

SPWLA France Chapter Quarterly information letter

Dear friends of SPWLA France chapter,

The coming months look very inspiring!

At **SPWLA level**, the board of directors is being renewed and you have until April 1st to take part to the vote. Then, the SPWLA spring 2019 topical conference will take place in Houston from April 2nd to 3rd about "Challenges of High Angle and Horizontal wells". In June, 3 interesting events to come: the annual symposium in The Woodlands of course, followed by the NMR and PDDA SIGs conferences. If you cannot move to the USA, you also have the opportunity to follow interesting monthly webinars and regional conferences!

At **SPWLA France level**, the program is also quite busy! Next April 17th, we are happy to invite you to an afternoon at the Schlumberger Auditorium, Tour Palatin, La Défense, about *Unconventional Formation Evaluation* with a SPWLA distinguished speaker, Alberto ORTIZ from YPF S.A. coming from Argentina (WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED FROM THE PETROPHYSICAL EVALUATION OF THE VACA MUERTA FORMATION IN THE LAST 5 YEARS OF UNCONVENTIONAL SHALE PLAY DEVELOPMENT), followed by presentations with TOTAL and Schlumberger speakers. After that, in June, the board will ask all members to vote for the new SPWLA France logo, new status / by-laws and to renew the board. We can also officially announce a joint event during the SCA annual symposium in Pau at the end of August (https://www.scaweb.org/sca-annual-symposium/), but we keep the surprise! Later information to come... in a brand new SPWLA France website http://spwla-france.fr/. In the meantime, the information is still available on https://la-said.org.

We are sure you will enjoy this beautiful program. To take part to the technical sessions, meet your colleagues and share delightful moments talking about petrophysics, you have to register on SPWLA web site as affiliated member, then register by sending an email to : vice-president@la-said.org and specify if you will attend the session at the SLB auditorium or if you want to follow by web internet link. An invitation will then be sent to you.

To register on SPWLA website , the procedure is explained on next page.

There are, basically, four types of membership with different benefits – cf. SPWLA affiliation levels slide p. 3:

- *Affiliate member*: free. The only benefit this type of member has is to attend the SPWLA France events. No right to vote or to run for election.
- Student member: reduced fee (US\$ 15) with full benefits except voting
- *Tier member*: reduced fee (US\$ 40) for low income members (< 40k\$ Annual) . Full benefits
- *Professional member*: fee = US\$ 100. Full benefit (vote and running for election), free digital PETROPHYSICS, free webinars, rebate on annual symposium subscription

In order to have right to vote to the coming SPWLA France board election in June and be candidate to the Conseil d'Administration, the SPWLA France Chapter board strongly recommends you to adhere <u>as</u> <u>Professional or Tier member</u>. No extra fee will be asked by SPWLA France.

We need your support and we are sure you will enjoy taking part to the life of our association.

Meet you very soon at SPWLA France

On behalf of the SPWLA France Chapter board

Emmanuel CAROLI – SPWLA France president

Membership renewal procedure to SPWLA France:

To be a professional member of "SPWLA France chapter", you have to be a "Professional" member of SPWLA.

On SPWLA web site:

<u>Step 1:</u> www.spwla.org -> Membership-> Become a member -> Professionnal -> Become a member -> Create an account

<u>Step 2:</u> Select the chapter "France (SAID)" and pay on line the annual fee.

You will then benefit of the following: Petrophysical Journal (Digital copies), Technical Paper discounts (Digital discounts), Free monthly Webinars, Discount on registration to the annual symposium, Free subscription to SPWLA technical videos, right to vote and to run for election at SPWLA and local chapter.

<u>**To be an Affiliate member**</u> of "France SPWLA Chapter", but without the right to vote to the local chapter election and without possibility to apply to be a member of the board.

On the SPWLA web site:

<u>Step 1:</u> www.spwla.org -> Membership-> Become a member -> Become a Chapter affiliate -> Create an account

<u>Step 2:</u> select the chapter "France (SAID), without paying any fee.

You will only benefit from the right to attend local events.

Note that you will have to be either member or, at least, affiliate ember to attend next SPWLA France technical sessions.

SPWLA Member Benefit





SPWLA Membership Type. Join www.spwla.org

PROFESSIONAL.

- \$100/year.
- Full SPWLA benefit.

PROFESSIONAL TIER II

- \$40/year.
- Full SPWLA benefit.
- Only for low income members (<40k USD/year).

NON-MEMBER

- Free
- No benefit.
- For event registration only.

STUDENT

- \$15/year with limited free membership sponsored by Baker Hughes.
- Full benefit except voting in professional chapter and international organization.

CHAPTER AFFILIATE

- Free.
- Attending local chapter meetings.
- Only local chapter benefit.