# Ask the Experts....Perception of Motion Criteria for Tall Buildings Subjected to Wind: A Panel Discussion

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### **Background**

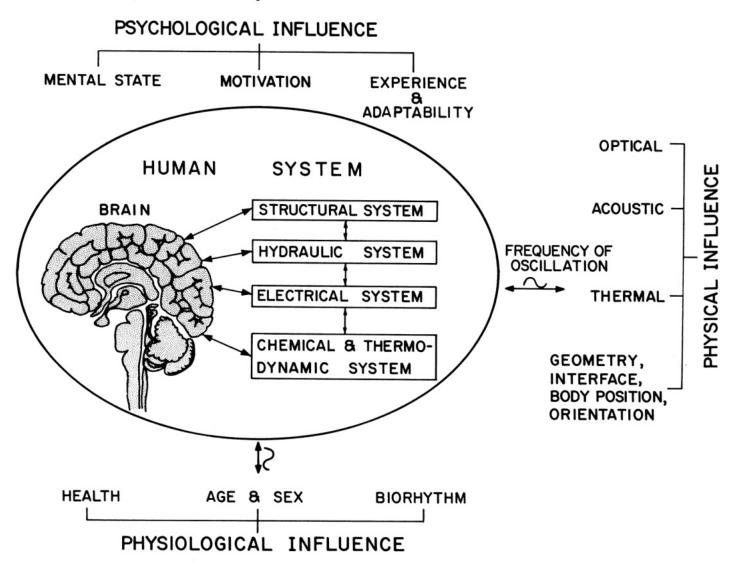
• Early riders of chariots to modern day concerns in tall buildings human response to motion remains at the forefront

• Human biodynamical response to motion is a complex blend of physio-psychological, kinesiological and ergonomical syndromes

## **Diagnosing Lively Buildings**



Human Biodynamical Response to Motion is a Complex Blend of Psychological, Physiological, Kinesiological, Ergonomical Syndromes.



HUMAN SYSTEM & ENVIRONMENTS

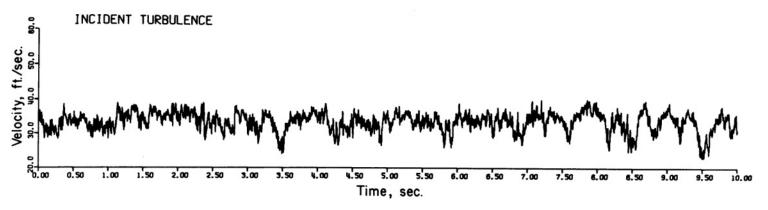
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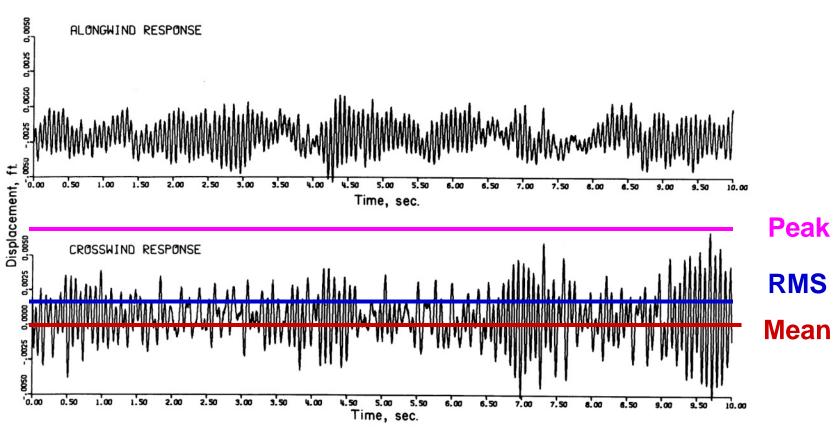
- Stimulus and response related by a nonlinear transfer function....hardening and softening features
- Stimulus used as a criteria, e.g., acceleration/jerk......RMS/Peak/???
- Perception/Comfort consideration/cognitive performance

### Background contd.

- ISO-6897.....rms
- AIJ....peak
- North America peak, 10-15 mg in residential
  20-25 mg in office....10 yr event

Chen & Robertson (1973); Irwin (1981); Goto (1983) AIJ/Shimizu; Denoon et al (2001); Melbourne (1980); Isyumov (1993); Parmalee & Khan (); Hansen et al (1973) 5 mg rms...6 yr event; Kareem (1990) 8 mg rms...10 yr event





#### RMS versus Peak

- Statistical measures of stimulus
- Defining motion perception
- Defining human perception and acceptance
- Time of exposure above threshold
- Role of repeated spikes in response
- Cognitive ability