

# **INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE AND EXHIBITION ON TUNNELLING AND TRENCHLESS TECHNOLOGY**

*"Tunnelling and Trenchless Technology in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century"*

**7-9 March 2006**

**Sheraton Subang Hotel & Towers, Subang Jaya  
SELANGOR DARUL EHSAN, MALAYSIA**

***FIRST Bulletin  
CALL FOR PAPERS***

Organised by:



The Institution of Engineers, Malaysia

**Tunnelling and Underground Space Technical Division, IEM**

## **INTRODUCTION**

Following the successful first trenchless technology conference held in Malaysia in 1994, The Institution of Engineers, Malaysia (IEM) has decided to organise the follow up conference in 7 – 9 March 2006.

The theme chosen: **Tunnelling & Trenchless Technology in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century** will enable all participants to gain an insight into the methodology and the application in these areas as we move into the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

The IEM together with its various co-organisers and supporters welcome you to indicate your interest and looking to participate in the conference in any capacity such as: speaker(s), exhibitor(s), participant(s), sponsor(s) and accompanying spouse(s).

The conference covers:

- Tunnelling projects – this includes past and present projects;
- Collaboration among researchers, governments, developers, consultants, and contractors and specialist tunnel and trenchless contractors; and
- Standards, legal, social, economic, risk management and related topics use of underground spaces.

## ***CALL FOR PAPERS***

Scientific papers of novel and innovative ideas, practical applications and new technologies under the proposed or related themes are invited for presentation in the conference. An abstract about 300 words written in English on A4 size paper with 25mm all round margin should be mailed or e-mailed to the Conference Secretariat.

The title of the paper, name of authors (maximum five), mailing address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail address and the Session topics centralised at the top of the front page should be provided. Five keywords from the paper must also be provided after the text in the abstract.

## **CONFERENCE THEME**

### *Tunnelling and Trenchless Technology in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*

This conference is aimed at providing a forum for practicing professionals – engineers, consultants, contractors, researchers, academicians, manufacturers and suppliers to share their experiences, research, studies and views so as to contribute to the advancement of Tunnelling and Trenchless Technology generally and particularly in Asia. Wide range of high quality scientific and technical papers of International or Regional significance on Tunnelling and Trenchless Technology is expected on the following themes:

- Tunnelling to include process, operation, ventilation and maintenance.
- Trenchless Technology such as micro-tunnelling, pipe jacking, directional drilling and rehabilitation.
- Related areas such as detection, inspection services, robotic development, sewer, services and structural aspects.
- Safety quality and legal aspects.
- Machine development and designs, latest models presentation from manufacturers of tunnelling and related machines.
- Geotechnical aspects with particular reference to tunnelling and trenchless technology.
- Research and recent development and progress related to tunnelling & trenchless technology.

## ***EXHIBITION***

A Technical exhibition will be organised as an integral part of the conference. Project experience, design solutions, and application of tunnelling and trenchless technology and state-of-the-art information will be highlighted.

## ***SOCIAL PROGRAMME***

Accompanying persons will enjoy a memorable experience with local tours, scenic sports, cultural delights, shopping and gourmet.

## ***ACCOMMODATION***

A wide range of hotels of varying quality, comfort and budget would be available near the conference venue.

## ***OFFICIAL LANGUAGE***

The official language of the conference will be English.

## ***TECHNICAL VISITS***

Technical site visits will be arranged for the participants.

## ***VENUE***

Sheraton Subang Hotel & Towers, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Subang Jaya, MALAYSIA.

### **WELCOME TO KUALA LUMPUR**

Located in the heart of South East Asia, Malaysia is divided into Peninsular Malaysia (West Malaysia) and East Malaysia. The capital, Kuala Lumpur, lies midway along the West Coast of Peninsular Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur represents the heartbeat of Malaysia, serving as its cultural, commercial and transportation centre.

It all began in the middle of the 19<sup>th</sup> century when a group of tin prospectors came to settle around the convergence of the Klang and Gombak River. This marked the foundation of Kuala Lumpur and it has seen its share of growth and setbacks to become the metropolitan centre of today.

With a population of over 1.3 million, Kuala Lumpur is by far the largest city in Malaysia. Malays, Chinese and Indians comprise the main races among others in this multicultural backdrop. This ethnic diversity has shaped the city over the years and is clearly seen in the various cultural customs and religious beliefs, as well as languages, cuisines and architecture.

Better known as KL to the locals, the city is a heady mix of history and culture intertwined with mushrooming skyscrapers and office towers. Kuala Lumpur is the best example of a city that has managed to preserve the best of its cultural heritage and combine it with modern conveniences to offer a wholly unique experience to visitors.

## ***REGISTRATION FORM***

# **International Conference and Exhibition on Tunnelling and Trenchless Technology**

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Please submit this form to the Conference Secretariat before 30 April 2005

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Please tick (✓) the appropriate boxes below:

(a) ☐ I am interested in attending Tunnelling and Trenchless Technology Conference

(b) ☐ I will be accompanied by:  
☐ Spouse ☐ Children Nos ..... ☐ Guests Nos.....

(c) ☐ I intend to present a paper at this Conference and  
☐ I enclosed **3 copies** of the abstract

(d) ☐ Please send me more information about the Exhibition

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Title of paper: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please type or print clearly, Photostat the form if necessary)

## ***CONFERENCE DEADLINES***

### **CIRCULATION OF FIRST BULLETIN**

December 30 2004

### **SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACT**

April 30 2005

### **NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF ABSTRACT**

June 30 2005

### **SUBMISSION OF FINAL PAPERS**

October 30 2005

### **NOTIFICATION OF AUTHORS AND INFORMATION ON CONFERENCE**

December 30 2005

## ***ENQUIRIES***

All enquiries and correspondence are to be sent to the Conference Secretariat

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