



Operations Research Society of New Zealand

# 46TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Monday 10 – Tuesday 11 December 2012

Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand

<http://conference.orsnz.org.nz/>

The Wellington Branch of the ORSNZ and Victoria University of Wellington are pleased to host the 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Operations Research Society of New Zealand, ORSNZ'12, on Monday 10 and Tuesday 11 December 2012, with a pre-conference breakfast on the morning of 10 December.

## Call for Papers

We welcome papers on all aspects of operations research, with particular emphasis on practical applications. Please submit your abstract, in 200 words or less, following the instructions on the conference website.

Submission deadline for abstracts:  
**15 October 2012** (was 1/10/2012)

Following acceptance of your abstract, we will invite you to submit a full-length paper for publication in the conference proceedings. The proceedings will be posted online.

Submission deadline for full papers:  
1 November 2012

Registration details, guidelines for the preparation and submission of papers, and further information about the conference, will be available on the conference website.

## Student Travel Assistance

Students studying full-time at a New Zealand university, who are members of ORSNZ, and will be presenting a paper at the ORSNZ conference, are eligible for travel assistance from ORSNZ to attend the conference. Applications should be made when registering for the conference, and will require confirmation by the student's supervisor or Head of Department that the applicant is enrolled in a full-time university course. Grants are only valid for travel within New Zealand and will be payable either before or at the conference upon production of a GST receipt/tax invoice for the travel expenses.

## Young Practitioners' Prize (YPP)

OR practitioners and students who will be under 30 years of age on the first day of the conference (10 December) are invited to compete for the ORSNZ Young Practitioners' Prize. When registering for the conference, competitors should request that their paper be scheduled in the YPP session and must provide proof of their eligibility. The total prize money awarded will be \$1,000, split between the authors of the best papers at the judges' discretion.

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A view from the Kelburn campus (from <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:WellingtonPano.jpg>)

