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Announcement from the Secretary Board

Replacement of a Board Member

On April 1, 2003, regarding to Prof. H. Nitsuma's resignation from Director of JFES board member, Prof. M. Saito has been appointed as Prof.Niizuma's successor with the approval from all board members. His personal profile is as follows:

Motoyuki Sato, candidate of Director, received the B.E., M.E, and Dr.Eng. degrees in information engineering from Tohoku University, Sendai, Japan, in 1980, 1982 and 1985, respectively.

He is currently a Professor at the Center for Northeast Asian Studies, Tohoku University. From 1988 to 1989, he was a Visiting Researcher at the Federal Institute for Geoscience and Natural Resources (BGR) in Hannover, Germany. His current interests include transient electromagnetics and antennas, radar polarimetry, borehole radar, electromagnetic logging, interferometric and polarimetric SAR.

Dr. Sato was awarded "Best Poster" of the SPWLA 1994 Tulsa Symposium, Tulsa, OK, and the best paper of the Society of Exploration Geophysicists of Japan in 1999. He served as Technical Chairman of the 6th International Conference on Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR'96), Sendai, Japan. He is a member of SPWLA and a senior member of IEEE.

The Ninth Formation Evaluation Symposium of Japan

The Ninth Formation Evaluation Symposium of Japan (former Well Logging Symposium of Japan) will be held at the Technology Research Center-Japan National Oil Corporation, Chiba on September 25-26, 2003. All persons involved with the Oil, Gas, Geothermal Energy and Geoengineering industry and research institutes are invited to submit abstracts for presentation at the symposium.

Mark your calendar now to attend the Ninth Formation Evaluation Symposium of Japan.

Abstract is due no later than June 15, 2003. For details, please refer to http://www.geocities.jp/ymmiya/index.htm.
Your contribution is expected. Let's submit Abstract!

Invitation to 44th Chapter Meeting

We would like to announce that the forthcoming Chapter Meeting will be held as follows.

Venue: Teikoku Oil Co., Ltd.

4th Floor, Yakuin kaigishitsu

1-31-10, Hatagaya 1-chome, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo Tel 03-3466-1234 (Please see the attached map) Date: Monday, May 26th, 2003

<u>Please let me know your availability **by May 20th**</u> for each technical, chapter, and buffet meeting to following mail address: <u>sshin@tokyo.oilfield.slb.com</u> (Ms. Sora Shin)

Program:

16:30 Multi Stage Fracturing in a HP/HT Deep Volcanic Gas Reservoir in Japan

by Hiromi Sugiyama (Teikoku oil co., ltd.)

17:30 Snacks Buffet (JPY 1,000)

Abstarct of the topics

Multi Stage Fracturing in a HP/HT Deep Volcanic Gas Reservoir in Japan

Speaker : Hiromi Sugiyama (Teikoku oil co., ltd.)

In the summer of 2001, the first multi stage completion in a deep, hot and naturally fractured volcanic rock of the Minami-Nagaoka gas field, Niigata, was successfully completed using six propped fracture treatment stages. Many unconventional changes, such as aggressive proppant slug strategy, real-time fracture treatment analysis, extreme overbalance perforating, and use of small-grained proppant, resulted in successful stimulation and favorable production response. This presentation focuses on these new design concepts.

['01-'02 Annual schedule of Chapter Meetings]

March 25, 2002 *JAPEX*

June 2-5, 2002 43rd SPWLA Symposium in Oiso

Sep. 27, 2002 INPEX

['02-'03 Annual schedule of Chapter Meetings]

Dec. 4, 2002 OYO Tsukuba R&D Cente
Jan. 27, 2003 Mitsui Oil Exploration Co., Ltd.
March 31, 2003 Japan National Oil Corporation
May 26, 2003 Teikoku Oil Co., Ltd.

September 25-26, 2003 Technology Research Center, JNOC

^{*} Presentations will be held by Japanese.

