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INVITATION

China Study Tour cum China Concrete Exhibition and 2026 China Concrete & Cement-based Products Industry Conference (15 Sept to 19 Sept 2026)

Dear Sir/Madam

On behalf of the American Concrete Institute (Singapore Chapter), we are pleased to invite you and your esteemed organisation to participate in the **2026 China Study Tour**, organised in conjunction with the **China International Concrete Expo (CCPA)** in Guangzhou.

This study tour aims to strengthen collaboration between China and Singapore/ASEAN in the areas of **low-carbon construction, intelligent manufacturing, AI applications, and sustainable building materials**. The programme is supported by the **China Concrete & Cement-Based Products Association (CCPA)** and leading industry partners.

This comprehensive program aims not only to deepen participants' understanding of the concrete market but also to foster meaningful connections and collaborations that will propel our shared objectives in sustainable development and intelligent manufacturing. In addition to immersing ourselves in the rich tapestry of knowledge and innovation offered by the convention and exhibition, participants will have the unique opportunity to forge valuable connections, explore potential collaborations, and gain insights that will contribute to the advancement of our shared goals in sustainable development and intelligent manufacturing.

We believe that your participation will greatly enrich the discourse and contribute to the success of this endeavor. Your presence will not only enhance the exchange of ideas and best practices but also serve to strengthen the bonds of cooperation between our respective regions.

Programme Highlights

This 5-day technical and networking programme will provide participants with valuable exposure to the latest developments in the concrete and construction materials industry:

- **China International Concrete Expo 2026 (Guangzhou)**
Participation in the opening ceremony, international forum, and China–Singapore procurement matchmaking session, with opportunities for direct engagement with industry leaders.
- **Industrial & Technology Visits (Quanzhou & Guangzhou)**
Visits to leading enterprises specialising in:



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- Intelligent block-making and automation systems
- Engineering mixing and green building materials solutions
- Electrification of construction machinery
- Recycled materials and UHPC applications
- Smart batching plants and digitalised production systems
- **Focus Areas**
 - AI-driven manufacturing and quality control
 - Construction waste recycling and circular economy
 - Prefabrication and advanced concrete technologies
 - Green and low-carbon construction solutions
- **Cultural & Networking Experience**

Cultural visits in Xiamen and Quanzhou, including heritage sites and local industry interaction, as well as networking dinners with international delegates and industry leaders.

Indicative Programme Overview

- **Day 1 (15 Sept):** Singapore – Xiamen – Quanzhou (city tour & transfer)
- **Day 2 (16 Sept):** Factory visits and technical exchanges in Quanzhou
- **Day 3 (17 Sept):** High-speed rail to Guangzhou; visit to circular economy industrial park
- **Day 4 (18 Sept):** Full-day participation in China International Concrete Expo
- **Day 5 (19 Sept):** Guangzhou – Singapore

To ensure a seamless experience, please find below a breakdown of the costs associated with the tour:

Cost Arrangement

- **Airfare:** To be arranged individually by participants
- **Accommodation:** Recommended hotels in Quanzhou and Guangzhou (details to be provided); payable by participants
- **Conference:** Expo access and selected forums are complimentary for Singapore delegates
- **Shared Expenses:** Estimated **S\$2,000 per participant**, covering:
 - Local transportation (coach, High speed train & transfers)
 - Technical visit arrangements
 - Networking events and selected meals
 - Administrative and coordination costs

It is important to note that while airfare and accommodation costs are borne by individual participants, the shared expenses cover a wide range of essential aspects to ensure a comprehensive and enriching experience for all involved.

Should you have any questions or require further clarification regarding the costs or any other aspect of the study tour, please do not hesitate to reach out to us. We are committed to ensuring that all participants have



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the information and support they need to fully enjoy and benefit from this exceptional opportunity.

We kindly request that you confirm your participation at your earliest convenience to facilitate the necessary arrangements. For registration, please fill up the online form: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1Ug10Ka1c6W_PK1dZ4o1Qnsdpgw7EWJ2ckkxhOk8tdCU/edit.

Should you require any further information or assistance regarding logistics, accommodations, or other pertinent details, please do not hesitate to contact us.

We eagerly anticipate your positive response and look forward to the prospect of welcoming you to Quanzhou and Guangzhou for what promises to be a fruitful and memorable experience.

Enclosed please find the invitation letter from CCPA and the preliminary Schedule for your reference.

Warm regards,

Organizing Committee, ACI (Singapore Chapter)