Preface

The International Conference on Contemporary Problems of Architecture and Construction (ICPAC-2019) was held from October 14 - 16, 2019 on the basis National University of Architecture and Construction of Armenia. The first conference was organized in Armenia in 2008.

The work of the conference was aimed at providing an opportunity for scientists, graduate students and representatives of the construction industry to generalise the recent achievements results in the field of industrial and civil construction (design, organization of all types of work, construction materials, etc.), discussing promising directions for the construction industry development and establishing useful partner relationships for future interaction.

The main topic of the conference is:

- Construction materials and technologies of binders, concrete, modern materials in architecture

Numerous participants from Armenia and abroad (China, Russian Federation, Poland, Italy, Georgia, USA) were registered for the conference in 2019.

The important problems of Construction materials and technologies of binders, concrete, modern materials in architecture (from ideas and projects to immediate implementation) are raised and the ways of their solution and optimisation are suggested in the reports presented in frameworks of these topics. Many reports were prepared as a benefit of the state support of science in forms of grants, federal target programs, resolutions of the Government of the Armenia and other programs.

Particular attention was paid to young researchers, whose works are evaluated separately. The general impression associated with the organisation and holding of the conference is very positive.

Annual holding of such conferences is planned to be organised on the main topics of the construction industry.

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