11th international conference

CONCRETE ROADS 2026

Schedule for **November 5, 2026**

Session 1: Construction of Concrete Roads – Present and Future

9.00 – 9.10 **Conference Opening**
Ing. Jan Gemrich, Executive Director, Czech Cement Association

9.10 – 9.30 **Opening Address: Vision for the Future Development of Concrete Pavements within the Czech Road and Motorway Network**
Ing. Radek Mátl, Director General, Road and Motorway Directorate of the Czech Republic

9.30 – 9.50 **Experience from Concrete Pavement Construction and Activities of the Central Quality Assurance Department**
Ing. Jiří Hlavatý, Ph.D., et Ph.D., Road and Motorway Directorate of the Czech Republic

9.50 – 10.10 **High-Performance Surface Textures for Concrete Pavements Designed According to Requirements**
Speaker: Jaroslav Hvízdal | Author: Tim Alte-Teigeler, OAT

10.10 – 10.30 **Experience with the Construction and Maintenance of Concrete Pavements in Slovakia – Economic Comparison of Asphalt and Concrete Pavements**
Ing. Martin Samek, Bratislava Self-Governing Region Road Administration

Session 2: Experience with Concrete Pavement Construction and the Use of Portland Slag Cements

11.00 – 11.20 **Evaluation of the Suitability for Use of Alternative Cements in Belgium**
Sylvie Smets, MSc, Belgian Road Research Centre

11.20 – 11.40 **Experience from the Rehabilitation of the D5 Motorway Concrete Pavement**
Ing. Ondřej Dolan, EUROVIA CZ

11.40 – 12.00 **Experience with Concrete Pavement Construction in Tunnels**
Ing. Jan Dibďák, Ing. Ladislav Vysloužil, SKANSKA

12.00 – 12.20 **Experience with Concrete Pavement Construction at Airport**
Ing. Daniel Houštecký, STRABAG

Session 3: Rehabilitation, Maintenance, Diagnostics and Service Life of Concrete Pavements

13.40 – 14.10 **Experience with the Rehabilitation and Maintenance of Concrete Pavements in Relation to Their Service Life**
Ing. Jiří Klepáč, Road and Motorway Directorate of the Czech Republic

14.10 – 14.30 **Revision of Czech Technical Specifications TP 62 and TP 92**
Ing. Josef Stryk, Ph.D., Transport Research Centre

14.30 – 14.50 **New Technical Specification TP 270 – Measurement and Assessment of Road Surface Noise**
Ing. Vítězslav Křivánek, Ph.D., Transport Research Centre

14.50 – 15.10 **Collection and Evaluation of Concrete Pavement Distress Data**
Ing. Ivan Tesař, VARS BRNO

Session 4: New Trends in Concrete Pavement Construction and the Development of Cements for Pavement Concrete

15.30 – 15.50 **Optimization of Blended Cements for Concrete Roads**
Ing. Jan Gemrich, Czech Cement Association; Ing. Václav Skotal, Heidelberg Materials CZ

15.50 – 16.10 **Development of Belite Cements for Concrete Pavements**
Ing. Jiří Grošek, Ph.D., et al., Transport Research Centre

16.10 – 16.30 **Practical Experience with the Use of Portland Slag Cement**
Ing. Ladislav Vysloužil, Ing. Bohuslav Slánský, Ph.D, SKANSKA

16.30 – 16.50 **Use of Fibres in Pavement Concrete**
Prof. Ing. Vít Šmilauer, Ph.D., Czech Technical University in Prague

16.50 – 17.00 **Closing Remarks and Conference Conclusion**
Ing. Marie Birnbaumová, Scientific Patron of the Conference, Road and Motorway Directorate of the Czech Republic