MULTIDISCIPLINARY CENTER FOR EARTHquake ENGINEERING RESEARCH

2005 ANNUAL MEETING

Sacramento Marriott Rancho Cordova
Rancho Cordova, California
February 25-26, 2005

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM (1/19/05)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2005 – ICEBREAKER & EARLY-BIRD RECEPTION

6:00-8:00pm Reception: California State History Museum, 1020 O Street (11th and O Streets), Sacramento
Take Sacramento Regional Transit Light Rail from Sunrise Station (across from Marriott) to Archives Plaza Station (Downtown)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2005 – “PRACTITIONERS DAY FORUM”
(Open to the Public)

8:00am-7:00pm Registration, Student Posters and Industry Partners Exhibits
Rancho Cordova

8:00-9:45am Continental Breakfast
Rancho Cordova

8:00-9:45am Committee & Coordination Meetings
- Student Leadership Council (SLC) Meeting
- Networking Coordination Meeting
Eureka
Carmel

9:30-9:45am Thrust Area Breakout Session Chairs and Recorders Briefing
Santa Rosa

10:00-10:10am Welcoming Remarks
Michel Bruneau, MCEER Director
Los Angeles

10:10-10:30am Overview: MCEER Education Activities
S. Thevanayagam
MCEER Director for Education
Los Angeles

10:30-10:45am Overview: Overarching Center-Wide Activities
Michel Bruneau
Los Angeles

10:45-11:15am Overview: Research Activities in Seismic Evaluation and Retrofit of Lifeline Networks
Masanobu Shinozuka
Tom O’Rourke
Leaders, MCEER Research Thrust I
Los Angeles

11:15-11:45am Overview: Research Activities in Seismic Retrofit of Acute Care Facilities
Andre Filiatrault
MCEER Deputy Director
Leader, MCEER Research Thrust II
Los Angeles

11:45-12:15pm Overview: Research Activities in Earthquake Response and Recovery
Kathleen Tierney
Leader, MCEER Research Thrust III
Los Angeles

12:15-1:30pm Annual Meeting Luncheon
Speaker: TBD
Rancho Cordova

1:30-3:30pm Thrust Area Breakout Sessions:
- “Challenging Research/Implementation Issues”
  Brief presentations (10 minutes) by “Practitioner” guests in each Thrust Area. Presentations to be followed by discussion.
Eureka
Carmel
Santa Rosa

3:30-3:45pm Break
Rancho Cordova

3:45-5:30pm Practitioners Day Plenary Session
- Reports from Breakout Sessions (30 mins.)
- Presentations: MCEER Industry Partners
- Discussion
Gary Hart, IAB Chair
- Designated Chairs & Recorders
MCEER IAB Members
- All
Los Angeles

5:30-6:00pm Adjournment
Los Angeles

6:00-7:00pm Reception, Student Posters and Industry Partners Exhibits
Rancho Cordova

7:00-9:00pm MCEER Annual Meeting Banquet
Ron Eguchi, ImageCat Inc.
“MCEER Remote Sensing Research following the December 26, 2004 Asian Earthquake and Tsunamis”.
Rancho Cordova
**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2005 – STRATEGIC RESEARCH PLANNING DAY**  
(Open to MCEER Partners, Students and Investigators Only)

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