



60th ECCE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

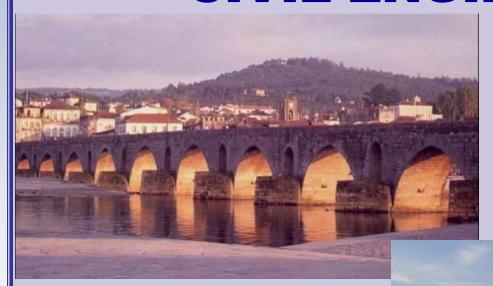
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IT WAS A LONG WAY IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

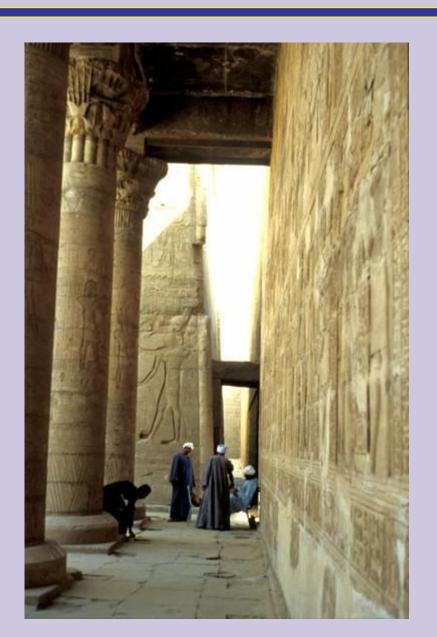


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ROMAN BRIDGE

1. THE PRE-INFORMATIC PERIOD

(5000 YEARS AGO)

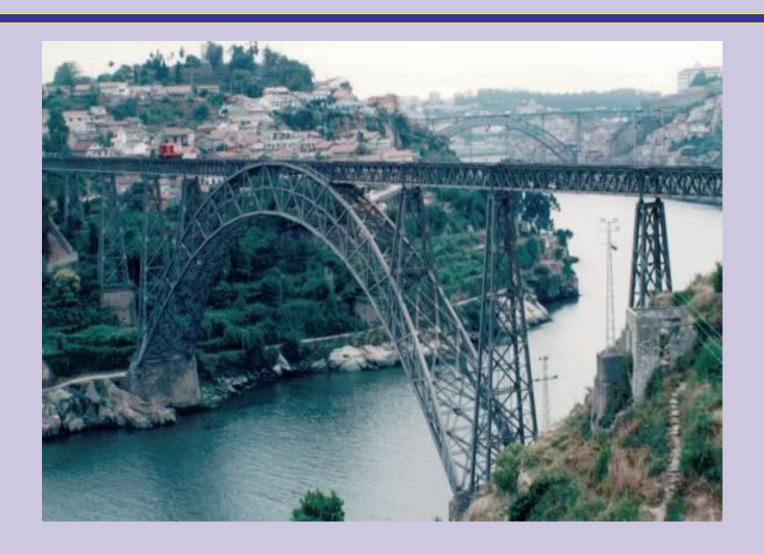


THE STONEBeam and column

(5000 YEARS AGO...)

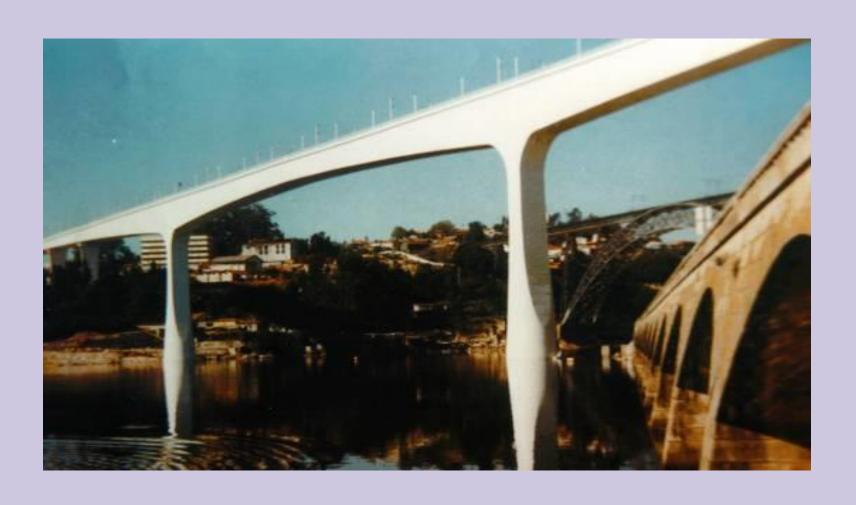


THE STONE
The arch
(2000 YEARS AGO ...)



(150 years ago...)

THE IRON / STEEL

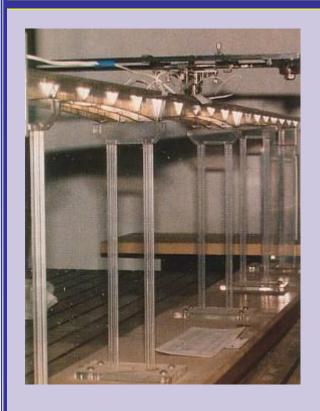


(70 YEARS AGO...)

THE CONCRETE

AROUND 40 YEARS AGO...

2. THE INFORMATIC BIG-BANG





YEARS 60s - 70s DESIGN WITH MODELS

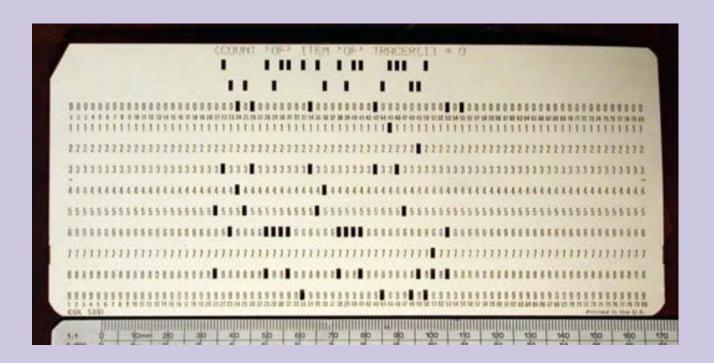




1970 ELECTRIC CALCULATORS

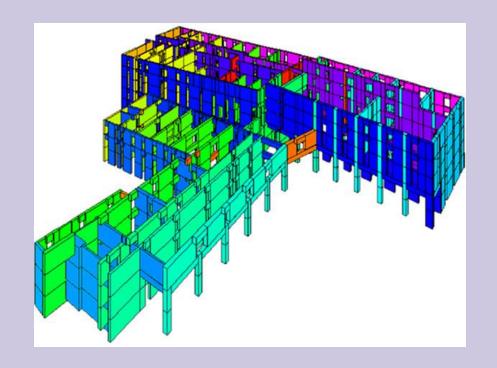


1960 - 1970 1st COMPUTERS



WITH CARDS

1975 FINITE ELEMENT MODELS





1985
The PCs
Macintosh
(with
windows)

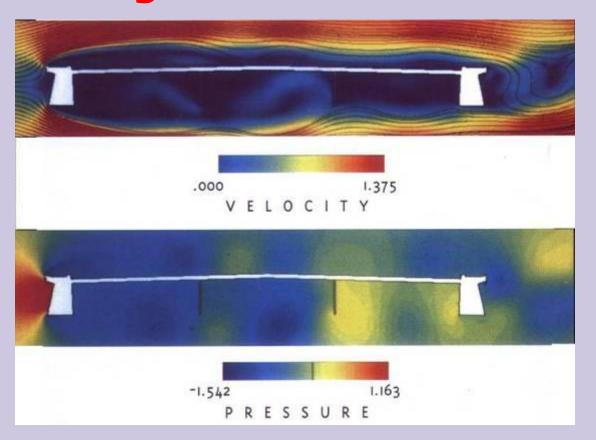




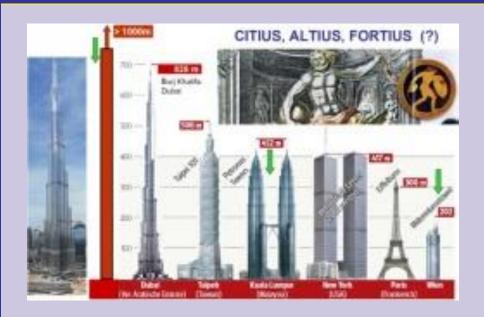
1986

Arade and Guadiana Bridges 3d FEM and dynamic analysis

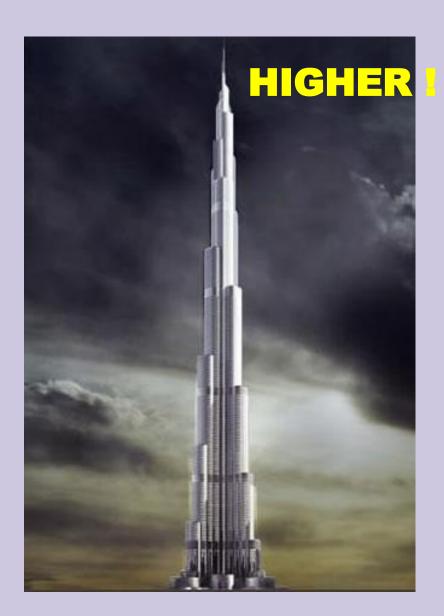
1990 Aerodynamic models



3. AND THE FUTURE?



HIGHER, LONGER, STRONGER



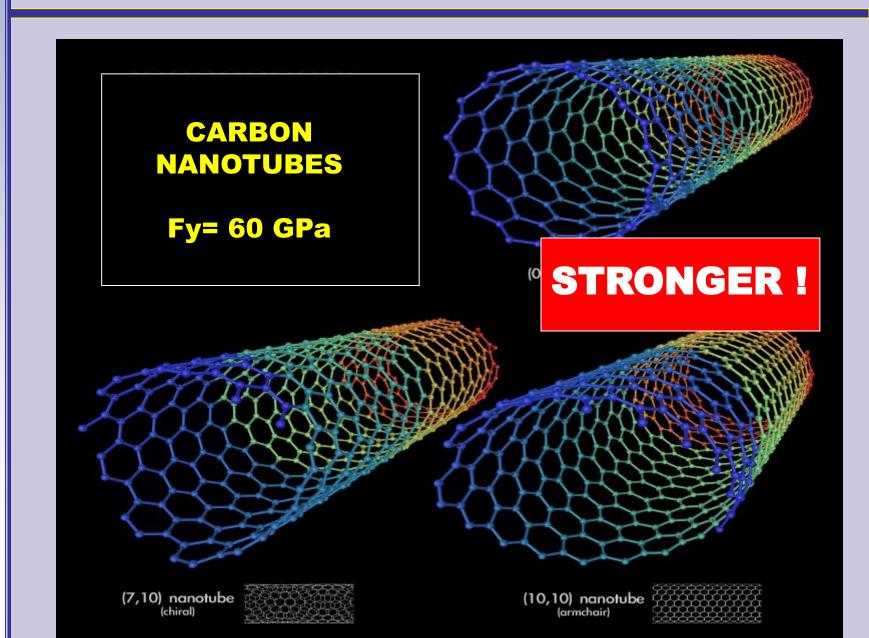
BURJ TOWER DUBAI

800m

2008





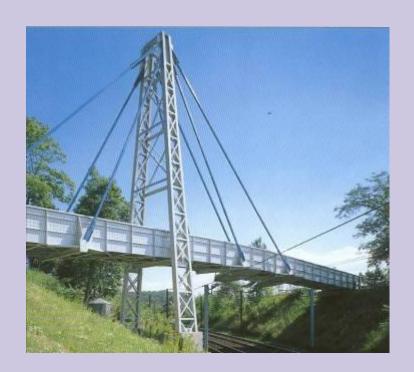


4. XXI Cent.

NEW CHALLENGES

DURABILITY





COMPOSITE MATERIALS



Kolding Bridge (Denmark)

Lleida Bridge (Spain)





NEW CONSTRUCTION TECHNIQUES

SUBMERGED PRECAST TUNNEL

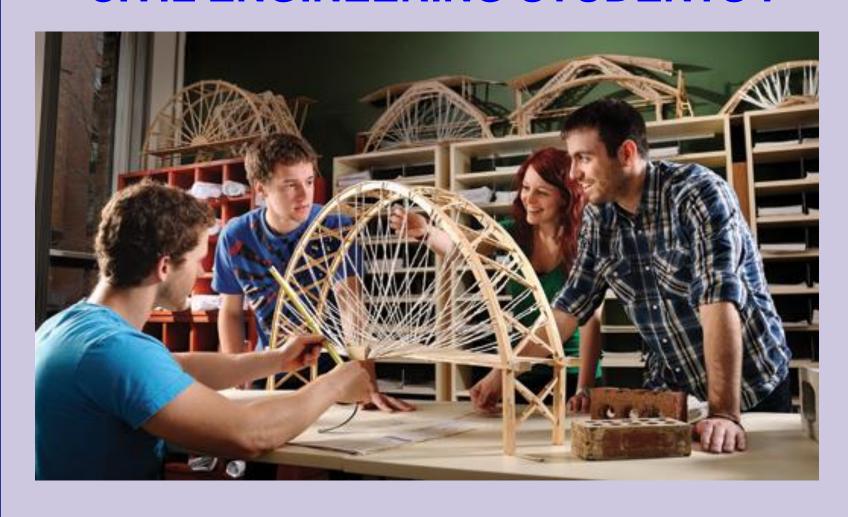
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CONSTRUCTION SUSTAINABILITY

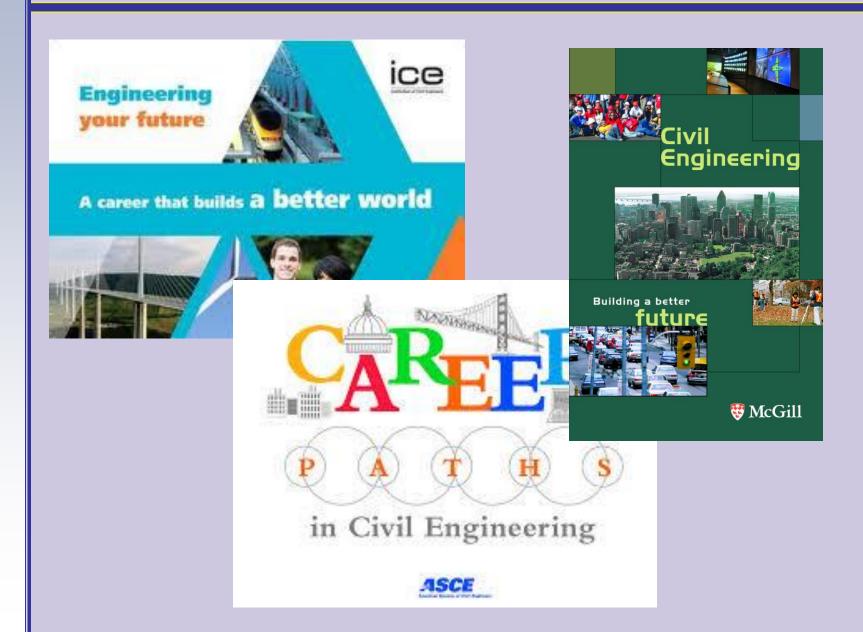


5. THE BUILDERS OF THE FUTURE

BUT FOR THAT WE NEED TO HAVE CIVIL ENGINEERING STUDENTS!















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