

CAPA / BP 2008 Career Development Forum

Date: 8:30 – 12:00 noon, July 19

Meeting Place: WL1 Café (next to Terrace room), 501 Westlake Park Blvd.

Theme:

Be aspired and inspired
Set attainable goals
Stay technical or seek managerial roles
How to stretch your limit?

Time	Topic	Presenter
8:30 – 9:00	Check-in, Social, Continental Breakfast	
9:00 – 9:05	HSE Moment	Alfred Johnston Resourcing Manager D&I, BP America
9:05 – 9:10	BP Welcome	Kevin Carter GM D&I, BP America
9:10 – 9:15	CAPA Welcome	JC Wan CAPA 2008 President
9:15 – 9:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Briefly introduce all the panelists - Address one specific question for each panelist 	Lisa Li & Jianlei Liu BP / CAPA
9:30 – 11:00	Each panelist Talk 10 minute around specific question <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Panelist 1: Dr. Frank Yao - First President of CAPA (1984) 2. Panelist 2: Dr. T. K. Zhao - President of CAPA (1999), Former ExxonMobil Exploration Manager 3. Panelist3: Dr. Jing Kuang - Former ExxonMobil Adviser, Offshore Engineering, 2007 ASCE Hall-of Fame OTC Paper Award recipient 4. Panelist 4: Dr. SK Chang - CAPA EC Member, Former VP of Schlumberger Technologies (Beijing) 5. Panelist 5: Dr. Ahmed Abou-Sayed - President and Founder Advantek International, Former Manger, BP Geomechanics 6. Panelist 6: Dr. HonChung Lau - Discipline Lead of Production Technology and Chemistry of Shell International E&P 7. Panelist 7: Dr. Zhijing(Zee) Wang - Chevron Unit Manager, Chevron Fellow 8. Panelist 8: Dr. Chengbin (Chuck) Peng - President and Founder Nexus Geosciences, Inc 	
11:00 – 11:10	Short Break	
11:10 – 12:00	Open Questions	
12:00	End	

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Original Announcement

Dear CAPA members:

Chinese America Petroleum Association (CAPA) & BP cordially invite you to participate in the 2008 Career Development. We are grateful that eight seasoned petroleum professionals committed to sharing their insights on these topics based on their own experiences and observations. Panelists will cover topics related to career development in oil industry: (1) Be aspired and inspired; (2) Set attainable goals; (3) Stay technical or seek managerial roles? (4) How to stretch your limits?

When: 9:00 to 12:00 noon on Saturday, July. 19th 2008 and 8:30 to 9:00 am Free Continental Breakfast

Where: Terrace Room, BP Westlake 1 Building, 200 Westlake Park Blvd., Houston, TX 77079.

Registration Fee: \$5.00 for active CAPA members and \$20 for non CAPA members or inactive members, and free for BP employees and students.

Parking: Parking is free. Simply follow "Visitors' Parking" sign at the parking garage next to Westlake 1 Building, identify yourself as CAPA and let security open the bar via intercom speaker. After parking, get visitor badge at front desk the building. Front desk is 50 ft away from the Terrace room.

Forum Format: Each panelist will deliver a 10 minutes short presentation, focusing on one or two of the topics and we will have a 45 minutes free format discussion revolving around these topics.

Besides the discussion, this is also a great opportunity for you to meet other CAPA members and petroleum professionals. Please register the event via CAPA website <http://www.capaus.org> or contact the event host Dr. Lisa Li via lisa.li@bp.com, yuli98@comcast.net, or phone: (281) 814-6849. Deadline for registration is Wed. July 16 for head count purpose. Please help invite your friends.

JC Wan, CAPA 2008 President

Appendix: Biography of Panelists

Panelist 1: Dr. Frank Yao

First President of CAPA (1984)

Panelist 2: Dr. T. K. Zhao

President of CAPA (1999), Former ExxonMobil Exploration Manager

Dr. Zhao graduated in 1961 from the National Taiwan University with a B.S. Degree in geology, and in 1969 from the Colorado School of Mines with Ph.D Degree in geophysics. Worked entirely in the upstream business with ExxonMobil for 31 years. Experiences include conducting the exploration and production programs in all phases of worldwide ventures. Since retirement in 2002, He has actively involved in consulting and investing in oil and gas opportunities. Main focus of his activity is to find and drill high quality prospects in the matured areas such as in Texas, Louisiana, Alabama, and Rockies.

Panelist3: Dr. Jing Kuang

CAPA Executive Committee Member, Former ExxonMobil Adviser, Offshore Engineering and Development Project Planning & Management, 2007 ASCE Hall-of Fame OTC Paper Award recipient Dr. Kuang received his B. S. degree in Civil Engineering from National Taiwan University, his M. Eng. degree in Structural Engineering from AIT, his M. Sc. Degree in Business Administration from Boston University, and his Ph. D. degree in Theoretical and Applied Mechanics from Northwestern University. He is currently a Project Manager /Sr. Technical Adviser at FloaTEC, a company that offers platform Engineering-Procurement-Construction-Installation services to the oil companies. Prior to joining FloaTEC, Dr. Kuang worked for Exxon Mobil for over 34 years in USA, Europe, Asia and Russia. He has worked on research, planning, engineering, fabrication and installation of drilling and production platforms. He held various technical positions and project management positions. In the last part of his long career with ExxonMobil, he became a special adviser to the Engineering Vice President of ExxonMobil Development Company. His main tasks included establishing organization /manning plan / budget for the engineering divisions, proposing company contracting strategy and contractors selection criteria for international development projects, advising on technical feasibility of projects with unusual design requirements.

Panelist 4: Dr. SK Chang

CAPA Executive Committee Member, Former VP of Schlumberger Technologies (Beijing)

Dr. Chang received his B.S. in electrical engineering from National Taiwan University, and his M.S. and Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science from University of California, Berkeley. He then joined Schlumberger in 1979, and for 15 years conducted research in borehole acoustic and electromagnetic logging at Schlumberger-Doll Research in Ridgefield, Connecticut. He became the director of geoacoustic research in 1990. He moved to Sugar Land, Texas, in 1994 to manage the logging while drilling (LWD) product line. In 1997, he became manager of groups in directional drilling software and logging interpretation. He moved to Beijing, China, as vice president and general manager to build the Schlumberger Beijing Geoscience Center in 2000. In 2005, he moved to Japan as the oil field services global acoustic métier manager. He moved to Houston in July 2007 as an advisor for merger and acquisitions. Steve has 19 US patents and more than 80 journal and conference papers in acoustics and electromagnetics. Steve was the 2007 SEG Regional Lecturer for South and East Asia. He also served Northern Westchester Chinese School (New York State) as Vice Principal, Principal, Chairman of the Board and Board Director during 1989-1994. He had a three week lecture tour in China at Jianhan Oil Field, Xian and Beijing in 1988.

Panelist 5: Dr. Ahmed Abou-Sayed

President and Founder Advantek International

Former Manger, BP Geomechanics

Dr. Ahmed Abou-Sayed received his Ph.D in Engineering Mechanics from Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island in 1975. He Founded Advantek International in 1999. On his career path, he worked for Terra Tek 1975 – 1984 as VP of international division. He was a UN consultant from 1979-1983. He worked for ARCO for 5 years from 1984 – 1988 as technical advisor and team leader of well stimulation and operation. He worked for BP for 10 years and was Reservoir Geomechanics Practice Area Leader. He is a recipient of two Chairman Outstanding Achievement Awards in both BPX and ARCO. He is holder of 5 US – patents. He is SPE Distinguished lecturer in year 92-93. He has received the SPE Distinguished member Award in 2000 and the SPE Production Operation Award in 2005.

Panelist 6: Dr. HonChung Lau

Discipline Lead of Production Technology and Chemistry of Shell International E&P, Inc
Dr. HonChung Lau received his B.S in Chemical Engineering from California Institute of Technology, Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering from Princeton University. He has 27 years of work experience with Shell in R&D, reservoir engineering, production engineering, operations and project delivery. He also has eight years of R&D experience in EOR including thermal, CO₂ and chemical. He has worked in US, Holland and Brunei. He currently plays the role of subject matter expert in smart wells, sand control and chemical EOR. He was previous editor of SPE Production and Completion J. and is current editor of SPE Production Operations J. He has published over three dozens technical papers and patents in EOR, reservoir engineering, production engineering, sand control, drill-in-fluids and smart wells.

Panelist 7: Dr. Zhijing(Zee) Wang

Chevron Unit Manager, Chevron Fellow

Dr. Zhijing(Zee) Wang received his B.S. degree in Applied Geophysics from Chengdu University of Technology in China, M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in Geophysics from Stanford University. Zee has worked for Core Laboratories and Western Geophysical in Calgary, Canada. He was a key member of a joint project with the Alberta Research Council on seismic monitoring of light-hydrocarbon solvent displacement in carbonate reservoirs. Zee joined Chevron's Oilfield Research Company (COFRC) in California in 1991. At Chevron. His work focuses on linking seismic with reservoir properties. Zee was co-founder and served as Vice Chairman of Chevron's Asian Employee Network. He has served consulting professor at Stanford University, Vice President of SEG, a nominee for SEG President, eight years associate editor for GEOPHYSICS and a recipient of the SEG Virgil Kauffman Gold Medal Award.

Panelist 8: Dr. Chengbin (Chuck) Peng

President and Founder Nexus Geosciences, Inc

Dr. Chengbin (Chuck) Peng received his B.S. in geology from Beijing University in 1985 and Ph.D. in geophysics from Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1993. He worked for Shell

International E&P for 9 years before he started his adventure in seismic service industry in 2001 as Chief Technology Officer at ADS. The small outfit was acquired by Core Laboratory soon, and in 2003 he joined BHP Billiton as a seismic imaging specialist. Chuck founded Nexus Geosciences, Inc. in March 2005. His company is focused on seismic imaging, seismic interpretation, and subsurface geological and geophysical modeling.