

# **Society for Rock Mechanics & Engineering Geology**

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Annual Dinner Remarks

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Society for Rock Mechanics & Engineering Geology (Singapore)

## **A Quick Look Back ...**

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- Interest Group under TUCSS since 1998
- Formed SRMEG in July 2006
- Affiliated to International Society for Rock Mechanics (ISRM) and International Association of Engineering Geology and the Environment (IAEG)
- Membership grew from 13 in 2004 to 100 in 2009



## Current State of the Society

- Membership
  - 100 individual members
  - 4 Corporate members
  - 2 Honorary members
- Main activities for 2009
  - Workshop on Norwegian Tunnelling Technology; Short course on Geological investigation; ACI Nozzle man Certification; ICADD9 Conference; ISRM2011 Beijing



## Workshop on Norwegian Tunnelling Technology (Feb 2009)



•More than 80 participants. Some from Malaysia, Germany, Norway, and China.

•Attendance by DS(ND), Chairperson, UG Task Force

GOH: Norwegian Ambassador



Jointly organised by SRMEG and Norwegian Tunnelling Society



## American Concrete Institute (ACI) Nozzle Man Certification (October 2009)

- First time in this region
- In collaboration with BCA
- Participants from Singapore, Myanmar, Philippines, Thailand, Hong Kong, Australia
- Shotcrete Sub-Committee:  
Gan Cheng Chian, Ong Perng Fey & Lee Kah Fai



## Short Course on Geological Investigations (Nov 2009)

3<sup>rd</sup> such training courses since 2007, jointly organised with Graz University of Technology, Austria.



- Field trip at Dairy Farm Quarry



## 9th International Conference on Analysis of Discontinuous Deformation (Nov 2009)



## ACUUS 2012 Singapore

- SRMEG successfully won bid to host 13<sup>th</sup> International Conference of the Associated Research Centers for Urban Underground Space (ACUUS) in Nov 2012
- Supported by MND and STB
- Co-organiser: NTU



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