

# ICITG 2014 • 21-22 July 2014 • Durham, UK

Second International Conference on Information Technology in Geo-Engineering

# **Call for Abstracts**

The **2nd International Conference on Information Technology in Geo-Engineering** will be held in Durham, UK on 21-22 July 2014. The conference follows the highly successful first conference held in Shanghai in 2010.

The conference is intended to bring together researchers and practitioners involved in information technology applied to geotechnical engineering, engineering geology and geo-environmental engineering. This is a time of increased activity in research and practice related to information technology and we would like to invite you to attend the conference and participate in the presentations and discussions.

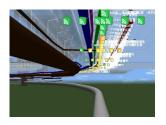
Durham is a beautiful cathedral city in the North of England and we are sure you will enjoy the city and surrounding countryside.

#### **Conference Themes**

The broad theme of the conference is information technology applied in any area of geotechnical engineering, engineering geology and geo-environmental engineering. Papers are solicited under specific sub-themes including but not necessarily limited to the following:

- Geospatial data & Building Information Modelling (BIM)
- Data exchange (including ownership/legal aspects)
- Data standards
- Big Data handling
- Sensors and monitoring
- Artificial Intelligence
- Data mining
- Imaging technologies
- Simulation and Visualisation
- Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality
- Novel numerical techniques





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The ICITG 2014 conference is organised by Durham University, UK and Tongji University, China





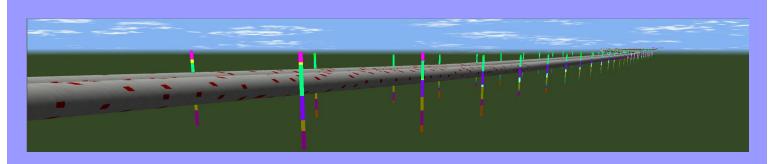
under the auspices of <u>Joint Technical</u> <u>Committee 2</u> on Representation of Geo-Engineering Data in Electronic Form











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#### Abstract submission

Abstracts not exceeding 300 words are to be submitted by **Friday**, **18 October 2013**. Abstracts should explain clearly the main objectives/achievements of the proposed contribution and be sufficiently informative for review purposes. Abstracts should be submitted using the EasyChair conference system accessible at:

https://www.easychair.org/conferences/?conf=icitg2014

Authors will be provided with instructions for the preparation of the paper following notification of acceptance of the abstract.

Publication of the paper in the Conference Proceedings is conditional on receiving the final version of the paper and the payment of the presenting author's Conference Registration Fee by Friday 4 April 2014.

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#### **Key dates**

Deadline for Abstract submission 18 October 2013

Deadline for Paper Submission 24 January 2014

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## **Keynote Speakers**

#### **Professor Xia-Ting Feng**

President of the International Society for Rock Mechanics (ISRM)

#### **Professor Jean-Pierre Bardet**

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