

# SPWLA Newsletter

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## Announcement

Election form was distributed to each member and junior members and collected prior to the Symposium held on September 24-25, 1997. 68 valid form were received and validated on September 22, 1997 by Adel Guindy and Toru Toda. Also modification to the Chapter By-Law was approved by members.

The board members for 1997 to 1999 chapter period are as follows and biography of new board member are listed for introduction.

Dr Susumu Kato has been replaced by Mr Kazuo Koide for the position of Vice President, Membership. All the board member wish thanks Dr Kato for his valuable contributions to SPWLA, Japan Chapter in the past.

## BOARD MEMBERS FOR 97-99

President	S. Tono
First Vice President	F. Okitsu
Vice President, Technology	M. Miyairi
Vice President, Membership	K. Koide*
Secretary	T. Toda
Treasurer	M. Nakamizu
Director	A. Guindy
Director	M. Oka
Director	N. Arihara
Director	M. Sato
Director	H. Niitsuma
Director	M. Hyodo*
Director	H. Ohtotmo*
Director	K. Kato*

(\* denotes new members, whose personal summaries are enclosed)

## **MODIFIED THE CHAPTER BY-LAWS**

Officers of the Chapter are: President, First Vice President, Vice President Technology, Vice President Membership, Secretary, Treasurer, up to ten Directors and the immediate Past President.

The term for all officers shall be two years. The term shall begin the first day following the Annual General Meeting of the Japan Chapter, which must be held no later than 30th of Sept., and end at the close of the next Annual General Meeting.

## **NEW BOARD MEMBERS**

### **Kazuo KOIDE**

Kazuo KOIDE, candidate for Vice President of Membership, is a Chief Geologist at JAPEX Research Center. He graduated from Kochi University in 1975 with a B.S. degree in Geology. Since joining Japan Petroleum Exploration Co., Ltd. (JAPEX) in 1975, he has worked as an Exploration Geologist and as a Development Geologist. From 1994 to 1996, he was the Technical Manager for MJC Petroleum Co. In October 1996, he was assigned to his current position. He is a member of SPWLA and SPE.

### **Masami HYODO**

Masami HYODO, candidate for Director, is a Division Manager for Geothermal Energy Research and Development Co.(GERD). He graduated from Department of Electricity, Tsuruoka Technical College in 1982. Since joining GERD, he have been working as a well logging engineer for steering survey, production logging and BHTV in geothermal wells. Also, he have been engaged in several NEDO R&D projects such as Hot Dry Rock(HDR), Lost Circulation, High temperature Memory Pressure and Temperature Tool and MWD system. He is a member of SPWLA

### **Hideo OHTOMO**

Hideo OHTOMO, candidate for Director, is a Deputy General Manager of OYO Corp., Tohoku Branch. He graduated from Tohoku University in 1971 with a B.S. degree in Geophysics. Since joining OYO Corp., in 1971 he has been engaged in a lot of civil engineering projects in Japan as an exploration geophysicist. He was transferred to his present position in 1996. He is a member of the SPWLA.

### **Koji KATO**

Koji KATO, Candidate for Director, is a Sales Manager of Geophysical Surveying Co.,Ltd.. He graduated from Electrical Engineering, Niigata University in 1970. Since joining JAPEX in 1971, he worked as a wireline logging engineer and switched to GSC in 1979. He was engaged in R&D and assigned to his current position in 1988. He is a member of SPWLA.

## Invitation to 19th Chapter Meeting

We would like to announce that the forthcoming chapter meeting will be held as follows.

**Venue** : **Idemitsu Oil & Gas Co., Ltd.**  
Okubo 2-3-4, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo  
(See the map attached)

**Date** : **On Tuesday, November 25, 1997**

**Program** :

15:30 "Log Analysis of Micaceous Brent Sandstone "  
by A. Imayoshi (JNOC-TRC)

"Cyclolog- A New Approach for Well Correlation"  
by S. Hirahara (Idemitsu Oil Development Co.,Ltd.)

17:30 Snacks Buffet

### **['94-'95 Annual schedule of chapter meeting]**

<i>May 23, 1994</i>	<i>Japan National Oil Corporation</i>
<i>July 25, 1994</i>	<i>Japan Petroleum Exploration Co.,Ltd</i>
<i>September 27, 1994</i>	<i>Japan Oil Engineering Co.,Ltd</i>
<i>November 29, 1994</i>	<i>Technical Research Center, Teikoku Oil Co.,Ltd</i>
<i>January 23, 1995</i>	<i>Indonesia Petroleum, Inc.</i>
<i>March 13, 1995</i>	<i>Waseda University</i>
<i>May 29, 1995</i>	<i>Japan Oil Development Co.,Ltd</i>
<i>September 21-22, 1995</i>	<i>Technology Research Center, Japan National Oil Corporation</i>

### **['95-'96 Annual schedule of chapter meeting]**

<i>November 27, 1995</i>	<i>Idemitsu Oil Development Co.,Ltd</i>
<i>January 29, 1996</i>	<i>Geothermal Energy R&amp; D Co.,Ltd</i>
<i>March 26, 1996</i>	<i>Arabian Oil Co.,Ltd</i>
<i>May 27, 1996</i>	<i>Japan Petroleum Exploration Co.,Ltd</i>
<i>September 26-27, 1996</i>	<i>Technology Research Center, Japan National Oil Corporation</i>

### **['96-'97 Annual schedule of chapter meeting]**

<i>November 25, 1996</i>	<i>Technical Research Center, Teikoku Oil Co.,Ltd</i>
<i>January 27, 1997</i>	<i>Indonesia Petroleum, Inc.</i>
<i>March 26, 1997</i>	<i>Waseda University</i>
<i>May 26, 1997</i>	<i>Japan Oil Development Co., Ltd.</i>
<i>September 24-25, 1997</i>	<i>Technology Research Center, Japan National Oil Corporation</i>

### **['97-'98 Annual schedule of chapter meeting]**

<b>November 25, 1997</b>	<b>Idemitsu Oil Development Co.,Ltd</b>
<b>January 26, 1998</b>	<b>Geothermal Energy R&amp; D Co.,Ltd</b>
<b>March 30, 1998</b>	<b>Japan Oil Engineering Co.,Ltd</b>
<b>May 25, 1998</b>	<b>Japan Petroleum Exploration Co.,Ltd</b>
<b>September 25-26, 1998</b>	<b>Technology Research Center, Japan National Oil Corporation</b>

# General Summary of the Symposium

The Third well logging symposium of Japan was successfully held in JNOC-TRC on September 24-25, 1997. Our sincere thanks to all the participant and sponsors for their contributions. From the third symposium, JNOC-TRC join us as co-sponsor of the event.

Following is a brief summary of the symposium.

## **(Participants)**

The number of participants was 136 and 41% of them were from oil companies, 38% from service companies, 12% from universities & national research institutes and 9% from geothermal, geo-engineering and other industries. The participants from overseas were 18 and foreigners were 28.

## **(Opening Session)**

Following the opening remarks by our president, Mr.Satoshi Tono and president of JNOC-TRC, Mr. Kuniaki Suzuki, Mr. Toshinobu Itoh from JAPEX Geothermal Kyushyu delivered a keynote address titled "Geothermal Exploration and Well Logging Technology in Japan ". Mr. Masato Yasuda from JNOC-TRC presented "R&D Management in JNOC-TRC".

## **(Technical Sessions)**

Twenty-five papers and two invited speaker were presented in 6 technical sessions. The session titles and the number of papers were as shown as follows;

- (1) Electrical/Electromagnetic Logging : 5
- (2) Fractured Reservoir : 5
- (3) General Formation Evaluation: 4
- (4) Petrophysical Properties/ Computer Applications : 5
- (5) Cased-hole/Production Logging : 3
- (6) Acoustic/Borehole Geophysics : 5

we had 13 papers from overseas which increase year by year.

We had two invited speakers. The first, Mr. Johnny Brown introduced the Petrotechnical Open Software Corporation (POSC) in Session 3. The other invited speaker, Mr. Darwin Ellis from Schlumberger Doll Research presented the paper titled "Forward Modeling: An Aid for Interpreting Neutron Logs in Horizontal Wells" in Session 5.

## **(Proceedings of the Symposium)**

Proceedings of the the first, second and third symposium are available by 3000yen each.

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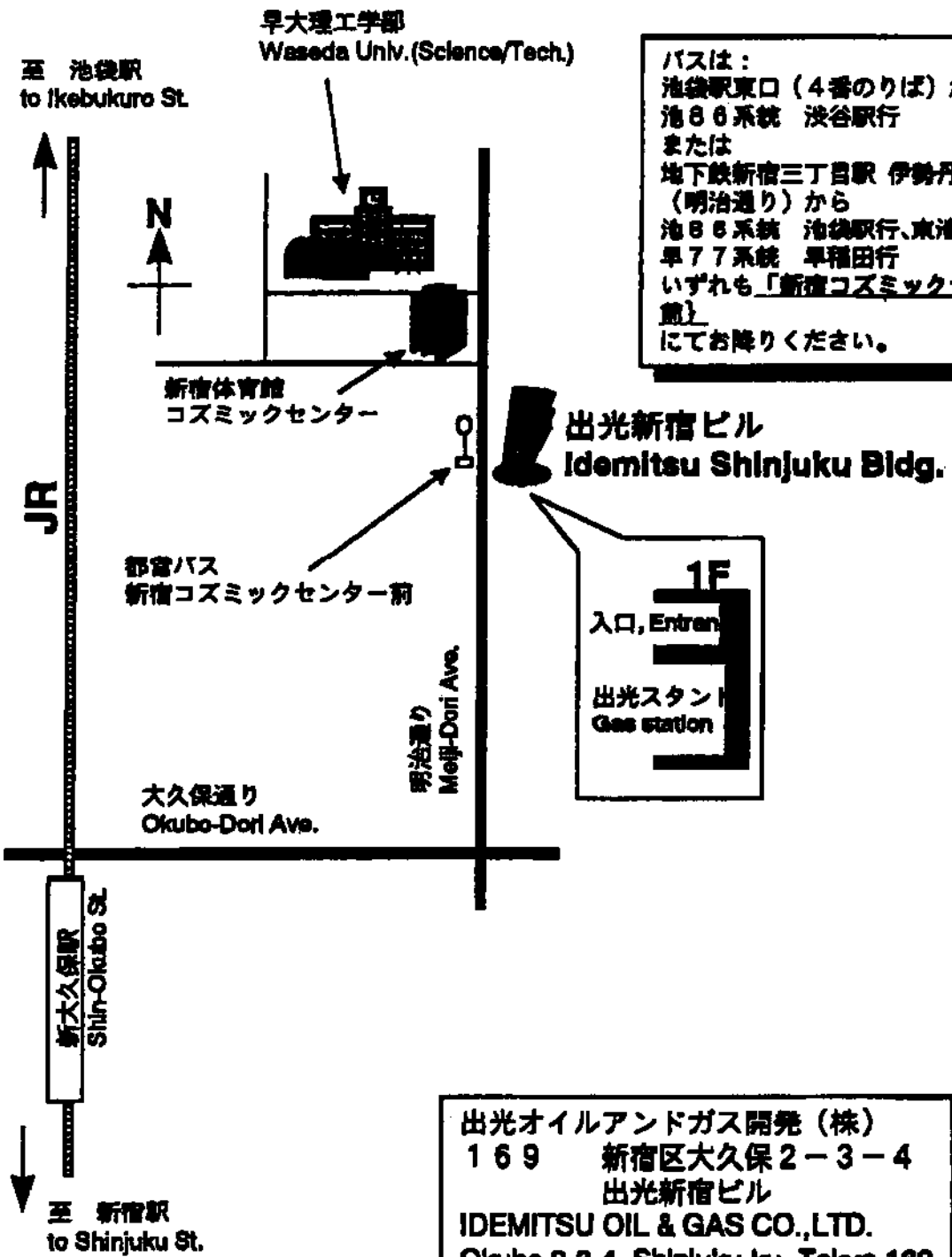
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*Japan Chapter of the Society of Professional Well Log Analysts*  
**The Third Well Logging Symposium of Japan**  
**September 24-25, 1997, JNOC-TRC, Chiba**

**Activities since 2nd well logging symposium of Japan in Sep. 26-27, 1996.**

No.	Date	Venu	Speaker	Topics
14th	Nov. 25, 1996	Teikoku Oil Co., Ltd.	Koichi Ogino (Teikoku Oil Co.)	Comparison of LWD and Wireline measurement in MITI Nishikubiki
15th	Jan. 27, 1997	Indonesia Petroleum Ltd.	Jean-Remy OLESEN (Distinguished Speaker of SPWLA)	Residual Oil Saturation Evaluation in Water Flooded Fields under Variable Water Resistivities
16th	Mar. 26, 1997	Waseda University	Norio Arihara (Waseda University)	Dynamic Behavior Analysis of Hydraulic Fractures by Well Test Analysis and Simulation
17th	May 26, 1997	Japan Oil Development Co., Ltd. (Japan National Oil Corp.)	Koji Takase (Japan National Oil Corp.)	Quiet Revolution- Information Technology and the Reshaping of the Oil and Gas Business
18th	Sep. 24-25, 1997	TRC-JNOC		The Third Well Logging Symposium of Japan

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