

CALL FOR PAPERS

4th Ybl Conference on the Built Environment

EAST CENTRAL EUROPE: LET'S BUILD TOGETHER

● May 8, 2026

The **4th Ybl Conference on the Built Environment 2026** invites participants to an international scientific and professional platform that fosters dialogue and collaboration within the broadly interpreted disciplinary framework of the built environment. The aim of the conference is to connect the **key actors of higher education and research in the Carpathian Basin** within a shared knowledge space, with special emphasis on architecture, architectural engineering, and the related interdisciplinary fields.

The conference not only presents but actively builds the interdisciplinary knowledge bridge that connects the researchers, institutions, and shared values of the future. The slogan **"East Central Europe: Let's Build Together!"** simultaneously refers to shared professional responsibility, regional cohesion, and a creative mindset that shapes the built environment—both in physical and intellectual terms.

Location:

Obuda University,
Ybl Miklós Faculty of Architecture and Civil Engineering
Budapest, 1146 Thököly út 74.

General chair:

Prof. dr. Anthony John Gall

Founding chairs:

Dr. habil Viktória Sugár
Dr. habil Zsuzsanna Fáczy

Honorary chair:

Prof. Em. dr. Rudolf Klein, Doctor of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences

Secretary general:

Dorottya Hargitai

Conference Topics:

We welcome presentations on (but not limited to) the following topics:

- Climate-Adaptive Architecture
- Sustainable Urban Planning and Infrastructure
- Building and Urban Energy Systems
- Innovative Building Materials and Technologies
- Architectural Rehabilitation of Peripheral Areas
- Environmentally Conscious Design and Industrial Design
- Values of the Built Heritage
- Parametric And AI-Driven Architecture
- New Methods in Architectural and Civil Engineering Education
- Regional Architectural Challenges
- Contemporary Architectural Trends
- Doctoral Research on the Built Environment
- Mathematics and Geometry in Construction

Submission and Abstract Guidelines:

Submission and abstract guidelines: to participate, please submit an abstract of your presentation using the template provided abstract <https://yblesz.uni-obuda.hu/en/general-info/> to: hargitai.dorottya@uni-obuda.hu

Important Deadlines:

Abstract submission: 8th March, 2026

Notification of acceptance: 27th March, 2026

Publication Opportunities:

Ybl Journal of Built Environment (English and Hungarian)
Magyar Építőművészet, Magyar Építőipar (in Hungarian)
All accepted abstracts will be published in the online Conference Proceedings with ISBN number.

For further details, please visit our website:

<https://yblesz.uni-obuda.hu/en/>

Registration:

<https://forms.office.com/e/EWn1u7zcVw>



For inquiries, feel free to contact the general secretary:

Dorottya Hargitai, hargitai.dorottya@uni-obuda.hu

Language:

Presentations and posters: English or Hungarian

Participation is free both speakers and visitors, but registration is required.

We look forward to your submissions and hope to see you at the conference!

Best regards,

The Organizing Committee

Ybl Miklós Faculty of Architecture and Civil Engineering