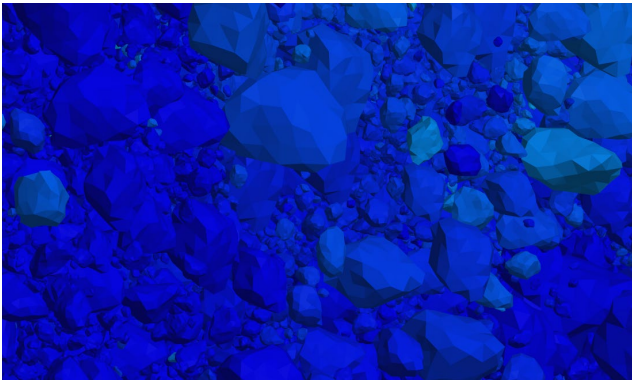


## COMPUTER-AIDED ENGINEERING IN RAW MATERIAL PROCESSING AND PARTICULATE MEDIA INDUSTRIES

January 25, 2024  
Montanuniversität Leoben, Austria



>> A conference with and for international experts from research & development, science, and industry – providing exclusive insights into latest methods, developments and enhancements, and their application in industrial practice. <<

DEM | MBD | CFD | FEM | Multiphysics | System Simulation | Virtual Prototyping | Simulation-Driven Design | Digital Design & Process Optimisation | Data Processing | Virtual Analysis | Digital Twin | AI/ML

### Join Us Where CAE Innovation Awaits

Delve into the forefront of computer-aided engineering (CAE) in the world of raw material processing and particulate media industries, bridging academic insights with practical industrial applications. This summit offers the chance to witness and engage in the transformative fusion of state-of-the-art CAE tools, techniques, and methodologies focusing on the intricacies of processing granular materials and bulk solids – material setups characterized by a large number of particles.

Engage with international peers, discover cutting-edge trends, and foster collaboration in an atmosphere committed to progress and knowledge exchange. Be part of our community bound by passion and shared pursuits. This event warmly welcomes experts from all horizons to partake in illuminating sessions and lively discussions, all dedicated to the advancing realm of digital particle engineering.

Registration and more details on:

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**CAE in Raw Material Processing  
and Particulate Media Industries** 

The conference fee is 90 Euro.

Students are exempt from the conference fee.

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- 09:00 - Registration

- 09:30 - Welcome & Opening

- 09:50 -

### **Keynote on Milling Processes and Mixing Simulations**

*Prof. Nicolin Govender*

Research Center Pharmaceutical Engineering GmbH, Graz, Austria  
CERN, Meyrin, Switzerland  
University of Johannesburg, South Africa

- 10:20 -

### **Getting Started with DEM: MOOCs and Methods**

*Prof. Stefan Radl*

TU Graz (Institute of Process and Particle Engineering), Austria

- 10:50 - Coffee Break

- 11:10 -

### **Multiphysics Simulation of Selected Comminution Machines in Matlab®/Simulink®**

*DI Peter Eitz, Dr. Thomas Zinke, Prof. Holger Lieberwirth*

TU Bergakademie Freiberg (Institute of Processing Machines and Recycling Systems Technology), Germany

- 11:40 -

### **Virtual Prototyping of the RM Active Grid®: A DEM-MBD Simulation Study**

*DI Philipp Falkner*

Rubble Master HMH GmbH, Linz, Austria

- 12:10 -

### **Virtual Testing of Hydromechanical Excavator Designs with Realistic Soil Loads**

*Steve Miller*

The MathWorks GmbH, Munich, Germany

- 12:40 - Lunch Break

- 13:50 -

### **Railway Ballast Modelling and Its Role in Turnout Optimisation**

*DI Paul Pircher, Dr. Klaus Six*

Virtual Vehicle Research GmbH, Graz, Austria

- 14:20 -

### **phasicFlow: Open-source DEM meets Scalability**

*Dr. Bahram Haddadi, Prof. Hamid Reza Norouzi\*,  
Dr. Christian Jordan, Prof. Michael Harasek*

TU Wien (Institute of Chemical, Environmental and Bioscience Engineering), Vienna, Austria

\*Amirkabir University of Technology (Center of Engineering and Multiscale Modeling of Fluid Flow), Tehran, Iran

- 14:50 -

### **ON-DEM: The Open Network on DEM Simulations**

*Dr. Daniel Barreto*

Edinburgh Napier University (School of Computing, Engineering and the Built Environment), Scotland, United Kingdom

- 15:20 - Coffee Break

- 15:50 -

### **Simulation-Based Participatory Technology Development for Rural Enterprises**

*Dr. Marcelo Precoppe*

University of Greenwich (Natural Resources Institute), United Kingdom

- 16:20 -

### **A New Paradigm for Lunar Regolith Simulants to Aid in the Development of Lunar Bulk Materials Handling Technologies – DEM Simulation of Lunar Regolith Self- Weight and Bulk Material Flow**

*DI Marko Pratnekar, Prof. David Cullen*

Cranfield University (Space Group), United Kingdom

- 16:50 - Closing

- 17:00 - End & Evening Event