

HGS North American Explorationists Fractured Reservoir Workshop, June 24, 1996, 11:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

On Monday, June 24, the North American Explorationists usual Dinner Meeting will be replaced by a half-day Workshop on Fractured Reservoirs, held jointly with the GSH and SPWLA groups. We have selected a multidisciplinary program to challenge explorationists to think about fractured reservoirs from new perspectives. The meeting cost is \$35, which includes a catered lunch, posters and demonstrations during the Social Hour, and a book of abstracts. This afternoon session will be held in downtown Houston from 11:30 to 5:30 p.m. at the Petroleum Club of Houston, on the 43rd floor of the Exxon Building, 800 Bell Avenue. For reservations call Cathy King, (713) 972-4223. Discussions and questions led by Distinguished Panelists: Ron Nelson, (Amoco), Bill Riser (Conoco), and Bob Withers (ARCO).

Geosteering

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Horizontal well technology has evolved rapidly. Our most difficult concerns have changed from borehole stability and drilling techniques to completion, stimulation, and formation evaluation. Tomorrow's challenge lies in precisely steering the well path using formation geological and geophysical information. This technique is called "geosteering" and is credited with major improvements in drilling results. This presentation will review the state-of-the-art in geosteering and includes field examples. ■