



MESSAGE FROM THE CSUR CHAIRMAN AND PRESIDENT

August 20, 2018

To our valued members:

As we're in the second half of August, it's time to give some thought to regrouping and refocusing our efforts for the time of year that isn't summer. At CSUR, we haven't had much time to put our feet up as we've been busy planning an extensive line-up of fall events. CSUR will be delivering 12 events in the three-month span from mid-September to mid-December. While all of these will be announced individually, we feel our members may find it useful to hold some dates open by viewing the full spectrum of what will be on offer.

Here's what you can look forward to over the next few months:

- September 14th: For those interested in the Bakken-equivalent Exshaw and lower Banff of the southern Alberta Rockies and Foothills, CSUR's Annual Fall Field Trip will take you to the Moose Mountain area. This trip will be led by Dr. Barry Richards of the Geological Survey Canada. Space for this event will be limited.
- September 19th: For those with interest in increasing efficiency with informed decisions using pressure-based fracture maps, CSUR's Member's Only Technical Luncheon is for you. The presentation will be given by Sudhendu Kashikar, CEO of Reveal Energy Services.
- September 28th: The second of two sessions exploring the critical issues affecting Unconventional Resource Development Competitiveness in the WCSB. This session will address the Service, Partnership & Academic perspectives. *(Registration is NOW open and you have 'first dibs'!!). This will sell out so register early!*
- October 4th: **The Alberta Montney Resource Day**. This full-day session will discuss current exploration strategies and new technical developments in the Alberta Montney play. (Registration opening in September)

- October 24 – 26th: CSUR is pleased to join with the Canadian Induced Seismicity committee to present the Banff 2018 International Induced Seismicity Workshop. Registration is open. Please view the program [HERE](#).
- October 27th: This optional field trip will be open to everyone (not just those who attend the Banff workshop). This exciting [Canadian Rockies Tour](#) **will be led by Dr. David Eaton** of the University of Calgary, and will take you to Johnston Canyon, Storm Mountain for lunch and finally an afternoon at the hot pools of Radium Hot Springs! (Registration is open)
- November 1st: **The Duvernay Resource Play – An Update**. This full-day workshop will be exploring numerous aspects of the three sub-plays within the Duvernay Resource Play. The workshop will include numerous presentations from operators such as Shell Canada and Chevron Canada. (Registration opening in early October).
- November 2nd: **BC Government Update Event** - CSUR is pleased to continue with our Annual visit from the BC Government's Deputy Minister Dave Nikolejsin and the delegation from the Ministry of Mines, Energy, and Petroleum Resources as well as the BC Oil and Gas Commission. (Registration opening in early October).
- November 15th: Due to the overwhelming popularity of this sell-out event in March, CSUR is pleased to repeat its **Advanced Technology & Core Workshop – The 3 Duvernay Sub-Plays!** We promise to add a few exciting new additions to this day! (Registration opening in mid-October)
- November 21st: Another event which sold out at the beginning of 2018 is being brought back by popular demand! **Data and Data Analytics Session II for Upstream Oil & Gas**. This full-day event will explore the foundation to innovation (Infrastructure, Access & Quality); Case Studies for Adopting Analytics and their Practical Application as well as Innovation/Efficiency & its Application to Oil & Gas. (Registration opening in mid-October)
- November 22nd & December 13th: Save the date for these **Members' Only Technical Luncheons**. Topic and presenters are being firmed up right now. (Registration opens approximately one month before each event)
- December 6th: Our annual **BC Montney Resource Play Workshop**. Sessions this year will include a view from the top with the BC MEMPR & the BC OGC as well as an in-depth play assessment from IHS Markit. The workshop will also hear from numerous operators in the BC Montney, as well as new research presentations from Nanometrics and Geoscience BC. (Registration opens in early November)

Details for all the events currently open for registration may be found in [CSUR's Events Calendar](#).

In addition to the events mentioned above which are delivered to our members, CSUR also provides events to audiences on behalf of our members. Our Outreach program, which was piloted in Q4, 2017, is continuing to broaden its reach based upon the tremendous response we have received from the audiences we presented to in 2017. So far in 2018 CSUR has delivered 12 Outreach presentations ranging from student groups to foreign delegations, to government agencies as well as a member company's non-technical staff. We're now in the process of firming up a fall schedule of at least a half-dozen more presentations across Canada that will be delivered before year end.

Should you wish to learn more about CSUR's Outreach program and how it could complement your company's efforts in delivering factual, unbiased technical information about our Unconventional Resource Sector, please get in touch.

Thank you for your ongoing support, participation and engagement. We look forward to an exciting fall schedule.

On behalf of the Board and Executive,

Yours truly,



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Chairman



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