AAPG EUROPE GTW
Structural Styles and Hydrocarbon Prospectivity in Thrust Belt Settings: A Global Perspective

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Sponsor Opportunities
Fold Thrust Belts are considered the foremost tectonic expression of convergent margins. Their topographic relief produces exposures to understand not only their evolution but also the tectonic setting and paleogeographic evolution before orogeny. Plate tectonic interactions have been responsible for compressional systems from the Paleozoic to the most recent late Cenozoic fold thrust belt systems, forming large and elongated orogenic belts. Complex geodynamic settings and differences in mechanical stratigraphy characteristics have often triggered the development of unique geometries and relationships between units. However, similarities between structural styles and tectonic evolution among fold thrust belts in different regions can also be identified.

These Fold Thrust Belt Systems have been studied in order to understand their dynamics but also because they contain large hydrocarbon resources. They are characterised by complex trap geometries, reservoirs and source rock distributions as well as compound burial and thermal histories. In fold and thrust belts, an additional complicating factor is the short geological time span between the onset of petroleum generation, migration, and trap development. Despite those challenges and the various complexities, fold and thrust belts have been the focus of intense and long-lived exploration around the world. Recent hydrocarbon discoveries in fold thrust belt systems, and the most recent data confirming they still hold a large hydrocarbon prospectivity, have increased the interest from both academia and industry in deciphering their complexity.

The AAPG Workshop on “Structural Styles and Hydrocarbon Prospectivity in Fold Thrust Belt Settings: A global perspective”, co-chaired by Raffaele di Cuia (Delteng) and Gonzalo Zamora (Repsol), aims at bringing together over 100 experts from academia and industry from a range of disciplines to share experiences, new approaches, new data and new ways of integrating information that can help in reducing the uncertainties related to the exploration activities in Thrust Belt Systems.

On the following pages you will find a list of sponsorship options for companies interested in building their brand.

If you have any questions or interest in sponsoring the workshop and its activities, please do not hesitate to contact Marta Díaz (mdiaz@aapg.org) to discuss cost effective packages tailored to your needs.
Sponsorship Opportunities

By choosing the Platinum sponsorship level, your company will get maximum exposure with the following offerings:

› 6 complimentary registrations to the workshop for your company staff

› 15% discount on the registration fee of 6 additional company staff

› Exclusive sponsorship of the **cocktail reception** hosted on the evening of the first day of the event. A representative of your company (nominated by your company) would be invited to say a few welcome words to our participants

› Your company logo on the event website, virtual programme and book of abstracts listed as our exclusive Platinum sponsor

› Your company logo to appear in all the signage printed for the event in a prominent position and listed as Platinum sponsor

› Your company logo displayed within the conference room as Platinum sponsor on "Thank you slide" displayed in meeting room during all breaks

› A dedicated page for your company within the event website, for you to include any collateral up to 4 virtual brochures which would be made available at the end of the event to all the registered participants (virtual delegate bag)
Sponsorship Opportunities

By choosing the Gold sponsorship level, your company will get branding exposure with the following offerings:

- 4 complimentary registrations to the workshop for your company staff
- 15% discount on the registration fee up to 4 other company staff
- Your company logo on the event website, virtual programme and book of abstracts listed as Gold sponsor
- Your company logo to appear in all the signage printed for the event listed as Gold Sponsor
- Your company logo displayed within the conference room as Gold sponsor in “Thank you slide” displayed in meeting room during all breaks.
- A dedicated page to your company within the event website, for you to include any collateral up to 2 virtual brochures which would be made available at the end of the event to all the registered participants (virtual delegate bag)
- Be listed as sole sponsor of one of the following options (upon availability):
  - **Registration sponsor**: which includes your logo in the registration page. Logo printed in the back of the delegate badges. Logo included in all the emails out to registered participants.
  - **Lunch Sponsor**: Acknowledgment of your sponsorship by placing table cards during Lunch Service
  - **Field trip Sponsor**: be listed as sponsor of one of the field trips. We will send a special message with a brochure of your company to the Field trip Participants

*Limited to 4 companies*
Sponsorship Opportunities

By choosing the Silver sponsorship level, your company will get the branding exposure with the following deliverables:

‣ 3 complimentary registrations to the workshop for your company staff

‣ 15% discount on the registration fee up to 2 other company staff

‣ Your company logo on the event website, virtual programme and book of abstracts listed as Silver sponsor

‣ Your company logo to appear in all the signage printed for the event listed as Silver Sponsor

‣ Your company logo displayed within the conference room as Silver sponsor in “Thank you slide” displayed in meeting room during all breaks.

‣ A dedicated page to your company within the event website, for you to include any collateral up to 2 virtual brochures which would be made available at the end of the event to all the registered participants (virtual delegate bag)

‣ Be listed as sponsor of one of the following options (upon availability):

  • **Conference proceedings** (Sole sponsor): your logo within the message sent to all participants indicating the conference proceedings are available. Background of the website access to the conference proceedings branded with your company logo

  • **Coffee Break Sponsor** (Sole Sponsor): Acknowledgment of your sponsorship by placing table cards during coffee services

  • **Education sponsor** (open to multiple sponsors): sponsor the registration fee of 4 students (not including accommodation or travel) with opportunity for your company to provide a recruitment or company brochure which AAPG will send to all students attending the event.