

Nomination for 2007 CAPA Executive Committee Open Positions

Dear CAPA members:

The CAPA Executive Committee (EC) recently passed a guideline for the nomination of new EC officer candidates. This guideline provides greater transparency and open access in the governance of our organization. The details of the new guideline will be published on our website separately.

The new guideline has been implemented in the nomination process for the 2007 CAPA Executive Committee now underway. Following the new guideline, the executive committee (EC) has identified several open positions (positions without incumbents) for officers in charge the following functions or disciplines:

- Public Relation
- Petroleum Finance
- Petroleum Business/Energy Trading
- Engineering and Construction
- Production Engineering
- Petroleum Law
- UH Student representative

If you are an active CAPA member (paid 2006 annual due or a permanent member) and are interested in serving CAPA as an officer for one of the above positions, please go to our website (www.capaus.org) and fill out the application form (http://www.capaus.org/EC_application_form.php). If this link does not work for you, go to the website and click leadership team; the application form link will be shown on the left side of the page.

Your application will be reviewed by the executive committee and you will be notified of your candidate status before January 15, 2007. When you apply, please be sure to indicate for which position you are applying for in the self-introduction section of the application form. You may apply for more than one positions. The deadline to submit the application form online is December 31, 2006.

If you are nominated by the executive committee, your name will be submitted on the ballot for election during the CAPA annual meeting in January 2007. According to the CAPA bylaws, additional candidates may also be nominated for any EC positions (open or not) during the annual meeting.

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