



"Gustavo Sclocchi" Theses Awards 2006

for Philosophy Doctors, University and Diploma Graduates
with Degree in Petroleum Engineering and Geo-Sciences

1. In order to encourage and reward university and diploma graduates who specialise in petroleum engineering and geo-sciences, the SPE (Society of Petroleum Engineers - Italian Section), the EAGE (European Association of Geoscientists & Engineers) and Assomineraria (Associazione Mineraria Italiana - Hydrocarbon and Geothermal Sector) are glad to announce the 14th Theses Award.
2. All university and diploma graduates from Italian universities and Italians graduating abroad, who are completing their courses not after than October 31th 2006, are entitled to submit their work for the award. The award is also extended to PhD's who have completed their research thesis in the same period.
3. The theses must cover subjects related to Hydrocarbon and Geothermal Exploration & Production activities:

Geology, Geophysics and Formation Evaluation
Wells Drilling and Completion
Reservoirs Engineering
Production and Transport
Health, Safety and Environment
Energy Economics

4. The instructions for participation to the contest are detailed in the "Theses Award" section of www.speitaly.org. Candidates must comply with the indicated deadlines:

Contact Information and Abstract – deadline October 1st
Complete electronic copy of the thesis – deadline October 31st
Graduation Certificate– before the Award Ceremony

5. Any question can be addressed to:

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6. The Board of Directors of the SPE Italian Section, the EAGE Board and the Board of Directors of Assomineraria jointly appoint the Evaluation Committee, which is composed of experts in the above disciplines. The Evaluation Committee shall select a maximum of eight theses considered to be the most worthy of receiving the Award. Their decision is final and not subject to appeal.
7. **Each thesis will receive a prize of € 1,500 (Euro one thousand five hundred).** Moreover, a mention of each award-winning thesis will be published in the «SPE Bulletin» of the Italian Section, in the «EAGE First Break» and in the «Assomin Bulletin». The Award ceremony will take place in December 2006.

SPE
Italian Section Chairman
Luigi Salvador

Assomineraria
Pres. Settore Idrocarburi e Geotermia
Giordano Serena

EAGE
President

1. In order to participate to the contest, **ALL the following information must be submitted** by using the downloadable forms:

NOT LATER THAN OCTOBER 1ST

- a. Contact information
email address
telephone number (if available, cellular number)
home address
- b. Abstract of the theses (two pages max, in English or Italian)
- c. Reference for the Dean of the Faculty (email and post address)
Reference for the assisting professors (email and post address)

NOT LATER THAN OCTOBER 31

- d. Complete electronic copy of the thesis, in english or italian, (accepted formats: MS Word and Acrobat)

BEFORE CEREMONY

- e. Document attesting the date and place of graduation – by fax +39 02 520 63829 before the Award Ceremony

It must be noticed that Abstracts have significant impact on the evaluation process, so that a careful and accurate writing contributes to the thesis appreciation.