

## **Dr. Fred Glover Awarded Honorary Doctorate Degree**

ADELAIDE, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, 20 September 2006 – SolveIT Software Pty Ltd, a leading provider of enterprise software for supply & demand optimisation and predictive modelling, announced today that Dr. Fred Glover, world-renowned authority on Artificial Intelligence and a member of the company's Scientific Advisory Board, has been awarded an Honorary Doctorate Degree from the Ukraine National Academy of Sciences.

Dr. Glover has authored or co-authored more than 350 articles and 8 books in the fields of mathematical optimization, computer science, and artificial intelligence, with particular emphasis on practical applications in industry and government. Dr. Glover's prominence in the field of optimization spans four decades, resulting in his being elected to the National Academy of Engineering for achievements in optimization modeling and algorithmic development, and for solving problems in distribution, planning, and design.

"This is certainly a well deserved honor," said Dr. Zbigniew Michalewicz, SolveIT Software co-founder and Chairman. "Dr. Glover's contributions to mathematics and operations research are fundamental, and many of his ideas have been implemented in real-world applications in a variety of different areas."

Dr. Glover has received the John von Neumann Theory Prize (the highest award of the INFORMS society) for lifetime achievements in Operations Research and Management Science, and he was also awarded the title of Distinguished University System Professor from the University of Colorado. Dr. Glover is the Chief Technology Officer of OptTek Systems Inc., a Boulder, Colorado-based optimization software and services firm, and also the MediaOne Chaired Professor in Systems Science at the University of Colorado.

### **About SolveIT Software**

SolveIT Software Pty Ltd is an Australian company specialising in supply & demand optimisation. Founded upon the leading research of several world-renowned computer scientists and research organisations, we offer enterprise software for advanced planning & scheduling, supply chain network optimisation, demand planning & optimisation, and predictive modelling. Our software applications are based on proprietary platforms for advanced optimisation, prediction, and what-if analysis, and can optimise production and supply chain activities on both a local (plant) and global (network) level. For more information about SolveIT Software, please visit [www.SolveITSoftware.com](http://www.SolveITSoftware.com)



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