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Hello David,

First of all, sorry for the last-minute nature of this email. System problems. Anyway, here is news that you can use before you lose yourself at the OTC this week. First, we have a specially-prepared list of all of the geoscience-related presentations and events at the show for you [here](#). Next, if you're among the 35-and-younger crowd, be sure to attend [The Next Wave](#), a program for young professionals at the OTC on Wednesday, May 5.

After the OTC, Texas A&M is hosting two free events that you won't want to miss. First, there is the [Short Course in Microbial Carbonates](#) on Tuesday, May 11, followed by a [Research Conference and Workshop](#) on Wednesday, May 12. Did I mention that both are free? The AEG is also hosting a special event on subsidence, sea-level rise and the [Future of the Gulf Coast](#) that includes presentations, a field trip, dinner and a fishing tournament. All this is scheduled May 13-15.

On the HGS side, don't forget to sign up for the [Shrimp Peel](#) on May 15, and [Guest Night](#) on May 22. Where can you enjoy full evenings of food and entertainment for just \$30 each? Add to that the horse racing at the Shrimp Peel, and an exclusive IMAX movie premier of ARABIA 3D at Guest Night, and you have two unique value-packed events to break the monotony of a typical night out without breaking the bank.

Stay tuned for another email on the HGS lunches and dinners coming up in May. In the meantime, have a great time at the OTC and these other great events.



[OTC: AAPG, SEG, and SME Sessions](#)

Day: May 3-6, 2010

Location: Reliant Arena

Summary: Here is a list of **all of the geoscience-related presentations and events at the 2010 OTC**. Click [here](#) to download a PDF of the list.

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[OTC: The Next Wave - A Program for Young Professionals](#)

Day: Wednesday 5-May-10 9AM to 2PM plus evening reception

Location: OTC Theater at Reliant Arena

Summary: The Next Wave provides **career insights for professionals 35 years of age and younger**, who are looking to grow their role within the offshore E&P industry. A ticket includes admission to the evening reception.

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[Texas A&M: Pre-Conference Short Course on Microbial Carbonates \(Free\)](#)

Sponsor: Berg-Hughes Center

Speaker's Name: Ernest A. Mancini, Professor, Texas A&M University

Day: Tuesday 11-May-10 8:30AM to 4:30PM

Location: Texas A&M University Campus, Pebble Creek Country Club College Station, TX

Summary: Learn how to **explore and develop microbial build-ups** at this free short course, which is given prior to the free research conference (see companion event below).

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[Texas A&M: Berg-Hughes Center Research Conference and Workshop \(Free\)](#)

Sponsor: Berg-Hughes Center

Speaker's Name: Various; Texas A&M

Day: Wednesday 12-May-10 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Location: Texas A&M, Pebble Creek Country Club College Station, TX

Summary: See a **review of research and new educational initiatives** in petroleum and sedimentary systems with the departments of Geology and Geophysics, Petroleum Engineering and Oceanography and within the Berg-Hughes Center at this free event.

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[AEG Conference on Modern Subsidence, Sea-Level Rise, and the Future of the Gulf Coast](#)

Speaker's Name: Dr. Roy Dokka, Executive Director, Center for Geoinformatics, LSU

Day: Thursday 13-May-10 8:30AM to Saturday 15-May-10 5:30PM

Location: The San Luis Resort Galveston, TX

Summary: This event includes **keynote presentations, a poster session, a field trip (with dinner afterwards) and a saltwater fishing tournament** the day before the conference.

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HGS Shrimp Peel

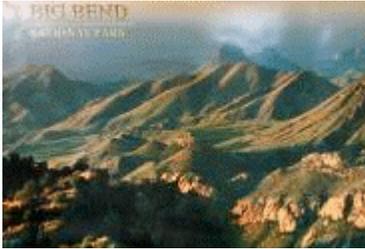
Sponsors: Knowledge Reservoir, Subsurface Computer Modeling, ODS, CGGVeritas, Shell, SMT, PGS, IHS, Statoil, and Petrophysical Solutions

Day: Saturday 15-May-10 6-10PM

Location: Sam Houston Race Park 7275 N. Sam Houston Pkwy. West Houston, TX

Summary: **Join us for boiled shrimp, beer & beverages, horse races, music, door prizes, and more boiled shrimp. Don't miss this annual favorite. Where can you have this much fun for \$30?**

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HGS 2010 Annual Guest Night

Sponsors: BHP Billiton, TGS, SMT, SCA, Fairfield Nodal, BP, Schlumberger

Speaker's Name: Patricia Wood Dickerson, PhD, Jackson School of Geosciences, UT Austin

Day: Saturday 22-May-10 5:45-10:00PM

Location: Houston Museum of Natural Science One Hermann Circle Drive Houston, TX 77030

Summary: **The 2010 Annual HGS Guest Night will be an evening of great conversations and food while sitting in the museum exhibits areas, special activities, a feature presentation on Big Bend and an exclusive Houston premiere of "ARABIA 3D," a new 3D IMAX movie and 22 door prizes!**

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