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The 9th International Conference on

Analysis of Discontinuous Deformation “New Developments and Applications”, Singapore, 25- 27 November 2009



Organised by:

Society for Rock Mechanics &
Engineering Geology (Singapore)

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School of Civil and Environmental Engineering,
Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

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Conference Venue:

Nanyang Executive Center
Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

Visit the venue website for more information:
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Important Dates

Abstract Submission Extended to:	1 June 2009
Submission of Full Paper by:	31 Aug 2009
Acceptance Notification of Full Paper:	1 Sep 2009
Conference :	25-27 Nov 2009

Chairman's Message

Analysis of discontinuous deformation is one of the major issues in rock mechanics and rock engineering. In the past two decades, a variety of efforts have been contributed to develop analytical, numerical and experimental methods in analyzing discontinuous deformation and understanding the behavior of discontinuities in rock mass. The series of biannual conference aims to exchange ideas and new developments in various analysis methods on discontinuous deformation. It also promotes the developed methods to be applied in rock engineering, including but not limited in stability analysis of rock slope, storage caverns, tunnels, and underground power stations; stress wave propagation in rock mass; rock support design; failure of heterogeneous rock materials; mining technology, etc.

The local organising committee would like to warmly welcome colleagues in relevant areas to participate and support the conference. The committee commits to provide excellent service to the conference and make it a valuable and enjoyable event to all the participants.

I look forward to seeing you in Singapore in November 2009.



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Call for Papers

Original papers are sought on all areas of analysis of discontinuous deformations and applications to rock engineering.

Conference themes include:

- Key Block Theory and Engineering Applications
- Discontinuous Deformation Analysis (DDA) Method
- Numerical Manifold Method (NMM)
- Distinct/Discrete Element Method (DEM)
- Application of UDEC, 3DEC and PFC codes
- Meshless Method and Rock Engineering Applications
- Contact Algorithms
- Wave Propagation through Rock Joint and Jointed Rock Mass
- Deformation Analysis of Heterogeneous Materials
- Other Advanced Analytical and Numerical Methods in Rock Engineering
- Experimental Techniques and Measurement of Discontinuous Deformation
- Case Studies and Other Relevant Topics

Publication

All the submitted abstracts will be reviewed by the International Scientific Committee. Accepted abstracts will be invited to submit full paper and give oral or poster presentations on the conference. Full papers will be included in the conference proceedings.

Selected full papers will be requested to be extended and resubmitted to the special issues in one of the following three journals:

- a) International Journal of Computational Methods
- b) International Journal of Geomechanics and Geoengineering
- c) International Journal of Applied Mechanics

Short Course

Title:	Applications of Block Theory for Surficial and Underground Rock Excavations
Date:	23-24 November 2009
Instructor:	Professor P.H.S.W. Kulatilake The University of Arizona, USA

For more details please check the conference website.

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