

Candidate for Vice President



Arthur (Art) D. Donovan

Education:

BS	Biology & Geology	University of Rochester
MS	Geology	John Hopkins
PhD	Geology	Colorado School of Mines

Experience:

2008-present	BP North America Gas: Senior Geoscience Advisor
2004-2007	BP Exploration: Exploration Technical Assurance Team
2000-2003	BP Upstream Technology Group: Sed/Strat Discipline Lead
1984-2000	Exxon Production Research: Sequence Strat Specialist & Team Lead
1978-80	USGS: Eastern Regional Team Geologist

Professional Affiliations:

American Association of Petroleum Geologists
American Geophysical Union
Geologic Society
Houston Geological Society
Society of Exploration Geophysicist
Society of Economic Paleontologists & Mineralogists

Professional Activities:

2008	GCAGS Technical Program Chair
2007-present	Adjunct Professor of Geology & Geophysics TAMU
2005-present	Member North American Commission Stratigraphic Nomenclature
2004-present	AAPG International Conference Committee
1995-present	GSA Sequence Stratigraphy for Graduate Students Short Course Instructor
1990-present	Technical Session Chair: GSA, AAPG, & SEPM
1980-present	Over 50 published technical abstracts and papers
2001-2003	SEPM Nominations Committee
2001-2003	GSA Professional Development Committee
1999-2001	Chair SEPM Sequence Stratigraphy Research Group

Statement:

The primary role of the HGS vice-president is to organize and coordinate the technical programs for the society's lunch and dinner meeting series. I believe my technical

background, knowledge of petroleum exploitation from basins around the world, experience in assembling technical sessions for various societies, as well as my geoscience peer network would allow me to continue the HGS tradition of technical program excellence. If given the honor and opportunity by the members, I would strive to develop cutting edge, timely, and informative technical programs which serve the needs and interests of members of the society. Talks on new play types, non-conventional and challenging reservoirs, industry trends, as well as step changes in technology will be central themes of the technical program I would assemble.