

8th year of the international conference **HIGH-RISE BUILDINGS IN EUROPE**
on the highlighted theme: Key technologies for the 21st century
24th of September 2012; Lecture Hall, National Technical Museum, Prague, Kostelní street no.42,

Preliminary program

Official languages: English & Czech

10 AM CONFERENCE OPENING CEREMONY

Asked for the opening speech:

Petr Nečas, Prime Minister of the Czech Republic

Tomáš Hudeček, 1st Deputy Mayor of Prague

Norman L. Eisen, U.S. Ambassador to the Czech Republic

Ronald Adams, American Chamber of Commerce in the Czech Republic

Václav Havlíček, Rector, Czech Technical University of Prague

Václav Matyáš, President of the Association of Building Entrepreneurs of the Czech Republic

Jaroslav Hanák, president of the Confederation of Industry of the Czech Republic

Eduard Muřický, Ministry of Industry and Trade of the Czech Republic

11 AM INITIAL BLOCK: High-Rise Buildings of the World

(maximum of 3 lectures)

Tomas Bitnar, AIA Europe

SKYSCRAPERS of New York City: Past and Present

Representative of COOP HIMMELB(L)AU (TBA)

Representative of Orco Property Group (TBA)

The Project of Orco Property Group: Złota 44 Warsaw

DISCUSSION

0.30 PM- 1.30 PM I. Block Architecture, Design and Implementation of High-Rise Buildings

(maximum of 3 lectures)

Chair: **Miloslav Pavlík**, Vice-Rector for Construction and Investment, CTU Prague

Representative of the Czech Chamber of Architects

Jan Skoupý, Chairman of the Board, AZ TOWER

AZ TOWER BRNO – Future Highest Building in the Czech Republic

DISCUSSION

1.30 PM Lunch

2.30 PM – 3.30 PM II. Block: Key Technologies and Materials for High-Rise Buildings

(maximum of 3 lectures)

Chair: **Pavel Svoboda**, Head of Department of Construction Technology, CTU Prague

Representative of the company SIPRAL (TBA)

High-Rise Building Envelopes

Representative of the company PERI Polska Sp. z o. o. (TBA)

Robert Mikeš, Saint-Gobain Construction Products CZ a.s. - DIVIZE WEBER

DISCUSSION

3.30 PM Coffee break

4 PM – 5 PM III. Block: Operation and Legislation of High-Rise Buildings

(maximum of 3 lectures)

Chair: **Ondřej Štrup**, president of the Czech Republic Chapter of the International Facility Management Association

6 PM – 8 PM Farewell party