

Mike Riley Abstract and Biog

Overview:

It is generally accepted that there is growing recognition of the need to consider buildings and built assets on the basis of whole-life performance. The issues associated with maintaining and enhancing a sustainable built environment demand specialist skills and input. Building Surveyors, uniquely, have the ability of to add value to organizations through the application of a specialist skills set that includes a detailed understanding building performance in use. This includes a thorough understanding of technical, legislative and facilities management issues and processes. The potential role of the Building Surveyor will be considered from the perspective of adding value to client organizations and the global context will be explained and related to current themes in the Malaysian property and construction sectors.

About the Speaker:



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Professor Mike Riley is Visiting professor to the Building Surveying Department at University of Malaya and is the Director of the School of Built Environment, Liverpool John Moores University; one of the largest Built environment departments in the UK.. He has more than 20 years experience in Building Surveying practice and Construction and Property education. Mike is a consultant to several national organizations in the UK and has an established reputation with RICS internationally.

Mike is the author of three text books in the field of Construction Technology and he has published numerous academic papers in the areas of building pathology, property management and building performance appraisal.

Mike obtained his first degree in from Salford University (Building Surveying), followed by his Master of Science from Heriot-Watt University (Building Services Engineering). He is a Fellow of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors and Fellow of the Association of Building Engineers. He is also a Chairman of Assessors for the RICS Assessment of Professional Competence and has assessed candidates in Hong-Kong and Malaysia as well as the UK.