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COBRAE NEWS is distributed to over 1.900 addresses among the composites industry, bridge builders, bridge designers & bridge owners.

COBRAE NEWS gives information about bridge- and other structural engineering projects worldwide, related the development and application of lighter and more durable construction materials, in particular fiber reinforced polymer composites. COBRAE News is a collection of news items gathered from many sources, such as papers, magazines, newsletters, our readers, exhibitions within AND outside the Composite Industry. Contributions from other sources are welcome and will be included, if they fall within the scope of COBRAE news, so please submit your articles and news!

### COBRAE Member and Membership News

- Not a COBRAE Member yet?
- COBRAE Members 2007

### COBRAE Group News

- COBRAE Conference: Benefits of Composites in Civil Engineering - Final Conference Program
- Report of COBRAE Annual Members Meeting in Lerida, Spain, 30<sup>th</sup> November 2006 by Richard Daniël, Rijkswaterstaat Bouwdienst (NL)

### Bridges News Flashes

- Snoline DR 46 impact attenuator
- White Young Green Develop Composite Motorway Gantries
- Call for candidates for the AVK innovation award 2007
- Footbridge 2008
- Half of Bos en Lommerplein opened
- Composites Industry Leader To Receive Dr. Frank A. Cassis Award
- Composite Road Ducts
- Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam gets a unique smooth composite porch construction
- Interesting Website: [www.coolingtowerdepot.com/content/new\\_tower\\_product\\_line](http://www.coolingtowerdepot.com/content/new_tower_product_line)

### Composite Structures & Composite Bridges Events

- GPEC 2007, March 6 - 7, 2007, Orlando, USA
- 5. GFK-Tagung, March 7 - 8, 2007, Munich, Germany
- Koolstoflijmwapening Cursus (Dutch), March 7, 2007, Utrecht, The Netherlands
- Polymer Composites Conference IV, March 20 - 22, 2007, Morgantown WV, USA
- COBRAE Conference 2007, March 28-29-30, 2007, Stuttgart, Germany
- JEC Composites, April 3 - 5, 2007, Paris, France
- Forum V.I.E.R. - 2007, May 21 - 22, 2007, Krefeld, Germany
- 3 rd International Conference on Durability & Field Applications of FRP Composites for Construction (CDCC 2007), May 23 - 25, 2007, Quebec City, Canada
- Global Pultrusion Technology Conference, June 7 - 8, 2007, Baltimore USA
- Techtexil / Avantex, June 12 - 14, 2007, Frankfurt, Germany
- FRPRCS - 8th International Symposium on Fiber Reinforced Polymer Reinforcement for Concrete Structures, July 16-18, 2007, Patras, Greece
- 2007 New York City Bridge Conference, August 27-28, 2007, New York City, USA
- EVACES '07 - Experimental Vibration Analysis of Civil Engineering Structures, October 24-26, 2007, Porto, Portugal
- K 2007, October 24 - 31, 2007, Düsseldorf, Germany
- Footbridge 2008, Third International Conference, July 2-4, 2008, Porto, Portugal

### COBRAE Agenda

- COBRAE Conference 2007 - Benefits of Composites in Civil Engineering, March 28-29-30, 2007, Stuttgart, Germany

## COBRAE MEMBERSHIP INFO

### NOT A COBRAE MEMBER YET?

We would like to ask our readers to become a member of this Alliance. COBRAE will need more members to accomplish all its goals. The Alliance has already established a close co-operation with IABSE and the ACMA. COBRAE is a member of IIFC in Hong Kong. For more information about the Alliance and its goals, please visit our website at <http://www.cobrae.org>. You are also invited to contact the administrative office to discuss activities or actions, which you think COBRAE should take. You can either call to (31) 33 4343 500 or e-mail to [info@cobrae.org](mailto:info@cobrae.org). We look forward to your positive response. In the end of this newsletter you will find a registration form for membership.

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