

## Accommodation

Accommodation will be available at the conference venue, Hotel Adelaide International, at the competitive rate of AUD\$99 (inc GST) per night for a Superior Double/Twin room.

As the conference is adjacent to the City Centre, there will be a wide choice of accommodation available to suit all budgets. See the conference Web

## Pre and Post Conference Activities

Adelaide is the premier wine producing area of Australia with over 150 wineries within about an hour's drive of the city with three main regions: *Barossa Valley*, *Clare Valley* and *McLaren Vale*. Less than 20 minutes from the city centre is the beautiful Adelaide Hills with its gentle valleys, orchards and vineyards.



Adelaide is the stepping stone to the nearby wonders of Kangaroo Island (untouched with its animal sanctuaries and stunning coastline), River Murray (water-sports, house-boats) and

Victor Harbor (seaside whale-watching). It is also the gateway to the outback: the mighty Flinders Ranges (rugged, colourful mountain range with aboriginal cave art), the Opal Fields (near the underground town of Coober Pedy in the north of the state) and the Red Centre of Australia (Ayers Rock/Uluru, Alice Springs, the Olgas, aboriginal corroborees, canyons, deserts and oases).



## Registration Fees and Details

The Conference registration fee is AUD. \$539 (inc GST) or AUD \$484 (inc GST) of payment before September 1, 2002.

A registration brochure containing complete details of the conference will be sent out in June, 2002 to all who have filled out the expression of interest form.

## Correspondence Address

All correspondence, including submission of abstracts and papers, and inquires about exhibition arrangements are to be addressed by mail, fax, or email to :

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First Announcement and Call for Papers

# Acoustics 2002

The Australian Acoustical Society Annual Conference

# Innovation in Acoustics and Vibration

November 13-15 2002

Adelaide  
South Australia



## Introduction

Acoustics 2002 will be held in relaxed surroundings in the heart of Adelaide, on November 13-15. Papers on all aspects of acoustics and vibration are welcome. A special stream in underwater acoustics is planned as a strong representation is expected in that field. In addition to two parallel paper sessions, a series of workshops will focus on various issues and hot topics in acoustics. All papers will be subject to peer review prior to acceptance in the Congress Proceedings.

## Conference Venue

The Conference will be held at Hotel Adelaide International in North Adelaide near park lands and adjacent to a promenade of cafes. It is within walking distance of a wide range of accommodation and entertainment/dining choices.

Adelaide is a beautiful, well-planned city of 1 million people that is friendly, safe and clean; and is renowned for its relaxed, cosmopolitan lifestyle and absence of traffic problems. Adelaide is a centre for the arts and has an outstanding reputation for its food and wine. It enjoys a Mediterranean climate, the city centre is surrounded by parks, and its wide uncluttered avenues make it easy to walk and drive around. Adelaide has many excellent restaurants and cafes covering most cultural/ethnic influences and budgets.

## Conference Program

November 13: Capri Theatre Tour with wine tasting followed by a reception in the South Australian Art Gallery.

November 14: Technical presentations and workshops

November 15: Technical presentations and workshops

## Sponsorship and Exhibitions

A variety of technical exhibitions will also be at the conference. The latest in commercial measuring equipment and techniques, along with commercially available noise and vibration assessment computer programs will be on display.

## Key Dates

**15/4/2002:** Receipt of a abstract (max 250 word) via the website: <http://www.mecheng.adelaide.edu.au/aasconf>

**01/5/2002:** Notification of acceptance of abstract and invitation to submit full paper. The format for publication will be provided.

**15/8/2002:** Receipt of full paper for peer review.

**15/9/2002:** Notification of acceptance of paper and provision of reviewer's comments to be incorporated into the final version.

**15/10/2002:** Receipt of final version of paper with registration.

## Contributed Papers

Contributed papers on all aspects of acoustics are welcomed and potential workshop topics (marked with \*) listed below.

- ★ *Acoustic Inversion Techniques\**
- ★ *Marine bio acoustics*
- ★ *Sea floor acoustics*
- ★ *Shallow water signal processing*
- ★ *Underwater sound propagation\**
- ★ *Rail Noise*
- ★ *Environmental noise\**
- ★ *Industrial Noise Control Applications*
- ★ *Musical Acoustics*
- ★ *Architectural Acoustics\**
- ★ *Structural Acoustics and Vibration*
- ★ *Frost Fan and Gas Gun Noise*
- ★ *Wind Farms*
- ★ *Active Noise Control*
- ★ *Audio Engineering*
- ★ *Aeroacoustics*
- ★ *Electroacoustics*
- ★ *Aeroacoustics*
- ★ *Occupational noise*
- ★ *Noise planning issues\**
- ★ *Shipboard acoustics*
- ★ *Automotive noise\**

## Social Program

The conference will start with a tour of the Capri Theatre which is rich in history and music, featuring a gigantic organ, containing a total of 2076 pipes. The opening of the Conference will be held on the Wednesday evening at the South Australian Art Gallery.

On Thursday night, all conference participants will be treated to dinner (with special entertainment) at the Hotel Adelaide's restaurant, which offers excellent views overlooking the city and park lands.

## Registration Form

Please use block letters and return this form by mail or fax to the Conference Secretariat. You may also return it electronically through the Conference homepage at [www.mecheng.adelaide.edu.au/aasconf](http://www.mecheng.adelaide.edu.au/aasconf)

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Institution or Organisation: \_\_\_\_\_

Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of the Paper: \_\_\_\_\_

Subject area: \_\_\_\_\_

Conference Query:

Yes:  No:  I will submit an abstract by 15/4/2002.

Yes:  No:  My company would like to exhibit.

Yes:  No:  My company would like to sponsor the Conference.

Yes:  No:  I would like to organise a special session.

Yes:  No:  I would like to organise a special industry forum.

Number attending Conference: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of accompanying attendees: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like more information on South Australian Tourism. \_\_\_\_\_