# Air Infiltration & Ventilation Centre

# Annex 5

#### Project duration: 1979 - present

The primary objective of the ECBCS information centre, "Air Infiltration and Ventilation Centre (AIVC)", is to be the international centre on research and development in the fields of air infiltration and ventilation, and thus to provide a high quality international technical and information forum covering the areas of ventilation and air infiltration in the built environment with respect to efficient energy use, good indoor air quality and thermal comfort. The mission of AIVC is to be the reference portal for information on ventilation in buildings to improve the wellbeing of people through development and dissemination of ventilation knowledge.

The popular annual conference provides an opportunity for researchers and practitioners from around the world to exchange ideas and present their latest findings. The proceedings and conference report are available at the AIVC website.

The latest operating period for the Air Infiltration and Ventilation Centre ended in May 2010. The AIVC's continuation for the period from 2011 to 2013 was approved at the November 2010 meeting of the ECBCS Executive Committee, during which time a fundamentally new approach will be implemented.

#### **New Products in 2010**

### New Ventilation Information Papers

VIP 34 Needs and methods for ductwork cleaning in France

VIP 33  $\,{\rm CO_2}$  as indicator for the indoor air quality - General principles





#### VIP 32 Hybrid Ventilation

#### Contributed Reports

CR 13 Reduction of tobacco smoke in the hospitality business

# **⇒** AIVC Conference Proceedings

31<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference 'Low Energy and Sustainable Ventilation Technologies for Green Buildings', held 26<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> October 2010 in Seoul, Korea.

## **⇒** AIVC Newsletter: 'Air Information Review'

March 2010

The website (www.aivc.org) is regularly updated.

#### Meetings

A workshop on the topic of "Large scale national implementation plans for building airtightness assessment" was held in Brussels, Belgium, in June 2010.

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**Participants:** Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Greece, Japan, Republic of Korea, Netherlands, Norway, USA

#### Further information and reports:

www.ecbcs.org/annexes/annex5.htm