

HUMS2009 Newsletter #5 - Earlybird Registration & Accommodation

Registration and Accommodation Bookings are now open for the Thirteenth Australian International Aerospace Congress (AIAC13) which includes the Sixth DSTO International Conference on Health & Usage Monitoring (HUMS2009) as well as Thirteenth Australian Aeronautical Conference, Seventh Australian Pacific Vertiflite Conference on Helicopter Technology, Third Australasian Unmanned Air Vehicles Conference and the Second International Helicopter Safety Team - South Pacific Regional Conference.

All registration and booking details are on the AIAC13 website at "www.AIAC13.com" and HUMS2009 details are also at "www.dsto.defence.gov.au/hums2009/". These will be referred to as the **AIAC13** and **HUMS2009** websites in this email.

A record number of papers were accepted for HUMS2009, with authors from UK, USA, France, Spain, South Africa and Canada as well as Australia. A list of those HUMS2009 papers accepted is being prepared and will be placed on the HUMS2009 website. *Note however that we can not guarantee that all those papers will be presented and the actual placement of the papers in the program is still not complete.*

Please note that the Earlybird Discounts apply only to registrations **before 12th December 2008**. All attendees, including presenters and sponsor representatives must register.

How to register and book accommodation:

- A high resolution pdf of the Registration Brochure is available from the **AIAC13** website under "Registration/How to Register". A lower resolution version (only 1Mb instead of 3Mb) will also be made available from the **HUMS2009** website.
- You may either complete the online registration process or download the hardcopy of the form from the same page on the **AIAC13** website or from the **HUMS2009** website.
- Please note that the online registration process requires payment by credit card whereas the hardcopy form also allows cheques (checks) and Electronic Funds Transfer.

Some points to notice while completing the form:-

- Member rates apply only to those who are current members of one of (i) Royal Aeronautical Society, (ii) Engineers Australia or (iii) AHS International.
- Those who are entitled to free sponsor registrations must tick the Sponsor Complimentary box.
- If you will be part of a Group Registration of 10 or more delegates, your organisation needs to obtain a code to cover all those group registrations.
- Please don't forget to indicate your conference of primary interest; only those who tick the HUMS Conference will get free tickets to the HUMS Dinner.
- Don't forget the airshow and transport to it.
- Don't forget the social functions; we need to know numbers for each and you are also offered the chance to buy extra tickets.
- Don't forget to request accommodation if you need it; these hotels and apartments are all relatively close to the Congress venue. We expect accommodation will be harder to obtain close to the conference.

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