Introduction to 2013 Forum: Discovery Thinking, AAPG/DPA
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Comments

Welcome everyone to the Seventh DT Forum of the AAPG 100th Anniversary Committee, Chairs: Charles A. Sternbach, President DPA and Founding Chair, 100th Anniversary Committee, and Ed Dolly, Chair of 100th Anniversary Committee.

Discovery Thinking at Cartagena, Colombia, September, 2013 ICE.

Special thanks to Paul Weimer for his help throughout this continuing program.

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Online resource on Search and Discovery

http://www.searchanddiscovery.com/specialcollections/discoverythinking.html

Today’s Theme: Important Discoveries Expanding Resource Play Concepts


• AV Significant Exploration Success in Northeastern British Columbia: A Story of People Resilience and Learning from Failure, by Rob Spitzer, #110169 (2013).
Halbouty Lecture follows this Forum.

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Two Deep Mungaroo Gas discoveries in the North Carnarvon Basin, Australia – Context and Implications for further Prospectivity, Fred Wehr, David Phelps, and Eric Phinney, Search and Discovery Article #110166 (2012).

Creative Thinking Led to 40 Years of Success in Mahakam, Indonesia, Bernard Duval, Search and Discovery Article #110165 (2013) / #20185 (2012).

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Big Oil from "Gas-Prone" Source Rocks and Leaking Traps: Northwest Borneo, Sam Algar, Search and Discovery Article #10465 (2012).

Johan Sverdrup &ndash Offshore Norway: The Story behind the Giant Sverdrup Discovery, Arild Jørstad, Search and Discovery Article #20177 (2012).
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Important Discoveries Expanding Resource Play Concepts

Discovery Thinking (AAPG/DPA)
Room 301/302/303/304/305
Co-Chairs: C. Sternbach and E. Dolly
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1:15  Introductory Remarks
2:00  Wasatch-Green River Resource Play, Utah: J. Roesink, J. Anderson
2:40  Break
3:00  Horn River Devonian Shale Gas Discoveries in NE British Columbia: R. Spitzer
4:20  The Mississippi Lime: Outcrop to Subsurface and the Evolution of a Play: S. Matson
Program Note:
Halbouty Lecture to follow in this room

Michel T. Halbouty Lecture (AAPG)
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Chair: M. Canich
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Speaker: Jeff Ventura, President and CEO, Range Resources
5:10 p.m.-6:00 p.m.