

15th June 2023

A half-day online course dealing with the practical aspects of successfully placing concrete in warm weather conditions

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# Introduction

Hot weather conditions are usually caused by a combination of factors including high ambient temperature, high solar radiation, low relative humidity and high wind velocity. While prolonged high ambient temperatures are not common in Ireland, ambient temperatures of 20°C and above, together with low humidity and drying winds present a high risk to long term concrete quality.

As these conditions can impact both fresh and hardened concrete, precautions are necessary to ensure that concrete performance is not unduly affected. In this seminar we will provide practical information for the successful planning and placing of concrete during the summer months.

# **Seminar Content and Speakers**

- 10.00 Welcome
- **10.05** Introduction and General Overview *Robert Laird, ESB*
- **10.25** Design Options for Hot Weather Concreting Colin Heffernan, Roadstone
- 10.55 Break
- **11.05** Site Practice: Planning, Placing, and Curing Brendan Dunne, PJ Hegarty & Sons
- **11.35** Health and Safety Considerations in Hot Weather *Michael Kavanagh, Collen Construction*
- **12.00 Defects and Repair** *TBC, Fosroc*
- 12.20 Sampling and Testing Deborah Adair, Mattest
- 12.45 Questions and Answers
- 13.00 Ends

Minor adjustment to seminar content and speaker line-up may occur.

### Date

Online: 15th June 2023, 9.30am to 1pm

#### Fee

ICS / Concrete Society (NI) Member: €65 / delegate

## Non-member rate: €95 / delegate

A booking discount of 10% applies to groups of 5 or more

CPD: 3 Hours

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