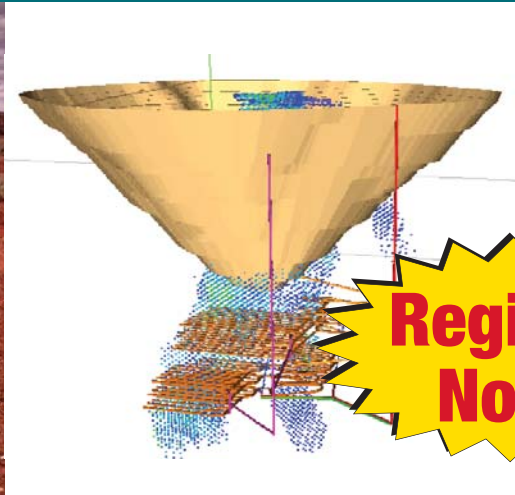


# MPES 2010

## Mine Planning & Equipment Selection



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1 – 3 December 2010, Fremantle, Western Australia

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On behalf of the Organising Committee, it is with great pleasure that I invite you to come to Fremantle, Western Australia to attend the 19th International Symposium on Mine Planning and Equipment Selection (MPES 2010). MPES symposia are well known and recognised as leading forums for promoting international technology transfer with the main focus on all aspects of mine planning as well as mining equipment.

We have received over 120 abstracts from 20 different countries to be presented at MPES 2010. All the papers will be peer reviewed in order to maintain a high standard. The keynote speakers and session chairs are selected from world leading experts in the themes of the conference.

Western Australia is a major player in mineral commodities and Perth hosts regional offices for some of the world's major mining companies. While in Australia for MPES 2010, you will have the opportunity to attend workshops, technical tours as well as sightseeing.

Perth is the capital city of Western Australia, located beside the beautiful Swan River and the Indian Ocean, the Conference venue, Esplanade Hotel Fremantle is only a short trip from Perth. I invite you to join us in Fremantle for MPES 2010 to have a fruitful and enjoyable experience. We look forward to seeing you in December!

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#### MAJOR THEMES (with the focus on mine planning and equipment selection)

- Mine feasibility case studies
- Design, planning and optimisation of surface and underground mines
- Drilling, blasting, tunnelling and excavation engineering
- Mining equipment selection and automation
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- Rock mechanics and geotechnical applications
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