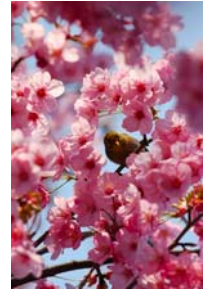




THE OHIO GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY



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It is that time of year again. Elections are being held for the Society as well as on the national level with AAPG. This year's Society officers would like to serve in their respective positions for one more year. However, this time next year we would like to see some new names on the ballot. If you are interested in running for office and would like to know more about a certain position and the job and time that it entails please contact your officers. I urge everyone to stay involved and stay connected with this Society as we push to bring you new field trip opportunities, discounted training courses, and relevant talks. As for elections on the national level, our very own Pete MacKenzie is running for Secretary in the upcoming AAPG election. Voting ends on May 15th!

Larry Wickstrom and John Forman have agreed to serve again as our delegates to AAPG. However, we do not have any alternates in place if either Larry or John are unable to make a national meeting. Please contact me if you are interested in representing the Society on the national level by serving as a delegate alternate. Alternates must be named by May 23.

The software users group has had a decent response so far, but we need more of you to come forward in order to get this initiative off the ground. Please send me your contact information with the industry-related software products that you use. After a substantial number of members have provided their information, user lists will be sent out to those that signed up for a particular software package.

Brian Mott's talk on ***Subsurface conditions and other related issues affecting wind turbine placement in Lake Erie*** was very well received. He answered numerous questions about various aspects of the assessment that he was a part of. Thanks Brian for agreeing to speak to our group.

Bill Hlavin will give a talk, ***A New Look at the Mayfield Gas Pool, Cuyahoga County, Ohio***, on Friday, May 15. Lunch is scheduled to start at 12:00 p.m. with Bill's talk to follow. The meeting will be held at the Horace R. Collins Laboratory, 3307 South Old State Road, Delaware, OH 43015. Please RSVP no later than May 14 to Steve Zody.

A field trip to Ohio's Seneca Caverns has been finalized for August 1! The caverns are owned by one of our members, Richard Bell, who will be leading us on the tour of the caverns that day. Please mark your calendars and stay tuned for more details about the trip.

Chris Gordon



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Friday, May 15th

12:00 pm, lunch will be provided

Bill Hlavin
Bass Energy Company, Inc.

*A New Look at the Mayfield Gas Pool,
Cuyahoga County, Ohio*

Horace R. Collins Laboratory
3307 South Old State Road
Delaware, OH 43015

Please RSVP to Steve Zody at
zodyoil@sssnet.com or 330-262-4323

**The Ohio Academy of Science
State Science Day**

Saturday, May 9, 2009

The Ohio State University
Columbus, Ohio



Each year the Ohio Geological Society presents a GEOLOGICAL AWARD to the best projects in the geological sciences in the form of cash and certificates of merit.

Interested in judging?
Please contact Chris Gordon at
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Official Ballot

2009-2010 Officer Slate

| <u>Position</u> | <u>Nominated</u> | <u>Write-In</u> |
|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| President | Chris Gordon | _____ |
| Vice President | Steve Zody | _____ |
| Secretary | Amy Lang | _____ |
| Treasurer | John Miller | _____ |
| Trustee 2009-2013 | Clark Scheerens | _____ |

Vote (circle) for not more than one in each position.

Please return ballot by May 27th to:

**Ohio Geological Society
P.O. Box 14304
Columbus, OH 43214**



TGS Geological Products and Services

Position: **Scanner Operator** – (Full time Contractor April 2009 to April 2010)

Reports to: TGS on-site Project Lead

Location: Ohio Department of Natural Resources
– Division of Geological Survey (ODGS)
Columbus, Ohio

Hourly wage: To be determined based on experience (\$10.50 +)

Hours: Monday through Friday 8am to 5pm

COMPANY SUMMARY:

A Houston based company, TGS Geological Products and Services (formerly A2D Technologies), works with operators and state agencies to source and collect the best preserved examples of well log and other borehole data from across the globe. In addition to providing the foundation for TGS' geologic and interpreted studies, much of this data is available for immediate download from LOG-LINE Plus!, an online collection of more than 5.5 million well logs. For more company information visit www.tgsnopec.com

POSITION SUMMARY:

Perform hardcopy scanning of oil and gas well logs and related data entry. Duties include tracking individual daily statistics and data management of images scanned. Use various software packages to scan and/or process images. (Training is provided.)

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES include the following. Other duties may be assigned:

1. Use various software packages to scan well log media inputs.
2. Must adhere to strict file naming conventions.
3. Basic maintenance and troubleshooting of scanning equipment.
4. Data management and maintenance of scanned images.
5. Quality Control to generate the best image scanned.
6. Ensure strict confidentiality of client records.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Some college education is required and previous geological knowledge/work experience preferred.
 - Attention to detail is **very** important

CONTACT before May 20, 2009 (with resume):

Thomas Lengyel at 1-832-731-0867 or email Thomas.lengyel@tgsnopec.com

Or

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100 Mendenhall Lab

A complete list of SES seminars can be found at http://www.earthsciences.osu.edu/seminars_lectures.php

- 2009-05-14 **Dr. Wendy R. Panero** TBA
The Ohio State University
Hosted by Dr. Michael Barton
- 2009-05-21 **Dr. Matthew R. Saltzman** The Late Ordovician glaciation in a greenhouse world.
The Ohio State University
Hosted by Dr. Michael Barton
- 2009-05-28 **Dr. Lonnie G. Thompson** TBA
The Ohio State University
Hosted by Dr. Michael Barton

Welcome New Members!

Gary Kotila

GK Geologic Consulting

North Canton, OH

John Mandich

EnergyNet.com

Bloomfield, MI

CALENDAR

Information available for OGS meetings at: www.ohgeosoc.org or contact Steve Zody at zodyoil@sssnet.com, 330-262-4323.

- May 9 OAS – State Science Day. The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH. Judges needed – please contact Chris Gordon at chris.gordon@dnr.state.oh.us or 614-265-6594
- May 15 **OGS Meeting** – *A New Look at the Mayfield Gas Pool, Cuyahoga County, Ohio* – Bill Hlavin. Horace R. Collins Laboratory, Delaware, OH.
- May 19 2009 Annual OOGA Legislative Reception, The Atrium, Ohio Statehouse, Columbus, OH. www.ooga.org
- June 7-10 2009 AAPG Annual Convention and Exhibition, Denver, CO. www.aapg.org
- July 8-9 IOGA-NY Annual Summer Meeting, Findley Lake, NY. <http://iogany.org>
- August 1 OGS/MBGS/AIPG Field trip - Seneca Caverns, Bellevue, OH.
- August 2-4 2009 Annual OOGA Summer Meeting. Sawmill Creek Resort, Sandusky, OH. www.ooga.org
- September 1-2 OGS/PTTC Workshop – *Reservoir Engineering for Geologists*, Richard Green. Hilton Columbus at Easton, Columbus, OH.
- September 17 OGS Golf Outing – Chapel Hill Golf Course, Mount Vernon, OH.
- September 20-22 ES-AAPG Annual Meeting – Evansville, IN. www.esaapg2009.org/

Check the OGS website at www.ohgeosoc.org or PTTC's at <http://karl.nrcce.wvu.edu> for other meetings and events.

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Publications of the Ohio Geological Society On CD-ROM



Publications of the Ohio Geological Society now available as a CD-ROM and online with AAPG/Datapages.

OGS is the newest collection added to the Marketing Partners program in AAPG/Datapages whereby local and regional geological societies list their publication archives in the online literature database for upstream E&P. We now host more than 30 publishers in our program.

All the Archive papers of the OGS are included in CD-ROM format, and available for sale at a regular price of \$120. The CD-ROMs can be purchased at the website:

WWW.AAPG.ORG

All the individual papers also are online for search-and-retrieval at the AAPG/Datapages Combined Publications Archives website. Non-subscribers can access these at our Transactional (pay-per-view) website:

<http://payperview.datapages.com/>



Figure Caption: Grand Lake St. Marys, near Celina, Ohio, may have been the site of the first overwater drilling operation of oil-and-gas wells. Starting in 1891, the drilling of oil-and-gas wells of the Lima-Indiana fields extended into the lake. Over 100 wells had been drilled into the lake by the time the field was abandoned after 1910.

Ohio Geological Society Publications

The in-print publications of the Ohio Geological Society may be purchased from the Ohio Division of Geological Survey. Members of the Society receive a discount; the member price is in parentheses (M:). For more information on the Society, write the Ohio Geological Society, P.O. Box 14304, Columbus, OH 43214.

OGS 4. Clinton sandstone papers presented at the Ohio Oil and Gas Association Winter Meetings 1961 to 1978 (abridged reprint of 1980 volume). 228 p., 1985. \$25.00 (M: \$20.00).

OGS 5. The new Clinton collection--1985, edited by Jack Gray, Andy Maslowski, Warren McCullough, and W. E. Shafer (2nd printing). This edition includes a transcript of "Deeper Clinton-Medina drilling in southeastern Ohio" from a March 1986 Ohio Geological Society meeting. 257 p., 1985. \$25.00 (M: \$20.00).

OGS 7. Computer-aided analysis of geologic data, edited by Lawrence H. Wickstrom. A collection of papers from a seminar presented at the 1987 AAPG Eastern Section meeting. 100 p., 1987. \$15.00 (M: \$12.00).

OGS 8. Maps and cross sections of the Cambrian and Lower Ordovician of central Ohio, by G. G. Shearrow. 31 p., 8 pls., 1987. \$12.00 (M: \$10.00).

OGS 10. The Ohio Geological Society anthology, the Morrow County, Ohio "oil boom" 1961-1967 and the Cambro-Ordovician reservoir of central Ohio, edited by William E. Shafer. 452 p., 1994. \$25.00 (M: \$20.00).

OGS 14. Ohio Geological Society Fifth Annual Technical Symposium. Proceedings from the November 1997 technical symposium held in Akron, Ohio. 11 papers. 117 p., 1997. \$25.00 (M: \$20.00).

OGS 15. Petroleum seismology in the digital age. Course notes from the Ohio Geological Society's 3-D Seismic Seminar presented at the 1998 AAPG Eastern Section meeting. \$20.00 (M: \$15.00).

OGS 17. Into the new millennium: The changing face of exploration in the Knox play. Proceedings from the Sixth Annual Fall Symposium held in Akron, Ohio, October 1999. 16 papers. 120 p., 1999. \$25.00 (M: \$20.00).

To order any of the Society's publications contact: The Geologic Records Center, Ohio Division of Geological Survey, 2045 Morse Road, Columbus, Ohio 43229-6693. Telephone (614) 265-6576. FAX: (614) 447-1918. E-mail: geo.survey@dnr.state.oh.us.