

AAPG HQ Contacts & Resources

AAPG Home Page

<http://www.aapg.org>

AAPG Student Chapters Page

<http://www.aapg.org/member/student/index.cfm>

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Meeting Information

<http://www.aapg.org/meetings/index.cfm>

Membership Applications

<http://www.aapg.org/member/applications.cfm>

Grants-in-Aid

<http://foundation.aapg.org/gia>

Student Expos

<http://www.aapg.org/member/student/expo/index.html>

Virtual Student Expo

<http://www.aapg.org/member/student/vse.cfm>

Distinguished Lecturers Program

http://www.aapg.org/education/dist_lect/index.cfm

Visiting Geologists Program

<http://www.aapg.org/education/vgp/index.cfm>

FACULTY: AAPG WANTS YOUR INVOLVEMENT!

Please consider participating in AAPG programs that can provide professional benefits to you, your students and department:

- * Grants-in-Aid
- * Student Expos
- * Visiting Geologist Program
- * Academic Liaison Committee
- * Student Chapters Committee

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AAPG Student Chapters 2005-06



Students on the 2005 AAPG/SEPM student chapter fieldtrip in Calgary, Canada

**ABSTRACT DEADLINE:
OCT. 4, 2005
FOR THE 2006 MEETING IN
HOUSTON!**

**INCREASED STUDENT AWARDS –
SEE DETAILS INSIDE!**

**American Association of
Petroleum Geologists
Student Chapter**



Benefits

The AAPG has long identified a need to help geoscience students with their professional development, as well as encourage them to become actively engaged in the association's business. Some of the opportunities and benefits available to student chapters include:

1 – Free Student Membership

Student dues continue to be generously sponsored by Halliburton.

2 – Free benefits

Book gifts, undergraduate grants, travel rebates. See the student chapters webpage for details.

3 – Professional field trips, training and publications at a discount

Industry field trips and short courses are available at a significant discount to students. The AAPG *Bulletin* and Division of Environmental Geosciences *Journal* are renowned industry publications available to members.

4 – Educational materials

The AAPG Bookstore has hundreds of texts, maps, instructional CDs, etc. that address all aspects of the geosciences. A large video library is also available.

5– Visiting Lecturers

Each year the AAPG identifies distinguished scientists that can be invited to your university to speak on various areas of expertise. Members of AAPG also volunteer their time to visit schools to give talks, discuss careers and provide mentoring to students.

6 – Convention activities

The annual and section/regional conventions provide students with opportunities to hone their presentation skills, network with industry professionals and be exposed to state of the art scientific and technical advancements. Some field trips, short courses and career workshops directly target students.



Kevin Hae Hae of Anadarko with an AAPG Student member

7 – Earn money for your Chapter

Student chapter members can work at the AAPG General Store at the annual convention in order to earn money for their chapter.

8 – Career Workshops and Recruiting Events

The AAPG Student Chapter coordinates with other AAPG committees to offer workshops at regional and national meetings, as well as to promote student expos and job fairs.

9 – 2006 Student Chapter Awards

Students making presentations in AAPG student sessions at the annual convention will receive a \$250 travel stipend. In addition, competitive awards will be made for both the oral and poster sessions (with the sponsoring academic departments receiving matching awards):

- 1st place – \$1500
- 2nd place - \$1000
- 3rd place - \$500

Student oral presentations are now assigned to technical sessions, allowing students to present their research alongside industry professionals (note: students are judged against each other for student awards, but are also eligible for AAPG best paper awards). An award of \$1000 is also given to the outstanding domestic and international student chapters.

Student Chapter Activities 2005-06

August/September 2005

- CALL FOR ABSTRACTS: AAPG ANNUAL CONVENTION IN HOUSTON, APRIL 9-12, 2006
- Hold first student chapter meeting, elect officers, begin planning chapter activities
- AAPG International Conference & Exhibition- September 11-14, 2005 - Paris, France
- Eastern Section Meeting - September 18-20, 2005 - Morgantown, West Virginia
- Gulf Coast Section Meeting - September 25-27, 2005 - New Orleans, Louisiana

October 2005

- OCTOBER 4, 2005 DEADLINE FOR STUDENT SESSION ABSTRACTS
- Be sure to apply for all student chapter benefits!

November/December 2006

- Document 2005 accomplishments
- Plan chapter activities for 2006

January/February 2006

- Submit reports to AAPG for outstanding chapter awards
- Register for AAPG convention, student chapter field trip and discounted/free short courses
- Check AAPG convention program for student activities and benefits
- Sign up to work at the AAPG General Store to raise money for your chapter

March/April 2006

- Complete oral and/or poster presentation
- AAPG Annual Meeting, April 9-12, 2006 Houston; be sure to attend all student career workshops, receptions and networking opportunities!