



## AAPG Eastern Section Student Activities



**Saturday-Sunday, September 22-23, 2012**  
**Renaissance Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio**

### Who should attend?

The events are for any interested Eastern Section students that are registered for the [Eastern Section Annual Meeting](#). You will need to RSVP (e-mail, name, university, class/year of graduate work) to Katharine Lee Avary at [esaapgsjq@gmail.com](mailto:esaapgsjq@gmail.com) in order to reserve your place for the IBA training and participate in the Student Job Quest.

### Saturday, September 22, 2012

**8:30 AM- 5:00 PM:** Shell [Imperial Barrel Award](#) Short Course led by Drs. Steven Bloemendaal & Joannah Metz  
**5:30 PM- 6:00 PM:** Student Job Quest Poster Set-up  
**6:00 PM -8:00 PM:** Student Job Quest Poster Session and Reception

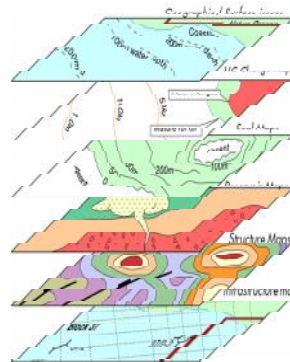
### Sunday, September 23, 2012

**8:00 AM- 4:30 PM** Scheduled Student Job Quest Interviews  
**1:00 PM- 4:00 PM:** Eastern Section Local Student Chapter Leadership Summit

## **Imperial Barrel Award (IBA) Short Course**

**Fundamentals of Basin Evaluation and  
Quantitative Prospect Assessment**  
**Saturday, September 22, 2012 8:30 AM- 5 PM**

**Instructors: Dr. Steven Bloemendaal, Global Exploration Advisor**  
**Dr. Joannah Metz, Exploration Geologist**  
**Shell Exploration and Production Co.**



This one day short course is designed to introduce the participant to the fundamentals of basin analysis, the evaluation of petroleum systems, and quantitative prospect assessment (risk and volumes). Following brief lectures, the students will work in teams to evaluate, delineate, and describe the critical elements of a working hydrocarbon province. You will learn about the variety of maps you need to produce for an evaluation, how to build play element maps on a specific reservoir interval, summary play maps that describe how the “play” works, and where the sweet-spots are located. These products are the foundation of all successful hydrocarbon evaluations. This is followed by a hands-on suite of exercises which emphasize practical, simple principles for carrying out a quantitative prospect assessment.

**Registration is limited to the first 24 students to sign up; please don't be a no-show.**

# **Eastern Section Local Student Chapter Leadership Summit**

Sunday, September 23, 2012 1:00 – 4:00 PM  
Led by Dan Kohl, Chevron

## **Topics of Discussion**

- **Why you should have a student chapter on your campus**
- Review of active student chapters in the section
- Requisites for an active status
- Fundraising/How to sustain student chapter activity
- Opportunities available through AAPG Student Chapter Programs
- Goals for the section



## **AAPG Eastern Section STUDENT JOB QUEST**

Students: Are you interested in full-time employment or a summer internship? Would you like to present your research in a poster competition? The Eastern Section Student Job Quest is for you.

The Eastern Section is fast becoming an energy hub with several new high profile hydrocarbon plays in their infancy or just taking off. The 2012 AAPG Salary Survey revealed that graduates holding an MS degree and 0 to 2 years experience earn an average of \$99,000 per year. An aging work force means that a large number of new hires will be required to fill projected staff needs.

### **How Do I Attend?**

**By August 31, 2012:**

- 1) Register for the ES AAPG meeting (see form - visit <http://www.esaapg2012.org/>)
- 2) Be sure to mark the box on the registration form for the Student Job Quest.
- 3) Submit your resume (2 page maximum; .doc or .pdf format) to [Lee Avary](#).
- 4) Submit a one-page, 250 word, abstract if entering the poster contest (see abstract guidelines at the ES AAPG meeting "Call for Papers" link on the website for suggested format) to [Lee Avary](#). You are not required to present a poster; however, this is an excellent opportunity to showcase yourself and your work for prospective employers! Posters presented at the ES AAPG meeting can also be presented at the Student Job Quest; you just need to submit your Job Quest abstract separately and later.

**Please use your last name as the first part of your file name for both resumes and abstracts.**

Resumes and abstracts will be forwarded to participating companies by Lee Avary before the Student Job Quest, so tentative interview schedules can be set up. Submission of a resume does not guarantee that interviews will be scheduled. Also, most interview slots are filled based on interviewers' reviews of resumes submitted in advance. See: <http://www.aapg.org/explorer/2011/09sep/protracks0911.cfm> for resume preparation suggestions.

Poster Competition: One 4 x 8 ft display on any personal geological research topic. (This is not just for petroleum topics). Prizes of \$500, \$250, and \$100 will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places, respectively.

Contact [Katharine Lee Avary](#) in order to submit a resume and an optional abstract. Visit the website to register: <http://www.esaapg2012.org/>