

# Candidate for Secretary



**Amy E. Sullivan**

## **Education:**

University of Iowa M.S. Geology (1986)  
University of Iowa B.S. Geology (1983)  
University of Iowa, B.A. Archeology and Anthropology (1978),  
University of California at Bakersfield, Total Quality Management (1994-1995)

## **Experience:**

2001 – present	Shell International E&P, Brazil and Egypt deep-water appraisal and development, Senior Staff Geologist and Team Lead
1999 – 2001	ExxonMobil Production Company, Venezuela Orinoco Heavy Oil Belt – Senior Staff Geologist
1997-1999	Mobil New Exploration Ventures, Peru Camisea appraisal – Staff Geologist
1990 – 1997	Mobil – San Joaquin heavy oil fields (Midway Sunset, Belridge) – Staff Geologist
1986 – 1990	Mobil – Kansas Hugoton Field – Production Geologist

## **Professional Affiliations:**

AAPG, HGS, GSA, SEG, SEPM

## **Professional Awards:**

1985 – American Association of Stratigraphic Palynologists, L.R. Wilson Best Student Paper

## **Professional Activities:**

2008 – 2010	AAPG Energy Minerals Division (EMD) Secretary
2008 – 2009	GCSSEPM Corporate Representative
2008	AAPG Annual Convention – EMD Short Course and Field Trip Chair
2006	AAPG Annual Convention - EMD Short Course and Field Trip Co-Chair
2003 and 2004	HGS Earth Science Week Volunteer
2001	Joined HGS!
1995-1996	SPWLA Publicity Officer for San Joaquin Well Logging Society
1994	Mobil, Bakersfield CA, United Way Chairperson

**Statement:**

Why would I consider running for an HGS office? Having contributed to the annual AAPG conventions, especially in 2006 when HGS was the host society, I have received enormous personal and professional benefits. Now it is my turn to bring this experience back into HGS. The HGS Secretary records the monthly Board meetings and stewards the Membership Committee. I am very willing to document HGS activities. Over the years and in many venues I have been involved in recruiting and mentoring of interns, new and experienced hires thus my commitment to engaging new members is strong. I would really like to serve as your HGS Secretary.

Members of HGS welcomed and involved me in professional volunteer work when I joined in 2001. Because of this inclusion from HGS colleagues and their encouragement to volunteer in small ways I have become further involved in supporting geoscience professional organizations. Networking and understanding industry dynamics provides perspective to our changing industry.