*
- Welcome Reception
- Special evening poster session with drinks and food

* for one day, if 1 Day registration selected

This year, the AIVC Scientific Committee seeks ideas for topical sessions within its 40th AIVC Conference. Proposals focusing on the main conference themes & topics are welcome.

Call for Topical Sessions

Proposal Submission due

December 14
2018

Acceptance Confirmation due

January 15
2019

Final Description Submission due

March 20
2019

