

HYBRID HALF DAY SEMINAR ON "DESIGN AND INNOVATION OF STRUCTURAL FIRE RESISTANCE FOR TUNNEL AND UNDERGROUND STRUCTURE"

19TH FEBRUARY 2025 (WEDNESDAY) 8.30AM - 1.30PM

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PROGRAMME

TIME	PROGRAMME	
08:30am – 09:00am	Registration of Participants, Welcome Breakfast at D'Place, Ground Floor, Wisma IEM	
09:00am – 09:05am	Welcoming Address and Introduction by IEM TUSTD Representatitive	
09:05am – 10:35am	Part 1: Title: "UNDERSTANDING FIRE DAMAGE TO TUNNEL LINING STRUCTURE"	
	Speaker: Prof. Ts. Dr. Roszilah Hamid & Ir. Dr. Noor Azim Mohd Radzi, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia	
10.35am - 11.05am	Q&A Session	
11:05am- 11.15am	Morning Coffee Break	
11:15am– 12:45pm	Part 2: Title: FIRE RESISTANCE MATERIALS FOR TUNNEL LINING STRUCTURES"	
	Speaker: Prof. Ts. Dr. Roszilah Hamid & Ir. Dr. Noor Azim Mohd Radzi, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia	
12.45pm - 1.15 pm	Q&A Session	
1.15pm - 1.20pm	Closing Remarks by IEM TUSTD Representative	
1.20pm - 1.30pm	Lunch / End of Programme	

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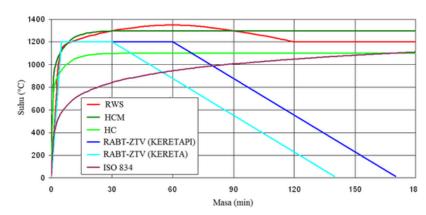
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Part 1: UNDERSTANDING FIRE DAMAGE TO TUNNEL LINING STRUCTURE"

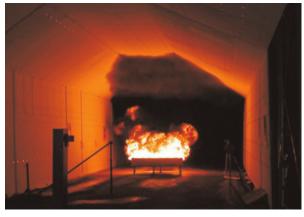
This talk will focus on understanding the effects of fire damage on tunnel lining structures, particularly how high temperatures impact concrete and steel reinforcement. It will explore key issues such as concrete spalling, loss of strength, and the degradation of materials during fire exposure. The talk will also cover methods used to assess fire resistance in tunnel linings, including thermal testing and simulations, to better understand how temperature distribution and moisture content affect the structure's integrity. This session is designed to provide valuable insights for engineers and professionals working to enhance the fire safety and durability of tunnel infrastructure.



Fire incident in the Mont Blanc tunnel in 1999 Source: Kaundinya 2007



Temperature-time curve of tunnel fire Source: EFNARC 2006



Large-scale fire process Source: Ingason et al. 2015



Speaker 1: Prof. Ts. Dr. Roszilah Hamid

ROSZILAH HAMID, PhD, Professor and Chair at the Department of Civil Engineering, FKAB UKM, and a registered member of the American Concrete Institute (ACI). Her area of expertise is concrete technology and non-destructive testing of concrete structures.

Part 2: FIRE RESISTANCE MATERIALS FOR TUNNEL LINING STRUCTURES"

The increasing frequency of fires in buildings, factories, tunnels, and chemical and gas facilities highlights the growing need to understand the fire resistance of concrete structures exposed to high temperatures. This talk focuses on the development of new fire-resistant materials, specifically High-Strength Fly Ash and Nano Silica Concrete, designed to withstand temperatures exceeding 1000°C. The session will cover advanced technologies used to assess the performance of these materials, including furnace heating, thermal conductivity testing, and finite element simulations. These new materials offer promising solutions for enhancing the fire resistance and safety of tunnel lining structures, making them more resilient to extreme fire conditions.



Large scale fire test in SIRIM Source: Radzi 2016



Burning process: (a) small-scale laboratory and (b) small-scale portable Source: Yan et al. 2013 and Vermeer et al. 2014



Speaker 2: Ir. Dr. Noor Azim Mohd Radzi

NOOR AZIM MOHD RADZI, PhD, Senior Lecturer at the Department of Civil Engineering, Faculty of Engineering and Built Environment (FKAB), Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM), and a qualified professional engineer. His area of expertise is pre-stressed concrete structures, post-tensioned concrete structures, and structural fire engineering



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