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Curriculum Vitæ

Academic Experiences:

Present Position: Associate Professor of Structural Engineering, University of Brescia (from 2017), Department of Civil, Environmental and Architectural Engineering and Mathematics (DICATAM).

Prior Positions: Assistant Professor of Structural Engineering, University of Brescia (from 2013 to 2017);
Research fellowship holder, University of Brescia (from 2005 to 2013).

Giuseppe Tiberti is an Associate Professor of “Structural design” at the University of Brescia, Department of Civil, Environmental and Architectural Engineering and Mathematics (DICATAM). He received his Ph.D. in “Materials for Engineering” in 2009; his Ph.D. thesis was titled “Concrete tunnel segments with combined traditional and fiber reinforcement: optimization of the structural behaviour and design aspects”.

His research activity mainly concerns the structural applications of conventional and innovative concrete structures. In particular, he has been working on tension stiffening effects in concrete structural elements and structural applications of fiber reinforced concretes. In this regard, his interests especially include tunnel linings made by precast segments in fiber reinforced concrete and concrete pavements. He has been involved in many research activities based on experimental studies as well as nonlinear analyses of reinforced concrete structures.

He contributed to the activities carried out within the following working groups:

- *fib* WP 1.4.1 “Tunnels in Fiber Reinforced Concrete” (Fédération Internationale du Béton, Losanna, Svizzera): “Tunnels”, convenor: prof. eng. Alberto Meda;
- “Working Group 2” AITES/ITA, International Tunneling Association: “Research”, current convenor: eng. Elena Chiriotti;
- *SIG* Working Group 2 – Research, “Damages of segmental linings”, SIG, Società Italiana Gallerie, convenor: eng. Enrico Maria Pizzarotti.

He is co-author of three international documents regarding the design of Fiber Reinforced Concrete precast tunnel linings:

- International Tunnelling Association, ITA Working Group 2 “Research”, “Twenty years of FRC tunnel segments practice: lessons learnt and proposed design principles” (April 2016, pp. 71, ISBN 978-2-970-1013-5-2);



- ACI-Committee 544 “Fiber Reinforced Concrete”, sub-committee 544.7R-16 “FRC-Precast tunnel segments”, “Report on Design and Construction of Fiber Reinforced Precast Concrete Tunnel Segments”, ACI 544.7R-16;
- *fib* Working Party 1.4.1 (Fédération Internationale du Béton, Losanna, Svizzera): “Tunnels in fiber reinforced concrete”, *fib* Bulletin 83, “Precast tunnel segments in fibre-reinforced concrete”, ISSN 1562-3610, ISBN 978-2-88394-123-6, October 2017.

He contributed within the national project on innovative materials for tunnel linings, funded by the Italian Ministry for University, titled “Optimisation of the Structural, Technological and Functional Performance of Construction Methodologies and Materials in Tunnel Linings”, “Ottimizzazione delle prestazioni strutturali, tecnologiche e funzionali, delle metodologie costruttive e dei materiali nei rivestimenti delle gallerie”, principal investigator prof. G.A. Plizzari.

He has been advisor or co-advisor of many Master theses.

He attended 17 international conferences.

He is reviewer of the following international journals: ACI Materials Journal, Materials and Structures, *fib* Journal of Structural Concrete, Tunneling and Underground Space Technology, Materials, Construction and Building Materials, Buildings, Fibers and Journal of Structural Engineering.

He now teaches Structural Design course (9 CFU), first year of the master’s degree in Civil and Environmental Engineering and he now collaborates with seminar activities and exercises in the course of Structural Rehabilitation (University of Brescia).

He has been involved since more than 10 years in teaching and tutorial activities in the courses of “Tecnica delle Costruzioni” and for 2 years with seminar activities in the course of Architectural Restoration and Conservation (University of Brescia).

He held the course of Laboratorio di Tecnica delle Costruzioni (3 CFU, a.a. 2015/2016, a.a. 2016/2017).

Author of more than 50 articles published in journals and conference proceedings, national and international.

Latest publications on International Journals and Proceedings of International Conferences (Scopus indexed):

- Mudadu, A., Tiberti, G., Plizzari, G.A., Morbi, A. (2019) “Post-cracking behavior of polypropylene fiber reinforced concrete under bending and uniaxial tensile tests”, Structural Concrete, Article in Press, doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/suco.201800224>
- Tiberti, G., Trabucchi, I., AlHamaydeh, M., Minelli F., Plizzari, G.A. (2018) “Crack development in steel-fibre-reinforced concrete members with conventional rebars”, Magazine of



Concrete Research, Vol. 71, Issue 11, June, 2019, ISSN 0024-9831, pp. 599-610, doi: <https://doi.org/10.1680/jmacr.17.00361>.

- Mudadu, A., Tiberti, G., Germano, F., Plizzari, G.A., Morbi, A. (2018), “The effect of fiber orientation on the post-cracking behavior of steel fiber reinforced concrete under bending and uniaxial tensile tests”, *Cement and Concrete Composites*, 93, pp. 274-288. doi: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cemconcomp.2018.07.012>.
- Tiberti, G., Mudadu, A., Barragan, B., Plizzari, G. (2018) “Shrinkage cracking of concrete slabs-on-grade: A numerical parametric study”, *Fibers*, 6 (3), art. no. 64, doi: <https://doi.org/10.3390/fib6030064>.
- Tiberti, G., Germano, F., Mudadu, A., Plizzari, G.A. (2018). “An overview of the flexural post-cracking behavior of steel fiber reinforced concrete”, *Structural Concrete*, 19(3), pp. 695-718, doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/suco.201700068>.
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- Conforti, A., Tiberti, G., Plizzari, G.A., Caratelli, A., Meda, A. (2017). “Precast tunnel segments reinforced by macro-synthetic fibers”, *Tunnelling and Underground Space Technology*, Vol. 63, March 2017, ISSN 0886-7798, pp. 1-11, doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.tust.2016.12.005>.
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- Conforti, A., Tiberti, G., Plizzari, G.A. (2016). “Splitting and crushing failure in FRC elements subjected to a high concentrated load”, *Composites Part B: Engineering*, Vol. 105, November 2016, ISSN: 1359-8368, pp. 82-92, doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.compositesb.2016.08.032>.
- Germano, F., Tiberti, G., Plizzari, G. (2016). “Post-peak fatigue performance of steel fiber reinforced concrete under flexure”, *Materials and Structures*, ISSN 1359-5997, Vol. 49, Issue 10, February 2016, pp. 4229-4245, doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1617/s11527-015-0783-3>.
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