



## Taiwan Building Technology Center

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## **BACKGROUND**

Taiwan Building Technology Center (TBTC) was established in 2007 with special funding granted by the Ministry of Education under its Top Universities and Elite Research Centers Development Plan. The research funding TBTC received from MoE was around NT\$50 million annually.

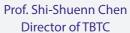
### VISION

- Establishing cross borders and cross disciplinary research teams
- Driving development of sustainable, smart and energy efficient buildings to help enhance competitiveness of industry

World-Top in Breakthrough International **Technologies** Taiwan Cooperation Center **Driving Enlarging** Cooperation Cross **Develop**with Industry **Impact** Disciplinary ment

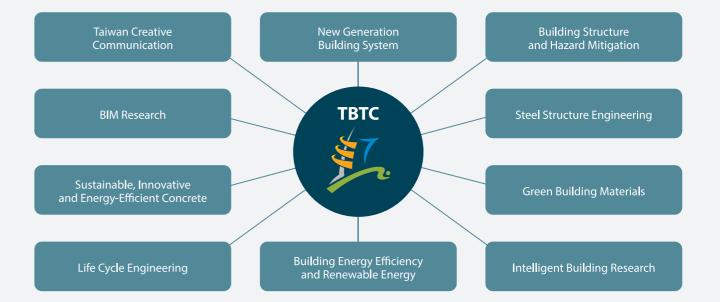
## **ORGANIZATION**







Prof. Wei-Hwa Chiang CEO of TBTC



# **OBJECTIVES AND STRATEGY**

- Breakthrough technologies
- · Paper publication on top 40% journals
- Establishing regional alliance
- Establishing international joint research center
- Sustainability, Smart Energy Efficient Buildings Academic

Research

TBTC International

Cooperation Cross borders, **Cross disciplinary** 

Inspiring teaching programs Excellent research labs

Innovative Education

Industrial Cooperation

Technology Transfer Joint research centers

- Cultivating talented young researchers and students
- Establishing academic-industrial joint research center
- Increasing Impact on industry

## FIGURES AND ACHIEVEMENTS

#### **Funding**

- Academic-industry cooperation: Around NT\$200 million/year
- MoE: Around NT\$50 million

#### **Research Teams**

- 2007-2017: Around 15-20 teams with 100 professors
- 2018~: Around 8-10 teams with 50 professors

#### **Academic Research**

• The number of SCI and SSCI papers has increased 60%

#### **International Cooperation**

- 9 EU FP7/H2020 Projects
- The number of international cooperation projects has increased 63%

#### **Industrial Cooperation**

- 4 Strategic Alliance Centers
- The amount of industrial cooperation has 3-fold
- The research outcome applied on buildings has 2.2-fold growth

#### **Intellectual Property**

- The number of grant patents has 4.7-fold growth
- The number of patent licensing has 5.5-fold growth
- The revenue generated by IPR has 3-fold growth

#### **Cultivation of Talent**

• Cultivating 28 young Post Doc/PhD students from 2015-2017 by conducting research works in top universities worldwide

# **Cultivating Young Researchers U** London Northwestern U **U Minnesota U** Tokyo Ul Urbana-Champaign - Tokyo Tech Caltech Georgia Tech **TMU** Stanford U **UC Berkeley HKUST HK PolyU AECOM** NUS NTU **U** Auckland

# FIRST PHASE (2007-2011)

**Intelligent Buildings Research Group** 

- Intelligent Building Telecommunications Platforms
- Color and Illumination
- Energy Conservation and Ventilation

Life-Cycle System **Design for Buildings Research Group** 

- Building System Reliability
- Structural Performance
- Structure and Facility Performance

# **SECOND PHASE (2012-2017)**

- Intelligent Building Technology
- Barrier-free Environment
- Color and Illumination
- Architecture
- Innovation Life Cycle Engineering

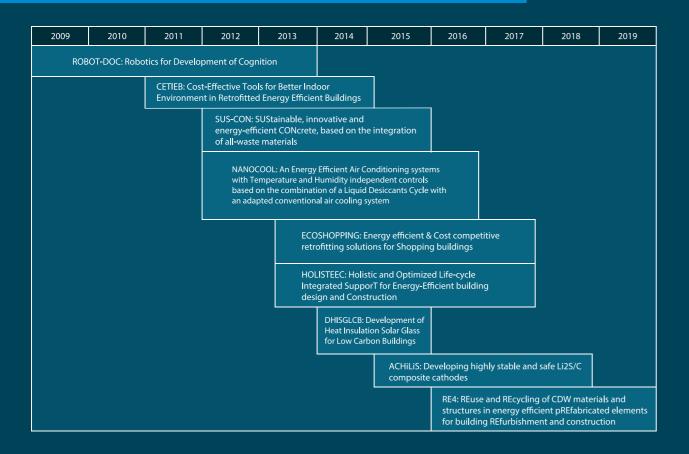
# intelligent Green Building

- Energy Saving
- Energy Storage
- Green Materials
- New Generation Architecture
- High Performance Concrete
- Hazard Prevention for Landslide

# THIRD PHASE (2018-2022)



## TBTC PARTICIPATING IN EU FP7 & H2020 EeB PROJECTS



## **EXPERIMENTAL SITE - THE TBTC BUILDING**

The TBTC building provides a real laboratory for testing and exhibiting the ideas and results of the TBTC's projects.



#### Displacement ventilation system

Supplying air by displacement ventilation system can make air contribution uniform and reduce energy consumption. It also has high effectiveness of cooling.





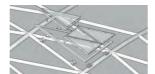
#### **Ground source heat pump system**

Ground source heat pump system uses undersoil and groundwater with stable temperature to cool / heat air and declines energy consumption for cooling heating system.



Integration of stack ventilation and mechanical ventilation can effectively reduce energy





#### 3 in 1 photoelectric glass

3 in 1 photoelectric glass has good performances of photoelectric efficiency (7%) and



#### **Guild daylighting system**

Prism is used to collect daylighting and transfer daylighting to spot lighting.

### **CROSS DISCIPLINARY RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY**

#### **DEVELOPMENT OF NEW GENERATION STRUCTURES**

- By the studies of high performance structural materials, structural components, and structural systems, the efficiency of the structural materials can be enhanced.
- Research focus of high performance materials has been on high performance steels, which possess such characteristics as high strength, fire resistance, high ductility, and/or high weld ability.
- High performance concrete has also received considerable attention for its high strength, light weight, and
- High-rise building Earthquake-Resistant Beam Patent used in at least 200 buildings and in the Taipei 101.





### LIFE-CYCLE PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS AND DECISION SUPPORT SYSTEMS





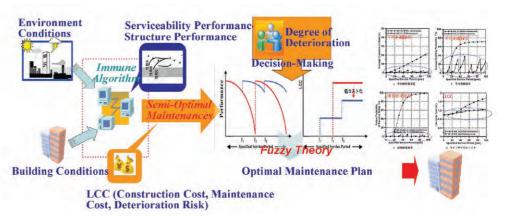












#### APPLICATIONS OF IT FOR ADVANCING CIVIL AND CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING

#### **Superior Design**

High-speed/High-fidelit y simulation, Parameter estimation, Construction site risk assessment with BIM-based presentation

#### **Better Construction**

BIM-based steel structure erection scheduling and communication platform

#### Safer World

Slope/structure safety monitoring, visual inspection assistance, smart smoke detector

#### **Enabled by IT**

MCU, SBC, Mobile, Multicore PC, GPU, PC clusters, Internet-Scale Computing







# SUSTAINABLE, INNOVATIVE AND ENERGY-EFFICIENT CONCRETE, BASED ON THE INTEGRATION OF ALL-WASTE MATERIALS (SUS-CON)



Concrete products manufactured from secondary raw materials could help the building sector improve its environmental performance and cut waste.









Lightweight heat insulated concrete

pavement

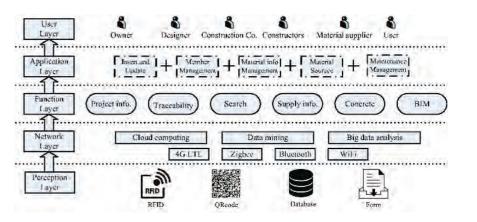
# REUSE AND RECYCLING OF CDW MATERIALS AND STRUCTURES IN ENERGY EFFICIENT PREFABRICATED ELEMENTS FOR BUILDING REFURBISHMENT AND CONSTRUCTION



RE4 aims to develop an innovative concept of pre-fabricated energy-efficient buildings that can be easily assembled for future reuse.

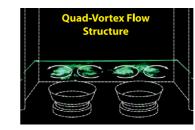


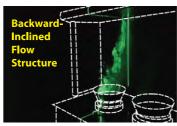
# CLOUD-BASED PRODUCTION TRACING AND MAINTENANCE SYSTEM FOR CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY



#### INTELLIGENT TECHNIQUES FOR VENTILATION AND ENERGY SAVING OF BUILDING

Through the natural mechanisms that produce heat in an indoor environment, this project developed advanced technologies and apparatus that make advanced ventilation strategy and energy conservation feasible in buildings. The leakage level can remain almost 0 and the system can save 50% energy and reduce 20% manufacturing cost and the technology has been transferred to manufacturers of Taiwan, Japan and China.







# NANOCOOL: AN AIR-CONDITIONING SYSTEM INDEPENDENTLY CONTROLLING HUMIDITY AND TEMPERATURE



The nanoCOOL system is a hybrid liquid desiccant system (HLDS) and absorbs the moisture by using LiCl solution. It can not only independently control the humidity and the temperature, but save 30% of electric power consumption.

The whole system has been shipped from Spain to Taiwan and installed next to the swimming pool of our campus.





# **CROSS DISCIPLINARY RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY**

# DEVELOPMENT OF CYBER PHYSICAL INTEGRATION TECHNOLOGIES AND APPLICATION FOR BUILDINGS

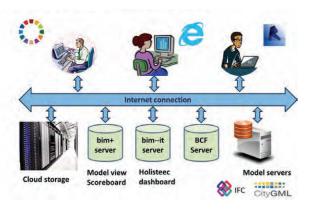
The developments of cyber physical technology are being implemented in certain application toward Smart Building, including Time-shared Parking System, Personal Information Dashboard, Energy Analytics System, and UHF RFID Chamber. Basically, all applications are aim to create better environment for people to live and to solve some problematic things as well.



### INTEGRATED APPLICATION OF BUILDING INFORMATION MODELING (BIM) AND SUSTAINABLE BUILDING



The framework of the 'HOLISTEEC platform', which provides a communication platform and evaluation results for project team members during seven phases of a project to achieve optimal project decisions. Demonstration case of the 'HOLISTEEC Platform': NTUST Student dormitory.





### INTEGRATION OF BUILDING TECHNOLOGY AND CREATIVE DESIGN

- Congregate housing design
- Sustainable community planning
- Urban regeneration



