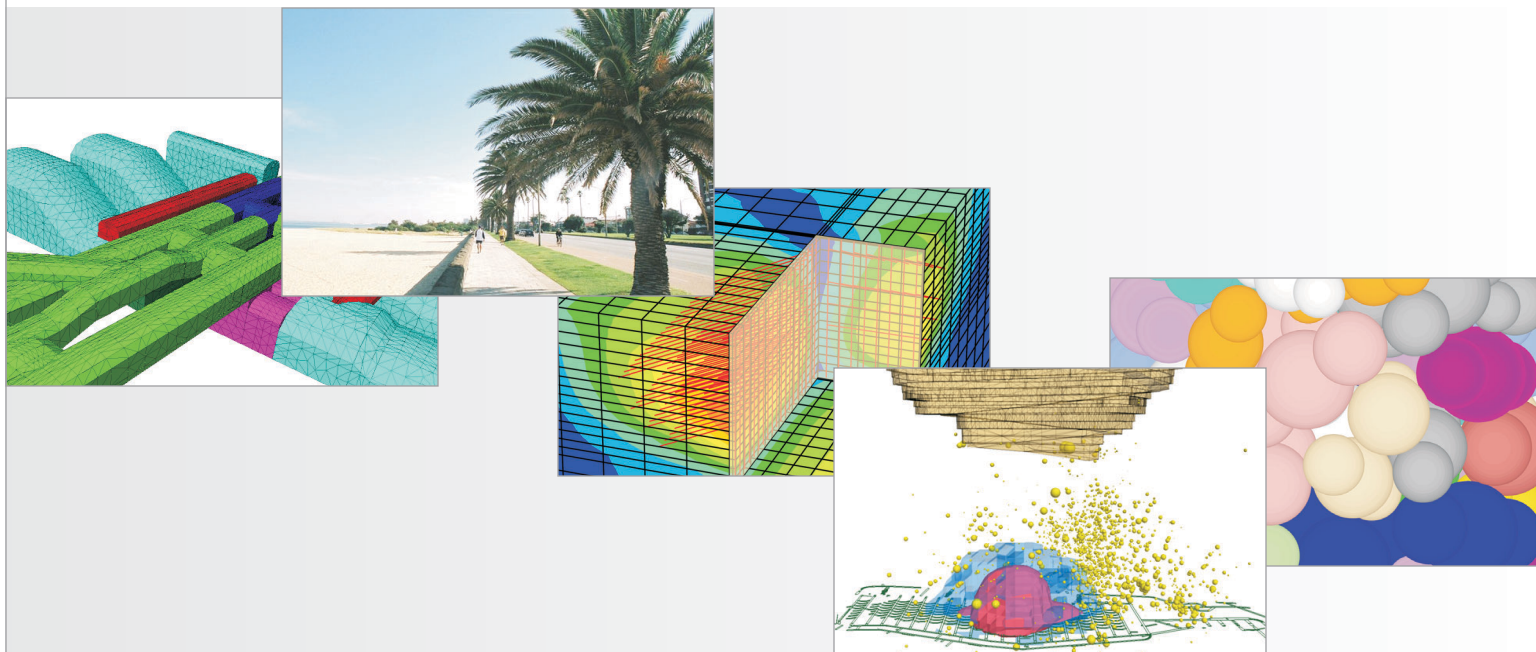2ND INTERNATIONAL
FLAC/DEM SYMPOSIUM
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FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR PAPERS

The Symposium
Itasca will host the 2nd International *FLAC/DEM* Symposium on 14-16 February 2011 in Melbourne, Australia. The conference will feature topics and discussions covering the spectrum of Itasca software: *FLAC*, *FLAC3D*, *UDEC*, *3DEC*, *PFC2D*, and *PFC3D*. This conference, in considering all the codes, will offer a complete look at the state of numerical modeling with Itasca software.

Call for Papers
Abstracts are due 30 April 2010. Participants are invited to submit papers related to the use of *FLAC*, *FLAC/Slope*, *FLAC3D*, *UDEC*, *3DEC*, *PFC2D*, and *PFC3D*. An abstract of 300 words or less summarizing the paper's objective and main results may be submitted to Michele Nelson (mnelson@itascacg.com) at Itasca Consulting Group, Inc. Accepted papers will be presented at the Symposium and/or published in the Symposium Proceedings.

Themes
• Slope Stability
• Soil - Structure Interaction
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• Petroleum Geomechanics
• Tunnel Design
• Fundamental Rock/Soil Mechanics
• Fracture Network Engineering
• Underground Mining
• Coupled Hydromechanical Analysis

Venue
The symposium will be held at St Kilda Beach in Melbourne, Australia. Complete details regarding location, registration, accommodations, and conference-related events will be made available online: www.flacdemsymposium.com

Key Dates
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