

VENUE

Kármán-Auditorium of the RWTH Aachen University
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LANGUAGE

German and English with Simultaneous Translation Service

REGISTRATION FEE

Participants

445 Euro (before May 1st, 2012)
495 Euro (after May 1st, 2012)

Presenting Authors

150 Euro
For participating co-authors the total attendee fee will be required.

Including:

- Symposium Documents (e.g. Attendee List)
- Conference Proceedings
- Refreshments and Lunch
- Dinner Party

ADVERTISING / EXHIBITION

The Symposium offers an exhibition area where the coffee breaks take place, in which exhibitors can present their companies and products to the participants. Also, we offer the opportunity to advertise in the proceedings.

Please contact the Symposium Secretariat.

SPONSORING

An innovative sponsorship program has been designed to meet the requirements of the Conference while allowing sponsors, both large and small, to make their mark.

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AIMS ONLINE

You can access the following functions and information at www.aims.rwth-aachen.de

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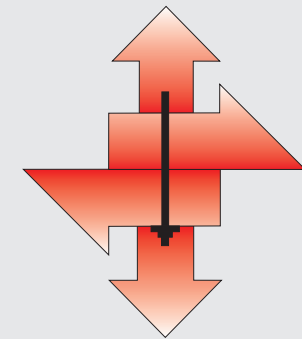
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AACHEN INTERNATIONAL MINING SYMPOSIA
AIMS 2012

SEVENTH INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ROCKBOLTING AND ROCK MECHANICS IN MINING



30 - 31 May, 2012
Aachen, Germany

FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT CALL FOR PAPERS



Organization:



Cooperation Partners:



ANNOUNCEMENT

Within the framework of AIMS (Aachen International Mining Symposia) the Institute of Mining Engineering I is pleased to announce the

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EXPECTED PARTICIPANTS
approx. 350 persons

MOTIVATION

Since the first AIMS conference on Rockbolting in Mining in the year 1987, the symposium has become a regular meeting of international ground control and rockbolting experts.

In many cases, successful rockbolting application is enhanced through attention to detail. Benchmarking between different mining operations and sectors can point out areas which have potential for improvement.

The symposium continues to provide a platform for knowledge exchange between international representatives of mining, tunnelling, suppliers, authorities and research.

Against the background of the imperial city of Aachen, both the exhibition at the conference venue and the dinner party in the historical Aula Carolina will offer ample opportunity to make new contacts and renew old ones.



TOPICS

- **Rockbolting and Support Systems**
(e.g. Concepts, Performance, Infrastructure, Rigid vs. Yielding Support, TSL)
- **Injection Technology**
(e.g. Resins, Mortar, Foam)
- **Rock Mechanics**
(e.g. Ground Control, Analytical and Numerical Geotechnical Modeling, System Behavior, Software Application, Subsidence, Pillar Design and Backfill)
- **Monitoring**
(e.g. Health and Safety, Quality Control, Geotechnical Measurements and Analysis)
- **Operational Experiences**
(e.g. Support Applications, Support System Design and Evaluation, Legal Framework, Large Openings and Tunneling)
- **Machinery and Equipment**
(e.g. Automation, Roof Bolting Machines)

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Managers and Decision Makers from Industry
- Practitioners
- Manufacturers
- R&D Organizations and Academia
- Administration, Government
- Scientific / Technical Press
- Undergraduate, Graduate and PhD Students

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

Tuesday 29 May	Wednesday 30 May	Thursday 31 May
	9.00 - 13.00 Sessions	9.00 - 13.00 Sessions
	13.00 - 14.00 Lunch	13.00 - 13.30 Lunch
17.00 - 19.00 Registration	14.00 - 18.00 Sessions	13.30 - 15.00 Sessions
	19.00 Dinner Party	



CALL FOR PAPERS

The Organizing Committee invites international experts from industry and research institutions to submit an abstract of their presentation via the symposium website at www.aims.rwth-aachen.de.

The Abstract should include following details:

- Paper title
- Short summary of the paper (up to 400 words)
- Name, address and email contact of author

The acceptance of an abstract implies that at least one of the authors must attend the symposium and present the paper.

Authors are required to register for the symposium to present their papers.

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

Abstracts have to be sent to the symposium secretariat before
November 7th, 2011.

The authors will be notified regarding the acceptance of their paper and will receive detailed instructions on paper submission before
December 1st, 2011.

The camera ready manuscripts for the proceedings will be required before
March 7th, 2012.

PROCEEDINGS

The proceedings will be published in the "Aachen International Mining Symposia Series" with an edition of 500 copies in one volume with approx. 600 pages.

The proceedings (hardcopy and digital format) will be available to the participants at the time of the Symposium.

DATE 23 September 2011

AACHEN INTERNATIONAL MINING SYMPOSIA

AIMS 21012

ROCKBOLTING AND ROCK MECHANICS IN MINING

From 30 - 31 May 2012 about 350 experts from all over the world will discuss and present successful rockbolting applications in Aachen, Germany.

The Institute of Mining Engineering I (BBK I) of RWTH Aachen University is pleased to invite international experts from industry and research institutions to submit abstracts of their presentations to the seventh international symposium "Rockbolting and Rock Mechanics in Mining".

Abstracts have to be sent to the symposium secretariat via the symposium website at <http://www.aims.rwth-aachen.de> before November 7th, 2011. The main conference topics will cover:

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Euromines and RAG Aktiengesellschaft will be Cooperation Partners of the AIMS 2012 Rockbolting and Rock Mechanics Symposium.

Please find further information on the AIMS 2012 symposium on <http://www.aims.rwth-aachen.de> or contact

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