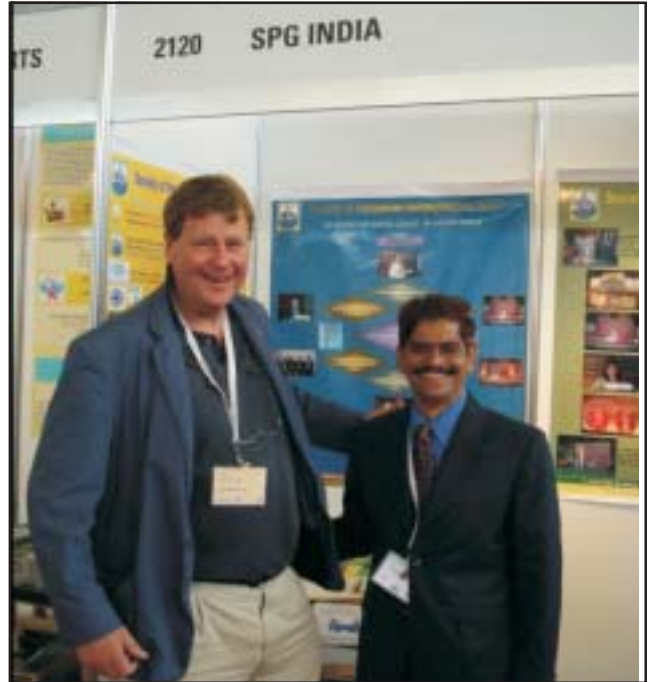


SPG at EAGE 2009, Amsterdam.

SPG, India has now been participating at international level in various conferences. At last EAGE conference at Amsterdam SPG executives members Mr.P.Vidya Sagar and Mr.Dipendu Saha managed the society's stall during the conference.



Venue of EAGE 2009 conference



Prof. Patrick Corbett with Mr Vidya Sagar

The response from the visitors was overwhelming. The visitors included almost the entire gamut of industry viz. students, faculty, E&P industry professionals, business managers etc., The visitors were informed about various activities that SPG India promotes and encourages in the field of Geo sciences by way of conducting seminars, distinguished lectures, quiz programs, through publication of journal "Geohorizons".

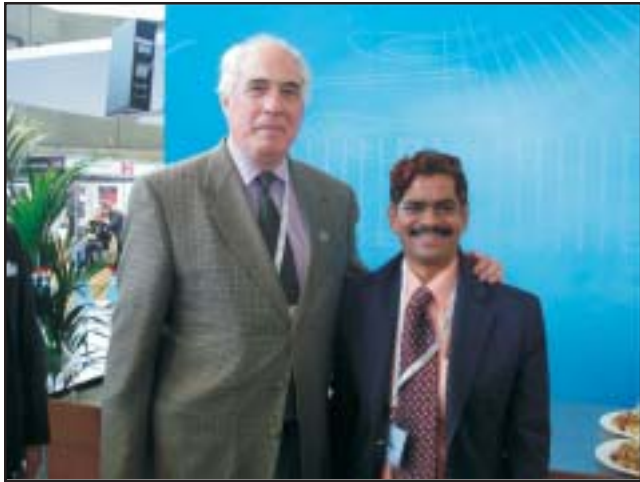
Shri D.K Pande, Director (Exploration) ONGC and patron SPG India Ltd also visited the SPG booth. Another distinguished visitor Prof. Patrick Corbett, Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh, UK lauded the role of SPG, India which he felt ,has been contributing a lot in furthering the cause of petroleum geo-sciences in the region. He shall be visiting Ahmedabad in August 2009 to give one distinguished instructor course on "Petroleum geoengineering: Integration of static and dynamic models".



D K Pande Patron, SPG with SPG executives



Students visiting SPG India booth



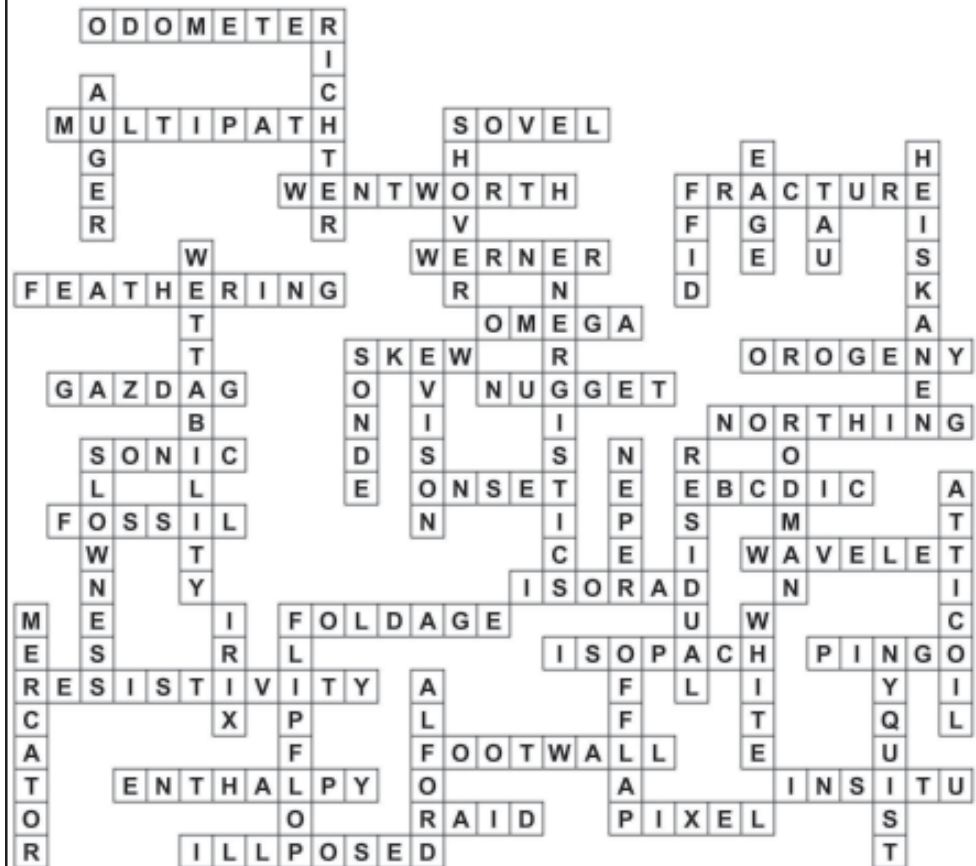
Leon Thomsen, Past President SEG, USA during meeting with SPG executives

Many of the visitors showed keen interest in knowing about SPG activities and were eager to become members. In fact, special care was taken for those visitors who are from university faculties. Their business cards were collected and contact details were noted in the book so that these faculty members can be contacted for organizing future lecture courses in their field of expertise.



The two SPG delegates also attended the SEG meeting held on . The executive body of SEG while presenting the activities , appreciated and acknowledged the presence of SPG, India members. They expressed their happiness at the current level of coordination and cooperation with SPG India and wished to strengthen it further so as to enhance their presence in India.

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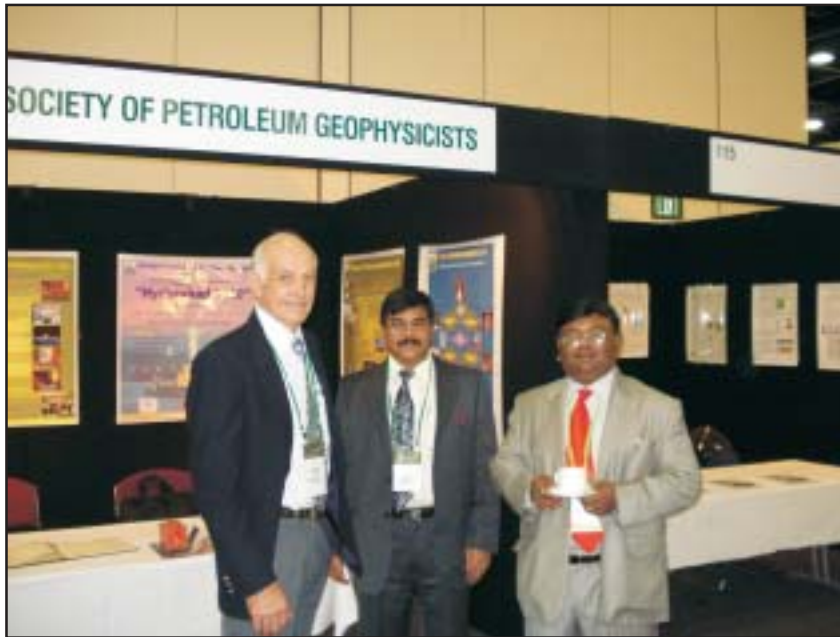


SPG at ASEG, Adelaide, Australia

Rohit Sinha, Secretary, SPG India along with S Panigrahi, Secretary, SPG Jorhat Chapter, represented the society at 20th International Geophysical Conference and Exhibition of Australian Society of Exploration Geophysicists (ASEG) from 22 – 25 February, 2009 at Adelaide, Australia.

SPG India put up a stall during conference showcasing the activities of society in general and coming

biennial conference Hyderabad2010 in particular. SPG executives also held talks with ASEG executive body to address issues of mutual cooperation. ASEG will put up a booth at Hyderabad2010.



Rohit Sinha, Secretary SPG and S Panigrahi, Secretary Jorhat chapter with Mr. Bouma at ASEG, 2009, Adelaide, Australia.

SEG Spring 2009 distinguished lecture in India

SEG Spring 2009 Distinguished Lecture series on “*Integrating Seismic Acquisition and Processing*” by Mr. Jack Bouska, BP Corporation, Muscat, Oman was organized

by SPG, India at Kolkata, Jorhat, Chennai, Vadodara and Mumbai on 20th January, 22th January, 24th January, 27th January and 28th January, 2009 respectively.



Mr Jack Bouska delivering SEG Distinguished Lecture at Kolkata.



Mr Apurba Saha, President SPG India welcomes Jack Bouska on the occasion of SEG Distinguished lecture at Kolkata

SPG student chapter now at Jadavpur University, Kolkata

A new SPG Student Chapter at Jadavpur University was inaugurated on 4th June, 2009 by Mr. Apurba Saha, President of SPG, India in the presence of Prof. S K Nag, HOD, Geological Science & Co-ordinator, Centre of Advance Studies, JU, Prof. R K Majumdar, JU, Dr. Anupam Ghosh, JU, Shri S K Mukherjee, SPG member of Kolkata Chapter and students of Jadavpur university. This chapter has 66 members including two faculty members.

During the inaugural ceremony, President SPG, India appraised the brief history of SPG and objectives of the society towards students. He also suggested that two

technical talks related to reservoir geology & development geology shall be organised by SPG student chapter.

Further, he also informs that all the correspondences related to participation of JU students in forthcoming SPG conference "Hyderabad 2010" will be informed to Student Chapter. In order to create awareness for geophysics among budding geoscientists, SPG will sponsor student in abroad for SEG conference, if his/her technical paper is accepted for presentation. SPG provides grant for technical books to student chapter for wider dissemination of knowledge in the field of geophysical exploration and exploitation.



Editor, Geohorizon in SEG honorary lecture programme at Taiwan

CH Mehta, Editor In-Chief, was at Chia-Yi, Taiwan to give lecture on "Significance of Fresnel Zones for seismic reflection prospecting" during 2009 Annual Congress of

Chinese Geophysical Society and Geological Society of Taiwan. This lecture was arranged under the auspices of SEG Honorary Lecture Program, and was sponsored by Shell.



Prof. Howei Chen, National Central University, Taiwan, introducing Dr C H Mehta , SEG Honorary Lecturer to audience.

Dr. C H Mehta interacting with audience at Taiwan.