



CTBUH 2009 Chicago Conference
Evolution of the Skyscraper: New challenges in a world of global warming and recession

Final Program

Day 1: Thursday 22 nd October		
8.00 – 9.00	BREAKFAST AND REGISTRATION , sponsored by Thornton Tomasetti	
9.00 – 9.15	WELCOME	David Scott, <i>CTBUH Chairman</i>
9.15 – 10.45	S1: TOPIC	Chicago – City of Big Shoulders
	CHAIR	David Scott, <i>CTBUH Chairman</i>
	SPEAKER 1	Eric Trump & Andy Weiss, <i>The Trump Organization, New York Skyscrapers as Business Strategy: An international portfolio</i>
	SPEAKER 2	William Testa, <i>Vice President, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago Density, Height and Global Cities</i>
	SPEAKER 3	Richard Tomasetti, <i>Founding Principal, Thornton Tomasetti, NY Chicago Spire: Technical Twisting and Turning</i>
	Q & A	
10.45 - 11.15	BREAK , sponsored by Skidmore Owings and Merrill	
11.15 - 12.45	S2: TOPIC	The changing economics of Tall sustainability
	CHAIR	Donna Robertson, <i>Dean, Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago</i>
	SPEAKER 1	Steve Watts, <i>Partner, Davis Langdon, London The Economics of Sustainability & Mixed Use</i>
	SPEAKER 2	Dan Probst, <i>Chairman Energy & Sustainability, Jones Lang LaSalle What Every Tenant Wants</i>
	SPEAKER 3	Garrett Miller, <i>President, Hill Internl. Real Estate Partners American Commerce Center and other projects</i>
	Q & A	
12.45 – 1.45	LUNCH , sponsored by Woods Bagot	
1.45 – 3.15	S3: TOPIC	Tall Buildings: Adopting an Icon
	CHAIR	Dennis Poon, <i>Principal, Thornton Tomasetti, New York</i>
	SPEAKER 1	Arthur Gensler, <i>Chairman, Gensler, San Francisco Shanghai Tower: Completing a Super-Tall Trio</i>
	SPEAKER 2	Tony Kettle, <i>International Group Design Director, RMJM, UK Gazprom Tower: The politics of High Rise</i>
	SPEAKER 3	Clark Manus, <i>AIA President Elect/Principal, Heller Manus, San Fran West Coast / East Coast Tall – commonalities and differences</i>
	Q & A	
3.15 – 3.45	BREAK , sponsored by Hyundai Engineering & Construction Co Ltd.	
3.45 – 5.45	S4: TOPIC	40 Years of CTBUH / CTBUH 2009 Awards
	CHAIR	Antony Wood, <i>CTBUH Executive Director</i>
	SPEAKER 1 (PANEL)	Charles DeBenedittis (<i>Tishman Speyer</i>), Gilberto Do Valle, Ron Klemencic (<i>MKA</i>), Shankar Nair (<i>Teng</i>), Les Robertson (<i>LERA</i>) & David Scott (<i>Arup</i>) 40 Years of the CTBUH: Reflections
	SPEAKER 2	John Portman, <i>Founding Principal, John Portman & Associates A lifetime of tall, from an architect-developer's perspective</i>
	SPEAKER 3 (PANEL)	Stuart Allen & Frank Zabel (<i>CICO Consultants</i>), Steven Holl (<i>Steven Holl Architects</i>), Bruce Kuwabara (<i>KPMB Architects</i>), Timothy Poell (<i>SOM</i>) CTBUH 2009 Best Tall Building Award Winners
	Q & A	
6.00 – 10.00	8th ANNUAL AWARDS DINNER , Crown Hall	

Day 2: Friday 23 rd October		
8.00 – 9.00	BREAKFAST AND REGISTRATION , sponsored by Dow Corning	
9.00 – 9.15	WELCOME	Antony Wood, <i>CTBUH Executive Director</i>
9.15 – 10.45	S5: TOPIC	Quest for the World's Tallest
	CHAIR	William Baker, <i>Partner, Skidmore Owings & Merrill, Chicago</i>
	SPEAKER 1	Mohamed Ali Alabbar, <i>Chairman, Emaar Properties PJSC, Dubai The World's Tallest as Economic Stimulus</i>
	SPEAKER 2	Eric Kuhne, <i>Founding Principal, Eric Kuhne Associates, UK Starcatchers versus Skyscrapers: Building skylines of the future</i>
	SPEAKER 3	Mark Mitcheson-Low, <i>Managing Director, Woods Bagot, Dubai Kilometre-High Tower: Fact or Fiction?</i>
	Q & A	
10.45 - 11.15	BREAK , sponsored by Goettsch Partners	
11.15 - 12.45	S6: TOPIC	Urban, Technical & Environmental Advances in Tall Buildings
	CHAIR	Lawrence D. Carbarly, <i>Industry Scientist, Dow Corning</i>
	SPEAKER 1	Richard M. Daley, <i>Mayor, City of Chicago Chicago; 125 years of Tall – reflections</i>
	SPEAKER 2	Russ Huffer, <i>Chairman & CEO, Apogee / Viracon, Owatonna Envelope as Environmental Filter</i>
	SPEAKER 3	Guy Turner, <i>Director, Intelligent Engineering / SPS Floors, London Evolving Structural Solutions: A third way</i>
	Q & A	
12.45 – 1.45	LUNCH , sponsored by SPS Floors	
1.45 – 3.30	S7: TOPIC	The Future of Urban Tall?
	CHAIR	Norbert Young, <i>President, McGraw Hill Construction, New York</i>
	SPEAKER 1	Carol Willis, <i>Director, Skyscraper Museum, New York Skyscraper Cities: The logic of vertical density</i>
	SPEAKER 2	Adrian Smith, <i>Partner, Adrian Smith + Gordon Gill Architecture, Chicago Re-energizing existing high rise; Sears, Jin Mao and other cases</i>
	SPEAKER 3 (PANEL)	Sandy Diehl (<i>Vice President, United Technologies</i>), Richard Hanson (<i>Mesa Development</i>), Vickie Tillman, (<i>Senior Vice President, Standard & Poor</i>), Ray Torto (<i>Global Chief Economist, CB Richard Ellis</i>) The Future of Urban Tall in a world of uncertain economics
	Q & A	
3.30 – 4.00	BREAK , sponsored by Samoo Architects & Engineers	
4.00 – 5.30	S8: TOPIC	Developing Markets; trends, drivers, challenges
	CHAIR	Jeffrey Holmes, <i>Woods Bagot</i>
	SPEAKER 1	Mun Summ Wong, <i>Founding Partner, WOHA, Singapore Newton Suites and other endeavors: High Rise & the Organic Realm</i>
	SPEAKER 2	Russell Gilchrist / Roger Frechette, <i>Skidmore Owings & Merrill, Chicago Towards Zero Energy in China: Pearl River Tower</i>
	SPEAKER 3	Shri Ratnaker Gaikwad, <i>Metropolitan Commissioner, Mumbai The Remaking of Mumbai in the Sustainable Age</i>
	Q & A	
5.30 – 5.45	CLOSE	Professor Sang Dae Kim, <i>CTBUH Chair-elect</i>