



CALL FOR PAPERS: IMC29 Celebrating Excellence in Manufacture

VENUE: University of Ulster, York Street, Belfast

The conference, hosted by the University of Ulster, will be held on 29-30 August 2012.

CONFERENCE THEME:

The theme of the 29th International Manufacturing Conference is *Celebrating Excellence in Manufacture*. New approaches and technology have been introduced in recent years that have created significant organisational and process improvements. The aim of the conference is to showcase such innovative approaches and to disseminate the cutting edge research that underpins them.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

The conference will be of interest both to established practising engineers and researchers together with those that are much earlier in their careers, wishing to participate perhaps for the first time, in a fully international setting.

KEY DATES:

Deadline for submission of Abstracts: **9 March 2012**

Deadline for submission of camera ready paper: **15 June 2012**

FEES & REGISTRATION:

Conference Fee: £350

Early Registration Fee (by 29 June 2012): £300

PAPER SUBMISSION: We invite the submission of papers addressing the following areas:

Systems and Processes:

Process modelling and simulation; Rapid prototyping; Nanomaterials and nanoprocessing; Agile manufacturing; Process variability and control; High-speed machining; Computer integrated manufacture.

Systems Improvement:

Innovations in manufacture; Sustainability in manufacture; Biomaterials in manufacture; Composite materials and processing; Supply chain logistics; Lean manufacturing systems and management; Global manufacturing; Virtual manufacturing; Manufacturing education.

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