The theme of the conference, *Systems Engineering – Exploring New Horizons*, is inspired by the Millennium Project (www.millennium-project.org), commissioned by the United Nations Secretary General in 2002 to develop a concrete action plan to address key global challenges such as poverty, hunger and disease facing humanity across the globe. To this end the conference aims to focus the application of Systems Thinking and Systems Engineering theory, principles, processes and tools on the 15 global challenges identified by the Millennium Project. Papers and tutorials that fall within the practice of systems engineering and associated disciplines are invited.

**Important Dates:**
- 28 July 2014: Notification of Paper Acceptance
- 25 August 2014: Final Paper Submission

For more information on submitting papers, sponsorship opportunities and attending the conference, please visit our website at [www.incose-emea.org](http://www.incose-emea.org)

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