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HKIPM 2014 Conference on "Novel Project Delivery Systems -Current Status and The Way Forward"

The Hong Kong Institute of Project Management (HKIPM) organized a full-day conference on the theme of "Novel Project Delivery Systems - Current Status and The Way Forward" at 9:00 am - 5:00 pm on Friday, 25 April 2014 at the Langham Place Hotel, Mongkok, Hong Kong, under the funding support from the government through the Professional Services Development Assistance Scheme (PSDAS). The conference also received strong support from the Department of Civil Engineering of The University of Hong Kong (HKU), together with the Department of Building and Real Estate of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (PolyU) as the two respective Co-Organizers.

The conference explored mainly the current application and future development of various project delivery systems and contracting strategies in the construction industry in both Hong Kong and overseas. It aimed at bringing together academics, government officials, construction stakeholders, policy-makers, legal experts and members of relevant professional institutions to share and discuss knowledge, experiences, concerns and challenges ahead in relation to different project delivery systems. It was launched with great success with overwhelming support from the relevant government works departments, industry and academia, with attendance of over 200 registered delegates.

The conference was inaugurated by a welcome address delivered by Ir Andrew Keung, Chairman of HKIPM, followed by the opening speech presented by the Guest of Honour Professor Anthony Bing-leung Cheung, GBS, JP, Secretary for Transport and Housing, Transport and Housing Bureau, The Government of HKSAR.

Six local guest speakers, including senior executives from the relevant government works departments, such as the Housing Department and Drainage Services Department, the statutory organizations like the Hong Kong Green Building Council and Mass Transit Railway Corporation, the private enterprises like CLP Power Hong Kong Ltd and Chun Wo Construction and Engineering Co Ltd, as well as another six overseas academics and practitioners from the United Kingdom, the United States, Australia and The Netherlands, made impressive presentations on a wide spectrum of topics which could be categorized under the following four main themes:

- 1. International Project Delivery Methods
- 2. Green Procurement and Tendering
- 3. Local Experiences in Executing Construction Contracts
- 4. Innovative Procurement Strategies

Finally, Ir Professor Thomas Ng gave his insightful closing remarks as the Chairman of Organizing Committee. The conference was found very informative, clearly presented and thought-provoking, and the audience learned a lot from these guest speakers.

HKIPM wishes to thank the core members of the conference organizing committee including Ir Professor Thomas Ng from HKU, Dr Francis Chan from HKIPM, Dr Daniel Chan from PolyU and Dr Joseph Chan from HKIVE, for their dedicated efforts in organizing this successful conference with the secretariat support from the Creative Consulting Group Inc Ltd. The generous sponsors including Yau Lee Holdings Limited, Mass Transit Railway Corporation, Paul Y. Engineering Group Ltd, Chun Wo Development Holdings Ltd, Hong Kong Ferry (Holdings) Co Ltd, and KYSS Properties Ltd, are also gratefully acknowledged for their further financial support to the conference.



Welcome Speech by Ir Andrew Keung (President of HKIPM)



Opening Speech by Prof Anthony B.L. Cheung (Guest of Honour)



Guest Speaker: Mr Wayne Lord (Senior Lecturer of Loughborough University)



Guest Speaker: Mr Ian Heaphy (Director of Turner & Townsend Contract Services, Leeds, England)



Guest Speaker: Dr Colin Duffield (Associate Professor of University of Melbourne)



Session Chairman: Prof Anita Liu (Professor from University of Hong Kong)



Guest Speaker: Ms Ada Fung (Deputy Director, Development and Construction of Housing Department)



Guest Speaker: Prof Henk Visscher (Professor of Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands)



Guest Speaker: Ir Conrad Wong (Chairman of Hong Kong Green Building Council)



Session Chairman: Prof Geoffrey Shen (Chair Professor of Hong Kong Polytechnic University)



Guest Speaker: Ir Tsui Wai (Deputy Director of Drainage Services Department)



Guest Speaker: Ir Chris Cheung (Deputy Director, Generation Engineering of CLP Power Hong Kong Ltd)



Guest Speaker: Ir Ken Ko (General Manager of Chun Wo Construction and Engineering Co Ltd)



Session Chairman: Prof S.O Cheung (Professor of City University of Hong Kong)



Guest Speaker: Dr Craig Dubler (Affiliate Assistant Professor of Penn State University)



Guest Speaker: Dr Lincoln Forbes (Harding Associates Inc, Florida, USA)



Guest Speaker: Mr Steve Griffin (General Manager, Procurement and Contracts of MTRC on behalf of Ir T.C. Chew)



Session Chairman: Dr Arthur McInnis (Professional Consultant of Chinese University of Hong Kong)



Closing Remarks by Prof Thomas Ng (Chairman of Conference Organizing Committee)



Group Photo of Members of Conference Organizing Committee with Guest Speakers



Group Photo of Members of Conference Organizing Committee (From Left: Prof Thomas Ng, Dr Francis Chan, Prof Anthony Cheung, Ir Andrew Keung, Dr Daniel Chan, Ir Sam Chan, and Mr Simon Cheung)