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GRC Workshops

- Conceptual Models of Geothermal Systems (2-days)
- Reservoir Stimulation (2-days)
- Best Practices in Operations & Maintenance (1-day)
- Geothermal 101 (1-hour special workshop open to the public)

GRC Fieldtrips

- CAISO: Managing the Golden State's Electrical Grid (1/2 Day Pre-meeting)
- Recharging The Geysers (2 Day Pre-meeting)
- Recharging The Geysers (1 Days Pre-meeting)
- EGS in The Geysers (1 Day Post-meeting)

GRC Annual Charity Golf Tournament GRC Opening Session GRC/GEA Opening Reception GEA GEOEXPO+ GRC International Luncheon GRC International Session GRC Technical Sessions GRC Student Networking Reception GRC Mixer GRC Poster Session and GEA Expo Networking Reception GRC Membership Meeting & Awards Luncheon





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The Geothermal Resources Council (GRC) invites you to be part of the biggest annual geothermal conference and expo in the world.

Promoting "*Geothermal Energy Here and Now: Sustainable, Clean, Flexible,*" the 2016 GRC Annual Meeting & GEA GEOEXPO+ will be held October 23-26 at the Sacramento Convention Center, Sacramento, California, USA.

In 1977, the 5-year old Geothermal Resources Council held its first Annual Meeting at the Royal Inn of the Wharf, San Diego, California. Over the years the GRC has also held the event in Hawaii, Nevada, Utah, Texas, Oregon, and even one memorable meeting in Morelia, Mexico. In 1998, the GRC asked the Geothermal Energy Association (GEA) to manage the trade show. Over the decades, the GRC Annual Meeting & GEA Expo has grown into the largest annual geothermal meeting in the world, regularly attracting well over 1,000 attendees and over 100 exhibitors from around the world.



The GRC Annual Meeting has been held most often in California.

The GRC Annual Meeting, now in it's 40th year, was created for the fellowship of the leading voices and minds of the geothermal industry from every corner of the globe. Designed to encourage networking, business and educational opportunities for all attendees, the meeting is a technological showcase of the latest geothermal research, exploration, development and utilization.

Here are some of the highlights:

In addition to the main event of the GRC Annual Meeting & GEA GEOEXPO+, there will be three workshops and three fieldtrips before the conference, a special Geothermal 101 workshop on the last day of the event and another fieldtrip just after.

Two pre-event geothermal workshops will be held over two days. *Conceptual Models of Geothermal Systems* and *Reservoir Stimulation* will take place on October 21 and 22, before the start of the main geothermal event. A one day *Operations & Maintenance* workshop will be held on Sunday, October 23. The presentations will be given by experts from private industry, national laboratories and universities, and should prove valuable for anyone interested in learning about the latest exciting developments in geothermal energy.

In addition, there will be three pre-event fieldtrips and one postmeeting fieldtrip. There will be three fieldtrips to The Geysers, the largest geothermal field in the world. A one-day and an extended two-day trip will see how the area has recovered from a devastating wildfire that caused infrastructure damage and some loss of life in September 2015. The fieldtrips will also look at how the geothermal reservoir beneath The Geysers has been recharged using wastewater from neighboring communities. Another post-meeting one-day fieldtrip will visit Calpine's EGS field demonstration project. There will also be a half-day trip to the headquarters of the California Independent System Operator (CAISO) the manager of the Golden State's electrical grid in nearby Folsom.

On Sunday, the annual GRC Charity Golf Tournament will be held at the William Land golf course, just three miles from the Sacramento Convention Center. Proceeds from the tournament will go to the GRC Scholarship Fund. Registration is now open for this popular networking event.

Back at the Sacramento Convention Center, the GRC and the GEA will host the big kick-off to the event with an Opening Reception on Sunday night and over the following days the GRC will host an Opening Session, Technical Sessions, a Poster Session, a GRC social event, an International Luncheon and Session, a Leadership Reception for students, the Annual Membership Meeting and Awards Luncheon, and a showcase of the GRC Amateur Photo Contest winners.

The GRC Annual Meeting will feature distinguished keynote speakers from around the world at its Monday Opening Session. More than 130 papers have been accepted for the Technical Sessions. Over 40 hours of presentations are offered.

An important part of the event, the GEA's GEOEXPO+ hosts North America's largest gathering of vendors providing support for geothermal resource exploration, characterization, development, production and management. *Entry to the trade show is free with GRC Annual Meeting registration*.

With GRC's strong track record of bringing together the people and issues most relevant in the industry, attendees will find tremendous value in the GRC Annual Meeting & GEA GEOEXPO+.

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GRC 2016 Schedule of Events

GRC Workshops

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21 & 22

Conceptual Models of Geothermal Systems

Sacramento Convention Center-Room 313, 8am - 5pm Cost: \$525 (Member), \$575 (Non-member), \$150 (Student)

Speakers and coaches include: *William Cumming*, Independent Consultant; *John Murphy*, Geothermal Science; *Glenn Melosh*, Independent Consultant; *Elisabeth Easley*, Thermochem; *Peter Stelling*, Western Washington; University; *Max Wilmarth*, Geologica; *Dick Benoit*, Independent Consultant; *Richard Gunderson*, Chevron.

Best practice publications in the geothermal industry emphasize building geothermal resource conceptual models as the basis for well targeting and resource capacity assessments at all stages of exploration and development. This workshop is directed at geoscientists, engineers and managers who wish to better appreciate how conventional (non-EGS) geothermal conceptual models are constructed and how they are used to support resource decisions.

Lectures will include:

- an introduction to the components of volcanic and deepcirculation geothermal conceptual models and their use in geothermal resource decision-making;
- the thermodynamics of fluid flow in rock, permeability, natural state isotherms and the practical implications of well tests for conceptual model hypotheses;
- geological and structural constraints on >230°C volcanic geothermal conceptual models; geological and structural constraints on <180°C deep-circulation geothermal conceptual models;
- geochemistry constraints on geothermal conceptual models;
- geophysical constraints on volcano- and sediment-hosted geothermal conceptual models; and
- the power density approach to geothermal resource capacity estimation supported by conceptual models.

Interspersed with the lectures are exercises where participants will:

- evaluate real geoscience data;
- build an initial range of resource conceptual models;
- use the models to complete well target and resource capacity risk assessments;
- interpret initial drilling results;
- update conceptual models and resource assessments based on the well results;
- design an appraisal drilling program; and
- propose a power plant capacity and development well program.

This workshop will be supported by geoscientists whose collective experience includes building and revising conceptual models for a majority of the world's developed geothermal fields and 100s of conventional geothermal prospects of all types. The lecturers have provided conceptual model training for geothermal developers worldwide.

Exercises will be done in small groups encouraged to take advantage of complementary skills and sufficient expert coaches will be available to guarantee effective progress regardless of participants' backgrounds. **Simple Excel decision risk analysis tools will be provided to support the exercises, so participants should bring a laptop.** At the completion of this workshop, participants should expect to understand the basic components and construction of a geothermal resource conceptual model, the rationale for its use in well targeting and capacity assessment, and its strengths and weaknesses relative to alternative approaches.

Reservoir Stimulation

Recent Field Practices, Monitoring Techniques and Theoretical/ Laboratory Investigations

Hyatt Regency-Carmel Room AB, 8am - 5pm Cost: \$550 (Member), \$595 (Non-member), \$150 (Student)

Presented by: *Ahmad Ghassemi*, University of Oklahoma; *Sabodh Garg*, Program Manager - Resource Technology at Leidos.

The purpose of the Reservoir Stimulation workshop is to provide a platform for in-depth review and discussion of recent EGS field experiences and to provide the attendees a good knowledge regarding recent advances in monitoring technologies and advances in theoretical, laboratory and numerical modeling pertaining to reservoir stimulation. While the workshop will emphasize education, it will incorporate the latest research findings and practical experiences in geothermal and shale reservoirs. The workshop instructors are experts from geothermal and petroleum industry, academic institutions, and National Labs.

Speakers include: Susan Petty, Jeff Tester, Trenton Cladouhos, John McLennan, Joe Moore, Eva Schill, Mike Montgomery, Francois Cornet, Gillian Foulger, John Pritchett, Tsuneo Ishido, Thordur Runolfsson, Joshua Tarun, Derek Elsworth, George Danko, Davood Bahami, and Steve Bauer.

Lectures will include:

- Why Stimulation?
- Current Status: A summary of experimental data from EGS projects in the U.S. and around the world
- Reservoir Characterization & Monitoring Techniques

Workshops continued

- Conceptual Stimulation Models, Theoretical Advances/ Computational Methods
- Laboratory Experiments
- FORGE case studies, opportunities and challenges ahead

Costs for both of the above workshops include lunch on Friday and Saturday and a workshop reception on Friday from 5:00pm-6:30pm at the Capital View room at the Hyatt Regency.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23

Best Practices in Operation and Maintenance (O&M)

Hyatt Regency-Carmel Room AB, 10:00am -5:00pm Cost: \$175

Presented by: Kevin Kitz, Dan Hoyer

Operations & Maintenance (O&M) is critical to the sustainable success of geothermal power plants, facilities and wells. Sharing lessons learned within the industry can help improve the bottom line of every operating plant, and potentially make new plants more competitive with natural gas, wind and solar alternatives.

This workshop is structured so that O&M supervisors, leads, staff and engineers can share approaches and solutions that have made a difference in their work, without the time commitment of a presenting a formal paper.

Each informal presentation will be a 10-20 minutes long, preferably using PowerPoint slides. Other participants will then be able to discuss their own approach in finding a solution to the issue.

The vision is that participants take away many ideas that could add value to their own work-place O&M practices.



Possible Topics:

- Capacity/availability improvements
- Turnarounds: Planning and Budget
- Turbine/equipment refurbishments
- Scale or corrosion control
- Work Orders: Management
- Predictive maintenance
- Vibration Monitoring
- Inspections for safety and reliability
- Fuel supply monitoring and well drilling/workover decision processes

O&M Costs
 Production Well Pumps: Issues

- with Submersibles and Line Shafts
- NCG purging from binary plants
- Materials (metals, elastomers, etc.)
- Equipment upgrade successes
- Safety and Environmental

Any questions? Email Kevin Kitz at kkitz@usgeothermal.com or Daniel Hoyer at dan.hoyer@veizades.com

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26

GEO 101 Workshop and Expo Tour

Sacramento Convention Center-Room 307, 9:00am -11:00am Cost: Free

9:00-10:00am Visit Expo *(Expo open to public)* 10:00 -11:00am Workshop

Presented by: Gene Suemnicht

California legislators, energy regulators and their staff, educators, students and the general public are invited to a special workshop explaining the many benefits of geothermal energy. The information provided will be of a very basic level and easy to understand by a geothermal novice.



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Visit the GRC Annual Meeting Web Page for the full Workshop Agendas: www.geothermal.org/meetnew.html

Information is subject to change.

### **GRC Fieldtrips**

#### **FRIDAY OCTOBER 21**

#### CAISO: Managing the Golden State's Electrical Grid

Depart 11:30am, returning by 4pm Cost: \$30

#### Led by: Mark Dellinger

Tour the control center of the California Independent System Operator (CAISO). A spokesperson will greet our group and describe how the CAISO keeps the 25,500 miles of the California transmission grid reliable and efficient.

We will discuss the many companies and agencies CAISO coordinates with to deliver more than 50,000 MW of energy when needed. We will also address California's desire for renewable generating resources, including geothermal, and issues associated with integrating intermittent resources. CAISO manages a steady, dependable supply of about 1,000 MW of geothermal energy in the state.

**PLEASE NOTE:** International attendees will need to get security clearance before **August 21, 2016** to go on this tour. Upon registering for this field trip the GRC will email you the *Security Clearance Document Request form*.

Bus starts boarding at 11:30am and arrives back in Sacramento by 4:00pm. (no lunch included) Limited seating, please register early!



The control room at CAISO. COURTESY CAISO.

#### SATURDAY & SUNDAY OCTOBER 22-23

#### Recharging The Geysers – Two Day

2-Day Santa Rosa Geysers Recharge Prosect and Calpine Geysers Geothermal Operations Tour

Depart 8am on Saturday, returning by 5:30pm on Sunday Cost: \$625

Led by: Mark Walters & Allen Sonneville

In November 2003, in a novel approach to water reuse, the Geysers Recharge Project began pumping 11 million gallons per day of recycled water from the Laguna Treatment Plant to The Geysers steamfields, high in the Mayacmas Mountains.

On this trip you will see how recycled water from the local communities has helped recharge the geothermal reservoir at The Geysers and sustained the generating capacity of the biggest geothermal field in the world.

Also there will be a visit to one of Calpine's geothermal power plants and a close up view of some of the fumuroles, hot-springs and mud pots in the area.

Over the two days, the field trip will take advantage of traveling through one of the most famous wine regions in the world by enjoying some wine-tasting.

*Trip includes 1 night lodging, snacks, refreshment, transportation, 2 lunches and one dinner.* 

#### **SUNDAY OCTOBER 23**

#### Recharging The Geysers – One Day

1-Day Southeast Geysers Effluent Pipeline and Northern California Power Agency Geysers Geothermal Operations Tour

Depart 8am returning to Sacramento by 5:30pm. Cost: \$200 Limited to 60 only

Led by: Mark Dellinger

The Southeast Geysers effluent pipeline system collects an average of 4.5 million gallons per day of recycled water from four wastewater treatment plants serving nine communities, and delivers it via a 53-mile pipeline to The Geysers, where its injection has supported approximately 100 MW of power generation since 1997. This generation exceeds the electrical needs of the communities, making them the first set of net positive energy communities in the country.

### Fieldtrips continued

The tour will trace the recycled water route from beginning to end, with stops that include: a wastewater treatment plant; the pipeline route through the Clear Lake volcanic field; an historic resort using the field's low-temperature geothermal resource; a monitoring station for injection-induced seismic activity; a Geysers steamfield where recycled water is injected; and a power plant utilizing recycled water-based steam. A mid-day lunch and wine tasting is also included, and participants will return to Sacramento by 5:30 pm.

*Trip includes snacks, refreshment, transportation, and a lunch.* 

#### **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27**

#### EGS at The Geysers

1-Day Northwest Geysers Enhanced Geothermal System (EGS) Tour

Depart 8am returning to Sacramento by 5:30pm. Cost: \$185 Limited to 12 people

#### SOLD OUT - If you would like to be placed on a wait list for this fieldtrip, please contact alay@geothermal.org. If we receive enough interest to fill another van we will contact you.

#### Led by: John Avery and Julio Garcia

This is a one day comprehensive, technical tour of the Northwest Geysers and will visit Calpine's EGS field demonstration project located in The Geysers field.

The deep temperatures in this part of the field are the hottest seen at The Geysers to date and it has been difficult to develop and produce due to high concentrations of non-condensible and corrosive gases. As part of a DOE-sponsored EGS field demonstration, Calpine reopened and deepened two wells that were drilled in the 1980's and capped and abandoned in 1999.

By injecting recycled water, Calpine is increasing permeability in the rock, increasing steam production, and has seen a reduction in the concentrations of naturally occurring non-condensible gases. The results of this EGS project to date are very encouraging with important implications at The Geysers as well as other geothermal sites around the world that are dealing with similar problems.

*Please note, due to the rural location of the stops, this tour involves significant travel time. Trip includes snacks, refreshment, transportation, and 1 lunch.* 



A cross-section through the area around the Prati State 31 and Prati 32 well sites. COURTESY CALPINE CORPORATION

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Visit the GRC Annual Meeting Web Page for Fieldtrip Schedules: www.geothermal.org/meet-new.html

Please note: Fieldtrip itineraries are subject to change. Full schedules are available on the GRC Website.

All GRC Field Trips depart from the bus loading bay of the Sacramento Convention Center on J Street. Check-in is required just inside the main entrance to the Sheraton Grand Hotel at the corner of J Street and 13th Street. Please arrive 30 minutes early to check-in and get continental breakfast (when applicable).



### **GRC Annual Meeting Schedule**

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23

#### GRC Annual Charity Golf Tournament

8:30am - Early Afternoon William Land Golf Course, Sacramento Cost: \$125 per individual or \$450 per foursome



William Land

GOLF COURSE

#### New Format! The tournament is a four-man scramble over 9 holes with challenges and contests on each hole. Awards will be given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams, men's and women's closest to hole, longest drive and holein-one. Tournament Fee Includes:

Green Fee, Range Balls, Tournament Service, Continental Breakfast and Awards Lunch. (No shuttle provided! The golf course is just 10 minutes by car)



The beautiful William Land Golf Course.

Each player will receive two (2) Raffle Tickets for participating in the Tournament. Additional Raffle Tickets will be sold for \$10 each. **There is no limit on Raffle Ticket purchases!** 

#### We encourage teams to bring a raffle prize! All proceeds will go to support the GRC Scholarship Fund.

Please visit the GRC Annual Meeting Web Page at: www. geothermal.org/meet-new.html to register.

#### GRC Board Meeting

1:30-5 pm Hyatt Regency-Ballroom EF



The GRC Board in Burlingame in February 2016. PHOTO BY IAN CRAWFORD

#### GRC & GEA Opening Reception

#### 6pm - 8pm

Sacramento Convention Center-Hall A Cost: Free with GRC Registration



The Opening Reception is an excellent opportunity for networking.

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On Sunday evening,

all registered meeting attendees are encouraged

and old acquaintances

at this grand reception

hosted by the GRC &

GEA in the Expo Hall.

to join colleagues, friends

### MONDAY, OCTOBER 24

### GRC Opening Session

8:30am - 12 Noon Hyatt-Regency-Ballroom ABC Cost: Free with GRC Registration

The GRC Opening Session will feature top-ranking government officials and industry representatives from around the world, who will put current geothermal events into perspective for the future.



Attendees pay rapt attention to speakers at last year's a GRC Opening Session

**Invited Speakers** 

Senator Mike McGuire - California 2nd District
Dennis Gilles - CEO U.S. Geothermal
Jim Kluesener - Regional Vice President Geothermal, Calpine
Congressman Mike Thompson - California 5th District
Paul Brophy - President of the Board, Geothermal Resources
Council
Randy Keller - Director of Development, Cal Energy Operating

Corporation Isaac Angel - CEO, Ormat Technologies, Inc.

Jan Smutny Jones - CEO, Independent Energy Producers Andrew Palamateer - Director U.S. Energy Association

### Annual Meeting Schedule continued

#### **GRC** International Luncheon

12 Noon - 1:30pm Sheraton - Magnolia Room Cost: \$20

The eighth annual International Luncheon will bring together experts from around the world with U.S. private and public sector stakeholders to discuss geothermal energy developments in developing markets. Attendees will be able to meet and greet these experts, and explore partnership opportunities.

Mexico - International Cooperation - Emillio Camacho, California Energy Commission

Mexico - Resource Expansion - Magalay Flore-Armenta, CFE

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#### **GRC International Session**

Updates on International Geothermal Development 1:30pm - 4:45pm

Sacramento Convention Center - Room 307 Cost: Free with GRC Registration

Experts from around the world present the latest geothermal energy developments in regional markets: Australasia, Indonesia, Philippines, Japan, Middle East, Europe, South America, Central America, and North America.

#### Featured Speakers: (as of July 20):

Australasia - Long-Term Progress Andrea Blair, GNS New Zealand Indonesia - New Opportunities **Philippines - Prolonged Generation** Paul Cerrullo, EDC (tentative) Japan - Renewed Emphasis Toshiyuki Tosha, Kumamoto University Mid East - Continuing Development Tefik Kaya, GeothermEx/Schlumberger Mexico - International Cooperation David Hochschild - California Energy Commission Representative on Mexican Energy Matters Mexico - Resource Expansion East Africa – Developing Capacity Caribbean Region - New Discoveries and Future Developments

Paul Brophy, EGS

#### MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 25, and 26

#### **GRC Technical Sessions**

| Monday    | 1:30 - 5:00pm |
|-----------|---------------|
| Tuesday   | 8am - 4:00pm  |
| Wednesday | 8am - 12 Noon |

Sacramento Convention Center - 3rd Floor Meeting Rooms 307, 308, 313, 314

See the Preliminary Technical Session schedule on pages 16 to 25. For more information on the topics, schedule and associated speakers go to the GRC Website at www.geothermal.org.



The GRC Technical Sessions are the source for the latest developments in geothermal energy

#### GEA GEOEXPO+

| Monday    | 12 Noon - 5pm |
|-----------|---------------|
| Tuesday   | 9am - 6pm     |
| Wednesday | 9am - 12 Noon |

Sacramento Convention Center - Hall A Cost: Free with GRC Registration

North America's largest gathering of vendors providing support for geothermal resource exploration, characterization, development, production and management. Please Note: Entrance to the GEA trade show is free with GRC Annual Meeting



registration. See page 28 for a listing of exhibitors.

Catch up with the latest technology and services at the trade show.

### **Annual Meeting Schedule**

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 24 continued

#### GRC Student Networking Reception

5:00pm - 7:00pm Hyatt Regency - Capital View Cost: \$10



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Industry leaders will meet informally with students attending the GRC Annual Meeting on Tuesday evening. This is a great opportunity to meet one-on-one with the movers and shakers of the industry and gain information and share ideas on a variety of geothermal topics.

Jim Lovekin gives his advice to a student attendee at last year's Student Leadership Luncheon



#### GRC's Mixer at the MIX

6:30pm - 9:30pm Mix Downtown Cost: \$50 per person

### Only a 6 minute walk or just 500 yards from the hotels and convention center.

Meet and greet at one of the most sophisticated nightclubs in Sacramento. Relax among friends and colleagues while listening to the exciting tones of a live Dixie-land jazz band.

### Purchase your tickets with your GRC Annual Meeting registration.

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The luxurious surroundings of The Mix.

#### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25**

#### **GRC Poster Session**

4pm - 6pm

Sacramento Convention Center - 3rd Floor Lobby Cost: Free with GRC Registration

Meet with colleagues in the global geothermal community and view this year's selection of Posters. **Please note:** The posters are also available for viewing at all times during the Annual Meeting.

#### Sponsored by SMUD & Calpine



Student Poster Competition: 1st, 2nd, & 3rd prizes sponsored by SMUD & Calpine.



Lorenzo Trimble explaining the latest in geothermal science to Kate Young

#### GRC/GEA Networking Reception in the Expo

4pm - 6pm Sacramento Convention Center - Hall A Cost: Free with GRC Registration

Meet and greet with exhibitors and colleagues over snacks and drinks.

### Annual Meeting Schedule continued

#### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26

GRC Annual Membership Meeting & Awards Luncheon

12:00 - 2:00pm Sheraton Grand Hotel - Magnolia Cost: \$55

The GRC will honor the best and brightest of the global geothermal community at its Annual Membership Meeting & Awards Luncheon. The GRC will present its prestigious Aidlin, Holt, Pioneer, Ramey, and Special Achievement awards, as well as awards for Best Technical Session Presentations and Photo Contest.

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### Other Events

#### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25**

#### Women in Geothermal (WING) Reception

5:30pm - 7pm Location: TBD – Please check GRC website for updated information.

Cost: Free





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The primary objective of WING is to promote the education, professional development, and advancement of women in the geothermal community.

We invite and encourage both women and men in geothermal to join us in a reception to network and discuss WING 's mission and activities moving forward.

**Note:** You do not need to be registered for the GRC/GEA Events to attend this reception.

More information can be found on the WING Facebook page at: www.facebook.com/groups/womeningeothermal/

#### **Geothermal Young Professionals Gathering**

Geothermal Young Professionals Gathering at the GRC Annual Meeting - for more information contact Laura Garchar at laura.garchar@gmail.com

#### Renewable Thermal Facts and Figures - International Direct Use Networking Event

4pm - 5:30pm Room: Sacramento Convention Center-TBD



Join the IEA Geothermal and US DOE Geothermal Direct Use Networking Event as we provide a unique international B2B

Networking platform. Meet experts and company representatives from all over the world, strengthen your international network and get insight in the manifold opportunities of international cooperation and information exchange.

Regardless of which country you are from: Of greatest interest are "costs, benefits and other facts and figures of geothermal direct use installations". Share information and learn about other projects. We invite participants to provide 3 minute flash presentations focused on location, capacity, costs and benefits of direct use installations, share trivia, or ask questions to those attending. Participants will receive, the updated Direct Use Installations Database currently under development at the National Renewable Energy Lab as part of the DOE Geothermal Vision Study.

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### Monday afternoon, October 24

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|      | INTERNATIONAL SESSION<br>Chair: Gene Suemnicht                                                        |      | GEOLOGY 1<br>Chair:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 1:30 | <i>Austral/Asia Region – Long-term Progress</i><br>Andrea Blair, GNS New Zealand                      | 1:30 | <i>Soda Lake Geothermal Field Case History 1972 to 2016,</i> Benoit, Dick                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 1:50 | Indonesia Region – New Opportunities<br>Fazil Erwin Alfitri - MEDCO                                   | 1:50 | Summary of Phase 1 and Plans for Phase 2 of the<br>Washington State Geothermal Play-Fairway Analysis,<br>Forson, Corina & Czajkowski, Jessica L. & Norman,<br>David K. & Swyer, Michael W. & Cladouhos, Trenton T. &<br>Davatzes, Nicholas                                        |
| 2:10 | Philippine Region – Prolonged Generation<br>Paul Cerrullo, EDC (tentative)                            | 2:10 | Phase 2 Activities to Improve a 2015 Play Fairway Analysis<br>of Geothermal Potential Across the State of Hawaii, Lautze,<br>Nicole & Thomas, Donald & Hill, Graham & Wallin, Erin<br>& Whittier, Robert & Martel, Stephen & Ito, Garrett &<br>Frazer, Neil & Hinz, Nicholas      |
| 2:30 | Japan – Renewed Empahsis<br>Toshiyuki Tosha, Kumamoto University                                      | 2:30 | The Nevada Play Fairway Project: Review of Highly<br>Prospective Areas for New Discoveries of Potentially Viable<br>Geothermal Systems in the Great Basin Region, Western<br>USA, Faulds, James E. & Hinz, Nicholas H. & Coolbaugh,<br>Mark F. & Shevenell, Lisa A. & Siler, Drew |
| 2:50 | <i>Mid East Region – Continuing Development</i><br>Tevfik Kaya, GeothermEx/Schlumberger               | 2:50 | Intersecting Fracture Geometries in Control of Geothermal<br>Spring Occurrences in Circumferences of the Madra<br>Mountain, Aegean Region of Turkey, Turan, Aysegul &<br>Saner, Salih & Artun, Emre                                                                               |
| 3:10 | Break (3:10-3:20)                                                                                     | 3:10 | Break (3:10-3:40)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|      | INTERNATIONAL II                                                                                      |      | DRILLING 1<br>Chair:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 3:20 | East Africa Region – African Union Programs<br>Rashid Ali Abdallah – African Union                    | 3:40 | Self-repairing Geothermal Well Cement Composites,<br>Pyatina, Tatiana & Sugama, Toshifumi & Ronne, Arthur                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 3:40 | East Africa Region – Expanding Resource Capacity<br>David Muthike – Ken Gen (tentative)               | 4:00 | The Deepest Geothermal Well in Indonesia: A Success<br>Story of Aerated Drilling Utilization, Toni, Apriyansah &<br>Pratama, Raka Aditya & Prasetyo, Imam M. & Saputra,<br>Muhamad Bayu                                                                                           |
| 4:00 | Central America Region – Added Generation and<br>Future Plans<br>Paul Moya – WestJec Inc. (tentative) | 4:20 | Numerical Analysis of Flow Field in Multiple Hydrothermal<br>jet Drilling for Geothermal Wells, Song, Xianzhi & Lv,<br>Zehao & Cui, Liu & Li, Gensheng & Ji, Guodong & Hu,<br>Xiaodong & Shi, Yu                                                                                  |
| 4:20 | Caribbean Region – Discoveries and Future<br>Developments<br>Paul Brophy, EGS                         | 4:40 | Innovative Conical Diamond Element Bit in Conjunction<br>with Novel Drilling Practices Increases Performance in<br>Hard-Rock Geothermal Applications, California, Graham,<br>Paul & Krough, Bradley & Nelson, Thomas & White,<br>Allen & Self, Jordan                             |

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| 1:30 | Review of Hybrid Geothermal and Solar Energy Systems,<br>Li, Kewen & Liu, Changwei & Chen, Youguang & Liu,<br>Guochen & Chen, Jinlong                                                                                                                                                                            | <i>Early-Phase Evaluation of CO2 Recovery at Geothermal Facilities,</i> McIntush, Kenneth & Fisher, Kevin & Mamrosh, Darryl & McKaskle, Ray & Beitler, Carrie & Fridriksson, Thrainn & Audinet, Pierre & Merino, Almudena Mateos                                                                                                                                 |
| 1:50 | Axial Exhaust Steam Turbine and Low Level Type Direct<br>Contact Condenser for Kamojang Geothermal Power Plant<br>Unit5 in Indonesia, Asano, Tsuyoshi & Muto, Toshie                                                                                                                                             | Energy and Exergy Analysis of Geothermal Steam Binary<br>Power Generation, Jalilinasrabady, Saeid & Itoi, Ryuichi &<br>Uchihori, Nobuo & Okamura, Yoshihiro                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| 2:10 | Off Design Operation of Hybrid Noncondensable Gas<br>Removal Systems For Flash Steam Cycle Geothermal Power<br>Plants, Devinney, Jason                                                                                                                                                                           | Olkaria (Kenya) Geothermal Projects Case Study, Mukeu,<br>Pharis & Langa't, Reuben                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 2:30 | A Novel Retrofit to Improve Efficiency of a Condensate H2S<br>Abatement System at the Aidlin Power Plant: "Ski Slopes",<br>Benn, Brian & Sonneville, Allen & Morrison, Leslie &<br>Bahninig, Tom                                                                                                                 | Simulation Study of Downhole Heat Exchanger With<br>Thermal Conduction in Rock Mass For Small-Scale Sower<br>Generation System, Yamato, Asada & Kato, M. & Sato, K.                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 2:50 | Advantages of Dual Enhanced Heat Transfer Tubes in<br>Organic Ranking Cycle Based Geothermal Plants, Moreno,<br>Jesus & Lang, Thomas                                                                                                                                                                             | The Importance of Caprock Heating for Geothermal Heat<br>in Place Calculations: An Appalachian Basin Case Study,<br>Smith, Jared & Axelsson, Gudni & Camp, Erin                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
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| 3:40 | GEOCHEMISTRY<br>Chair:<br>Tracer Testing in the Svartsengi Geothermal Field in 2015,<br>Sverrisdottir, Sigrun Bra & Axelsson, Gudni<br>New Insight Into the Evolution of the West Coast Geothermal<br>Province: Trace Element Signature in the Thermal Waters,<br>Chandrasekhar, Varun & Chandrasekhar, Trupti & | EGS 1<br>Chair:<br>Optimizing for Large Planar Fratures in Multistage<br>Horizontal Wells in Enhanced Geothermal Systems<br>Using a Coupled Fluid and Geomechanics Simulator,<br>Hu, Xiexiaomen & Tutuncu, Azra & Eustes, Alfred &<br>Augustine, Chad<br>Experimental Simulation of Enhanced Geothermal<br>Reservoir Stimulation, Hu, Lianbo, Ahmad & Pritchett, |



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| 8:00  | Geo-Nuclear Concept Paper, Ronoh, Kibet                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | 3D Geophysical Inversion Modelling of Gravity Data as a<br>Subsurface Geothermal Exploration Tool With an Example From<br>Akutan (Alaska, USA), Witter, Jeffrey & Stelling, Pete & Knapp,<br>Paige & Hinz, Nicholas                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 8:20  | Heat Exchanger for Down-hole Condensation Process - Theoretical<br>and Experimental Investigation, Considering Surrouding Fluid<br>Properties, Holbein, Benedict & Isele, Jorg & Spatafora, Luigi &<br>Hagenmeyer, Veit & Schulenberg, Thomas                                 | Muang Rae Geothermal System: Drilling and borehole geophysics,<br>1000-m core hole into granitic rock, Amphoe Pai, Mae Hong<br>Son Province, Northern Thailand, Wood, Spencer H. & Pirarai,<br>Kriangsak & Fuangswasdi, Aranya & Kaentao, Wiboon &<br>Waibel, Albert & Singharajwarapan, Fongsaward S.                                                                                                    |
| 8:40  | Development of a Geothermal Well Inspection Camera With Active<br>CO2 Cooling, Normann, Randy & Normann, Charles & Henfling<br>& Glowka, David & Soares, Marshall                                                                                                             | Using Seismic Networks to Explore for Geothermal Resources<br>in Western Saudi Arabia, Mellors, Robert J. & Camp, Victor &<br>Harris, David & Al-Amri, Abdullah                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| 9:00  | Development of a Wrieline Tool Containing an Electrochemical<br>Sensor for Real-time pH and Tracer Concentratin Measurement,<br>Cieslewski, Grzegorz & Hess, Ryan F. & Boyle, Timothy J. &<br>Yelton, Wiliam G. & Klamm, Bonnie E. & Goldfarb, Lauren &<br>Stork, Isabella N. | Resource Conceptual Models of Volcano-Hosted Geothermal<br>Reservoirs for Exploration Well Targeting and Resource Capacity<br>Assessment: Construction, Pitfalls and Challenges, Cumming,<br>William                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| 9:20  | Performance Evaluation of Mineral Additive-free Perfluoropolymer<br>Nanocomposite O-ring in Simulated Geothermal Environments at<br>300°C, Sugama, Toshifumi & Pyatina, Tatiana                                                                                               | Preliminary Three-Dimensional Temperature Structure of the<br>Williston Basin, Gosnold, Will & Colby, Chris & McLaughlin,<br>Samantha                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 9:40  | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
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| 10:10 | DOE-GTO Low Temperture Projects Evaluation and Lessons<br>Learned, Williams, Tom & Snyder, Neil & Gosnold, Will                                                                                                                                                               | <i>The Geologic Framework of the Fallon FORGE Site,</i> Siler, Drew<br>L. & Hinz, Nicholas H. & Faulds, James E. & Tobin, Brett &<br>Blake, Kelly & Tiedeman, Andrew & Sabin, Andrew & Lazaro,<br>Mike & Blankenship, Douglas & Kennedy, Mack & Rhodes,<br>Greg & Akerely, John & Hickman, Stephen & Glen, Jonathan<br>& Williams, Colin & Robertson-Tait, Ann & Calvin, Wendy &<br>Pettitt, Will         |
| 10:30 | Low Enthalpy Geothermal Food Dehydrator, Avina-Jimenez,                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | The Geologic Framework of the West Flank FORGE site, Siler,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|       | Hector M. & Perez-Gonzalez, Eduardo & Severiano-Perez,<br>Patricia & Valazquez-Madrazo, Olga & Jasso-Rivera, Andrea                                                                                                                                                           | Drew L. & Blake, Kelly & Sabin, Andrew & Lazaro, Mike &<br>Meade, Dave & Blankenship, Douglas & Kennedy, Mack &<br>McCulloch, Jess & DeOreo, Steve & Hickman, Stephen & Glen,<br>Jonathan & Kaven, Ole & Schoenball, Martin & Williams, Colin<br>& Phelps, Geoff & Faulds, James E. & Hinz, Nick & Robertson-<br>Tait, Ann &<br>Pettitt, Will                                                             |
| 10:50 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Meade, Dave & Blankenship, Douglas & Kennedy, Mack &<br>McCulloch, Jess & DeOreo, Steve & Hickman, Stephen & Glen,<br>Jonathan & Kaven, Ole & Schoenball, Martin & Williams, Colin<br>& Phelps, Geoff & Faulds, James E. & Hinz, Nick & Robertson-<br>Tait, Ann &                                                                                                                                         |
| 10:50 | Patricia & Valazquez-Madrazo, Olga & Jasso-Rivera, Andrea<br>Geothermal Energy in Munich (and beyond) A Geothermal City<br>Case Study, Farquharson, Neil & Schubert, Achim & Steiner,                                                                                         | Meade, Dave & Blankenship, Douglas & Kennedy, Mack &<br>McCulloch, Jess & DeOreo, Steve & Hickman, Stephen & Glen,<br>Jonathan & Kaven, Ole & Schoenball, Martin & Williams, Colin<br>& Phelps, Geoff & Faulds, James E. & Hinz, Nick & Robertson-<br>Tait, Ann &<br>Pettitt, Will<br>A New Look at the Thermal Regime Around Roosevelt Hot<br>Springs, Gwynn, Mark & Allis, Rick & Hardwick, Christian & |

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| 8:00  | An Overview of Geothermal Heat Pump Applications<br>and a Preliminary Assessment of Its Technical Potential<br>in the United States, Liu, Xiaobing & Hughes, Patrick &<br>Anderson, Arlene                                                                                                                                          | <i>McGinness Hills - Case Study of a Successful Expansion,</i><br>Lovekin, James & Delwiche, Benjamin & Spielman, Paul                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 8:20  | Characterizing U.S. Heat Demand Market for Potential<br>Application of Geothermal Direct Use, McCabe, Kevin &<br>Reber, Tim & Gleason, Michael & Young, Katherine R.                                                                                                                                                                | Development of Hybrid Geothermal - Biomass Power Plant<br>in Japan, Nakao, Yoshinobu                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 8:40  | An Estimate of Shallow, Low-Temperature Geothermal<br>Resources of the United States, Mullane, Michelle &<br>Gleason, Michael & Reber, Tim & McCabe, Kevin &<br>Mooney, Meghan & Young, Katherine R.                                                                                                                                | Update on the Conceptual Model of Olkaria Geothermal<br>System, Saitet, Daniel                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| 9:00  | Strategies For Increasing Geothermal Direct Use in New<br>Zealand, Climo, Melissa & Carey, Brian & Seward, Anya &<br>Bendall, Simon                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Updated Conceptual Model and Reserve Estimate for the<br>Salton Sea Geothermal Field, Imperial Valley, California,<br>Kaspereit, Dennis & Mann, Mary & Sanyal, Subir &<br>Rickard, Bill & Hulen, Jeff & Osborn, William                                                                                                                             |
| 9:20  | Geothermal District Heating Systems: Country Case Studies<br>from China, Germany, Iceland, United States of America and<br>Schemes to Overcome the Gaps, Sander, Marietta                                                                                                                                                           | Geothermal Production From Oil/Gas Wells and<br>Transportation With Two-Step Absorption System, Wang,<br>Honggang & Liu, Xiaobing                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| 9:40  | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| 10:10 | Increased Generation Performances by Using Sulfur<br>Dispersant in the Cooling Tower at the Wayang Windu<br>Geothermal Power Plant, Hidayat, Ismail & Kuntoaji,<br>Mahendra & Falah, Dea Nurivawati                                                                                                                                 | Optimization of Well Configuration For a Sedimentary<br>Enhanced Geothermal Reservoir, Zhou, Mengnan & Cho,<br>JaeKyoung & Zerpa, Luis E. & Augustine, Chad                                                                                                                                                                                         |
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|       | Dispersant in the Cooling Tower at the Wayang Windu<br>Geothermal Power Plant, Hidayat, Ismail & Kuntoaji,<br>Mahendra & Falah, Dea Nurivawati<br>Gumuskoy Repowering Case Study, Fiterman, Anton &                                                                                                                                 | Optimization of Well Configuration For a Sedimentary<br>Enhanced Geothermal Reservoir, Zhou, Mengnan & Cho,<br>JaeKyoung & Zerpa, Luis E. & Augustine, Chad<br>Reservoir Geomechanics Model for EGS, Janis, Michael                                                                                                                                 |
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| 1:30 | A Numerical Method For Fractured Reservoir<br>Poromechanics Using a Mixed-Continuum Embedded<br>Fracture Model, Norbeck, Jack H. & Horne, Roland N.                                                                                                                                                    | Produced Water Treatment Using the Switchable Polarity<br>Solvent Forward Osmosis (SPS FO) Desalination Process:<br>Preliminary Engineering Design Basis, Wendt, Daniel &<br>Adhikari, Birendra & Orme, Christopher &<br>Wilson, Aaron |
| 1:50 | Improvements to the AUTOUGH2 Supercritical Simulator<br>With Extension to the Air-Water Equation of State,<br>O'Sullivan, John & O'Sullivan, Mike & Croucher, Adrian                                                                                                                                   | <i>Desalination Using Geothermal Energy</i> , Avina-Jimenez,<br>Hector & De La Rosa-Urbalejo, Daniel &<br>Garcia-Gutierrez, Alfonso                                                                                                    |
| 2:10 | <i>Update of Injection Benefit Model For the Geysers,</i><br>Enedy, Steve                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Low Temperature Geothermal Resource Assessment for<br>Membrane Distillation (MD) Desalination in United States,<br>Akar, Sertac & Turchi, Craig                                                                                        |
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| 1:50 | Mark Walters – <i>Geology</i>                                                      | Geothermal Energy Reform in Mexico, Legal Framework,<br>Tools and Outcome, Ramirez Bueno, Michell Alejandra &<br>Rocha Ruiz, David Alejandro                                                                                                           |
| 2:10 | Craig Hartline - <i>Seismicity</i>                                                 | <i>Experience of Constructing the Resettlement Village Facili-<br/>ties for the 280MW Geothermal Power Project at Olkaria,<br/>Kenya</i> , Nthiga, Moses & Barasa, Cedrick                                                                             |
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|      | GEYSERS UPDATE<br>Chair: Danielle Matthews Seperas                                 | EGS 3<br>Chair:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
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| 3:20 | Melinda Wright – <i>Geochemistry</i><br>John Farison – <i>Steamfield and Wells</i> | Reservoir Stimulation in Naturally Fractured Geothermal<br>Systems, Kamali, Amirhossein & Ghassemi, Ahmad<br>The Effect of Well Density on Resource Depletion for a<br>Vertical Closed-Loop SCO2 Geothermal Well Systems, Fox,<br>Don & Higgins, Brian |
|      |                                                                                    | Systems, Kamali, Amirhossein & Ghassemi, Ahmad<br>The Effect of Well Density on Resource Depletion for a<br>Vertical Closed-Loop SCO2 Geothermal Well Systems, Fox,                                                                                    |

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- •Present Status and Planning of the Geothermal Energy Master Program of NEP-II in Taiwan, Wu, Shu-Yao & Shen, Min-Lin & Chen, Wei-An & Huang, Bor-Shouh
- •*Recent Developments with GETEM (Geothermal Electricity Technology Evaluation Model)*, Mines, Greg

#### CASE STUDIES

- •Olkaria (Kenya) Geothermal Projects Case Study, Mukeu, Pharis & Langa't, Reuben\*
- The Importance of Caprock Heating for Geothermal Heat in Place Calculations: An Appalachian Basin Case Study, Smith, Jared & Axelsson, Gudni & Camp, Erin\*

#### DESALINATION

•Desalination Using Geothermal Energy, Avina-Jimenez, Hector & De La Rosa-Urbalejo, Daniel & Garcia-Gutierrez, Alfonso\*

#### DIRECT USE

- •A Thermoelectric Powered Quadruped Robotic System for Remote Monitoring of Geothermal Open Field Heated Gardens in Iceland, Dell, Robert & Wei, C.S. & Unnthorsson, Runar & Mitchell, Nicholas\*
- •Analysis of Influence Factors on Aquifer Thermal Energy Storage Performance, Jiang, Xin & Liu, Xueling & Liu, Jinsong
- •*Cascade Use of Geothermal Energy in Mexico*, Avina-Jimenez, Hector Miguel & Benitez-Torreblanca, Miguel Angel & Garcia-Gutierrez, Alfonso
- Thermally Enhanced Open Field Heating Agricultural System Using Waste Geothermal Hot Water and low Temperature Steam in Iceland and Waste Municipal Steam in New York City, Dell, Robert & Wei, C.S. & Unnthorsson, Runar & Mitchell, Nicholas\*

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- •Innovative Conical Diamond Element Bit in Conjunction with Novel Drilling Practices Increases Performance in Hard-Rock Geothermal Applications, California, Graham, Paul & Krough, Bradley & Nelson, Thomas & White, Allen & Self, Jordan\*
- •Numerical Analysis of Flow Field in Multiple Hydrothermal jet Drilling for Geothermal Wells, Song, Xianzhi & Lv, Zehao & Cui, Liu & Li, Gensheng & Ji, Guodong & Hu, Xiaodong & Shi, Yu\*

- Optimization and Characterization of the Self-Degradable Cement for Geothermal Wells, Tan, Huijing & Zheng, Xiuhua & Li, Feiyue & Duan, Chenyang
- The Deepest Geothermal Well in Indonesia: A Success Story of Aerated Drilling Utilization, Toni, Apriyansah & Pratama, Raka Aditya & Prasetyo, Imam M. & Saputra, Muhamad Bayu\*

#### EGS

- •*Thermal Stresses Around EGS*, Arshad, Mahmood & Nakagawa, Masami & Jahan Bakhsh, Kamran & Dunnington, Lucilaa\*
- Transport Mechanism Within Thermally-Shocked Region of the Enhanced Geothermal System (EGS), Jahan Bakhsh, Kamran & Nakagawa, Masami & Arshad, Mahmood & Dunnington, Lucila\*
- •High Energy Stimulations Imaged With Geophysical Change Detection Techniques, Knox, Hunter & Ajo-Franklin, Jonathan & Johnson, Timothy & Morris, Joseph & Grubelich, Mark & Preston, Leiph & Knox, James & King, Dennis\*

#### **EMERGING/PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGIES**

- •Sensitivity Analysis of Ambient Temperature on ORC Energy and Exergy Analysis, Mohammadzadeh Bina, Saeid & Jalilinasrabady, Saeid & Fujii, Hikari
- The Exploration of Comprehensive Anti-scale Measures for Ground Pipeline in Geothermal Well, Yang, Shiwei & Yang, Guoxing & Wang, Quanyang & Zhang, Zhen

#### ENVIRONMENTAL/REGULATORY

•Adding Impacts and Mitigation Measures to OpenEI's RAPID Toolkit, Vogel, Erin

#### **EXPLORATION**

- •Kinematic and Deformative Analysis for the Santa Rosa and La Telarana Faults, Acosta Ospina, Lucrecia & Quintero Loaiza, Jaider A.\*
- Using Infrared Spectrometry to Deduce Fluid History From an Exploration Core, Emigrant Peak Geothermal Prospect, Northern Fish Lake Valley, Nevada, U.S.A., Madubuike, Chinomso & Brikowski, Tom & Moulding\*

#### **GEOCHEMISTRY**

- •222Rn Production in Geothermal Fluids and its Application to Quantifying Fracture Attributes, Brown, Shaun T. & Ding, Xin & Sturchio, Neil C. & Christensen, John N. & Sonnenthal, Eric & kennedy, B. Mack, Depaolo, Donald J.
- •Scaling Tendency Prediction of the Southeast Geothermal Field in Beijing, Duan, Chenyang & Zheng, Xiuhua & Yang, Shiwei

<sup>\*</sup>Also an oral presentation

### **Poster Session**

#### GEOLOGY

- •*A New Look at the Thermal Regime Around Roosevelt Hot Springs*, Gwynn, Mark & Allis, Rick & Hardwick, Christian & Hill, Jay & Moore, Joe\*
- •Constraining Subsurface Model Resolution at Newberry Volcano Using A Weighted Spatial Analysis, Mark-Moser, MacKenzie & Cameron, Emily & Rose, Kelly & Romeo, Lucy & Schultz, Jeremy & Schultz, Adam\*

#### **GEOPHYSICS**

•Muang Rae Geothermal System: Drilling and borehole geophysics, 1000-m core hole into granitic rock, Amphoe Pai, Mae Hong Son Province, Northern Thailand, Wood, Spencer H. & Pirarai, Kriangsak & Fuangswasdi, Aranya & Kaentao, Wiboon & Waibel, Albert & Singharajwarapan, Fongsaward S.\*

•Resource Conceptual Models of Volcano-Hosted Geothermal Reservoirs for Exploration Well Targeting and Resource Capacity Assessment: Construction, Pitfalls and Challenges, Cumming, William\*

#### **GEOVISION**

- •Strategies For Increasing Geothermal Direct Use in New Zealand, Climo, Melissa & Carey, Brian & Seward, Anya & Bendall, Simon\*
- •Future Scenario Development From Disruptive Exploration Technologies and Business Models in the U.S. Geothermal Industry, Wall, Anna\*

#### OIL & GAS

•Enhancing Energy Recovery From Abandoned Oil Wells Through Geothermal Technology, Aniodoh, Chukwuemeka

#### **POWER PLANT**

- •Active Distrubance Rejection Control of Waste Heat Recovery Systems With Organic Rankine Cycles, Zhang, Jing & Wang, Yan & Wang, Zhigang & Fu, Wencheng
- •Fuzzy PID Control Applied in Evaporator of Organic Rankine Cycle System, Li, Xiuli & Wang, Zhigang & Wang, Yan & Fu, Wencheng

#### **RESERVOIR MODELING**

•A 2-D Numerical Method For Tracking a Moving Water Table, Clearwater, Emily & O'Sullivan, Michael & Archer, Rosalind\*



\*Also an oral presentation

### Preliminary Technical Program Wednesday Morning, October 26

|       | ROOM 307                                                                                                                                                                          | ROOM 308                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
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|       | BUSINESS & COUNTRY UPDATES<br>Chair:                                                                                                                                              | EXPLORATION<br>Chair:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 8:00  | Colombian Geothermal Energy Development: Technical and<br>Economic Factors Favoring Foreign Investment, Hernandez,<br>Jonathan A. & Cardona, Juan F. & Vega Salazar, Elsa Juliana | Seismic Reflection and Magnetotelluric Imaging of<br>Southwestern Dixie Valley Basin, Nevada, Unruh,<br>Jeffrey & Gray, Brian & Christopherson, Karen &<br>Pullammanappallil, Satish & Alm, Steve & Blake, Kelly                                                         |
| 8:20  | Geothermal Market Analysis of Indonesia, Roque, Raysa &<br>Robertson-Tait, Ann & Camargo, Marcelo A.                                                                              | Using Infrared Spectrometry to Deduce Fluid History From<br>an Exploration Core, Emigrant Peak Geothermal Prospect,<br>Northern Fish Lake Valley, Nevada, U.S.A., Madubuike,<br>Chinomso & Brikowski, Tom & Moulding                                                     |
| 8:40  | Business Finance and Development in the Future Markets for Geothermal Energy, Shnell, Jim                                                                                         | Structural Complexity of the Pirouette Mountain and<br>Elevenmile Canyon Geothermal Systems, Alm, Steve &<br>Walker, Douglas & Blake, Kelly                                                                                                                              |
| 9:00  | Geothermal Energy in Hungary, Toth, Aniko N.                                                                                                                                      | Geothermal Field Work Using a Drone With Thermal<br>Camera: Aerial Photos, Digital Elevation Models and Heat<br>Flow, Harvey, Mark                                                                                                                                       |
| 9:20  | BLM Geothermal Program Update                                                                                                                                                     | Kinematic and Deformative Analysis for the Santa Rosa<br>and La Telarana Faults, Acosta Ospina, Lucrecia &<br>Quintero Loaiza, Jaider A.                                                                                                                                 |
| 9:40  | Break                                                                                                                                                                             | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|       | GEO 101 WORKSHOP<br>Chair: Gene Suemnicht                                                                                                                                         | DRILLING 2<br>Chair:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 10:10 |                                                                                                                                                                                   | Development of a Directional Drilling System for Operation<br>at 300°C for Geothermal Applications, Chatterjee,<br>Kamalesh & Macpherson, John & Dick, Aaron & Grimmer,<br>Harald & Klotzer, Sundai & Schroder, Jon & Epplin, Dave<br>& Hohl, Carsten & Gacek, Sobieslaw |
| 10:30 |                                                                                                                                                                                   | Drill-In Fluids and Drilling Practices Drilling More<br>Productive, Less Costly Geothermal Wells, Tuttle, John &<br>Listi, Renan                                                                                                                                         |
| 10:50 |                                                                                                                                                                                   | Performance Evaluation of Polycrystalline Diamond cutter<br>(PDC) Bits used in the Production Interval of Well AW-01<br>in the Akiira Ranch Field, East African Rift Valley, Central<br>Kenya, Letvin, Amelia & Stroud, Paul & Scagliarini,<br>Stefano                   |
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### Wednesday Morning, continued

|       | ROOM 313                                                                                                                                                        |
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|       | GEO VISION 2<br>Chair:                                                                                                                                          |
| 8:00  | <i>Updates to Enhanced Geothermal System Resource Potential Estimate</i> , Augustine, Chad                                                                      |
| 8:20  | A Methodology for Calculating EGS Electricity Generation<br>Potential Based on the Gringarten Model for Heat Extraction<br>From Fractured Rock, Augustine, Chad |
| 8:40  | Findings From the DOE GeoVision Reservoir Management<br>and Development Task, Lowry, Thomas & Kennedy, Mack &<br>Carrigan, Charles                              |
| 9:00  | Survey of recent market trends for geothermal with a<br>snapshot of potential additional research areas to expand<br>deployment, Speer, Bethany & Young, Kate   |
| 9:20  |                                                                                                                                                                 |
| 9:40  | Break                                                                                                                                                           |
|       | GEOVISION 3<br>Chair:                                                                                                                                           |
| 10:10 | <i>Geothermal Vision Study - GRC Annual Meeting Brief,</i><br>Richard, Christopher & Vigalys, Max & Reinhardt,<br>Timothy                                       |
| 10:30 | <i>Geothermal Value Proposition,</i> Richard, Christopher &<br>Eugeni, Edward & Makalinao, Aloysius & Vigalys, Max &<br>Jelacic, Allan                          |
| 10:50 | Future Scenario Development From Disruptive Exploration<br>Technologies and Business Models in the U.S. Geothermal<br>Industry, Wall, Anna                      |
| 11:10 | A Review of Exploration Methods For Discovering Hidden<br>Geothermal Systems, Dobson, Pat                                                                       |



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Do you work somewhere beautiful? Is your site too amazing to keep to yourself? Do you have an eye for steam? The GRC is looking for your pictures of geothermal energy: areas of geological interest, well testing, drilling, geothermal equipment, power plants, EGS, direct use, and geothermal heat pumps.

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The purpose of the contest is to showcase quality photography featuring geothermal energy around the world. All entries and the winning photos will be displayed in the Tuscany Ballroom registration area throughout the meeting.

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**2nd Place:** *Geothermal Mist* by Paweł Krok, Lubawka, Poland

**3rd Place:** Champaign Pool Divide by Ning Tai (aka Nelly Alison), Albert Park, Victoria, Australia



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