SCOPE OF THE CONFERENCE
ACMSM21 will be held at the Conference Centre of the City Campus, Victoria University, Melbourne, Australia on 7 – 10 of December, 2010. The first ACMSM conference was held in 1967 at the University of New South Wales and since then another 19 of such biennial conferences have been hosted by various universities across Australia and New Zealand. ACMSM conferences provide the forum for academics, researchers and practitioners to discuss and review latest developments in the broad area of structural mechanics and materials. These conferences place strong emphasis on participations from research students.

IMPORTANT DATES
March 8, 2010: Abstract submission deadline
March 12, 2010: Notification of accepted abstracts
June 2, 2010: Full paper submission deadline
June 28, 2010: Notification of accepted papers
July 26, 2010: Final submission of papers

REGISTRATION FEES

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All presenting authors must pay the registration fee by 15 September 2010 in order to have their papers published in the conference proceedings.

Maximum of two papers can be presented for full registration and student registration and a maximum of one paper for day registration.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ABSTRACTS
Abstract submissions consisting of 250-300 words are requested. The scientific committee will evaluate abstracts for submission of full papers. Instructions on abstract submission and full paper preparation will be posted on the conference website.

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