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AAPG PDPU STUDENT CHAPTER ACTIVITY REPORT 2017-18

About PDPU

Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University is the the first Ranked university by NIRF in the state of gujrat and one of the emerging landmark in the domain of energy and management Worldwide with the motto of "Reservoir of Knowledge". The university has accredited with Grade A by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council and is Recognized by University Commission and is a member of Association of Indian Universities. PDPU has also been awarded Scientific & Industrial Research Organization (SIRO) recognition by Department of Scientific and Industrial Research, Ministry of Science & Technology, Government of India. Currently the university is awarded with Autonomy status by MHRD.



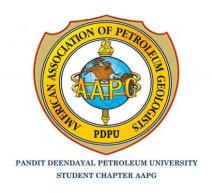
About SPT

School of Petroleum Technology which is constituent school of Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University was started in the year 2007 with an objective to provide excellent academic programme Petroleum in Engineering. The School has been promoted by Gujarat State Petroleum Corporation Ltd. (GSPC) a Gujarat government undertaking, which is a leader in the energy sector. The vision with which the school was started was to impart knowledge to the young minds and develop capable resources to be offered to the oil and gas industry in the form of skilled manpower. The school's strong partnerships with regional government bodies and research institutes like IRS-ONGC, GSPC, and ISR etc. opens wide opportunities for researchers and academicians to get involved in the world class research which helps them to grow and excel in their professional career.



About AAPG PDPU STUDENT CHAPTER

AAPG is one of the world's largest professional geological societies which works to advance The science of geology. AAPG-PDPU Student Chapter aims to setup a geosciences community at the university and engage academia, students, industry into a strong relationship to faster growth in the field of Geology and allied sciences. AAPG seeks to provide its members myriad opportunities and training to enhance their skills and technical expertise to advance their professional aptitude. The Student Chapter aspires to achieve its objectives by conducting a series of workshops, lectures, conferences, case studies, distinguished lectures, field trips, exhibitions along with competitions such as paper/poster presentations.



Extempore and Elocution competition

AAPG PDPU student chapter successfully conducted 'Extempore and Elocution competition' event on 21st September,2017. This informal event was for all the students of SPT, PDPU. The judges for this event were 1) Mr Shishir Chandra and 2) Ms. Debanjali Mallick. This event consists of two rounds. First round was 'Extempore' in which each participant was provided one topic on which they had to share their view for a maximum span of two minutes. The topics allotted to participants were mostly based on oil and gas and petroleum industry relevant. Out of 18 participants, 8 participants were selected for second round which was 'Elocution'. In second round each participant were given a topic ' How to solve oil price crises' on which they could speak for 5 minutes. At the end of each participant's speech, the remaining participants were allowed to counter questions. Out of these 8 students, 2 students were selected as winners. Tirth Raval (3rd year SPT) stood in first position and Karan Patel (3rd year SPT) stood in second position, The cash prizes were given to the winner candidates worth 1000 RS.. After participant's speech, Judge of the event, Mr. Shishir Chandra discussed on the topic "How to solve oil price crises' and explained everyone about the closest approaches on solving oil price crises. At the end of event, judges were offered memento by Mr. Akshar Thakkar, Team Member-AAPG.

Guest lecture on "WORKOVER OPERATIONS"

On 13 November, AAPG PDPU SC conducted a guest lecture on "Workover Services and Practices" for all the students of SPT. Mr. Khamosh Patel was the speaker who works as Assistant Executive Engineer(Production) in ONGC and has a good experience in the domain of workover services in Cambay asset. Mr.Patel elaborated on very deep insights of the various workover techniques and practices involved in ONGC which enlighten the curious students. He also discussed about current scenario in oil industry and encouraged the young minds. At the end of the session AAPG presented a memento to Mr. Khamosh Patel as an act of appreciation.

