



Coordination Committee 2012-2015

Committees Updates

PGCA – Study Group 4 Environmental Aspects of Unconventional Gas

Yamburg, February 2015



Progress Report:

- **Triennium deliverables (Paper)**
- **Call for Papers**
- **WGC 2015 participation:**
 - ✓ **Strategic Panel on Unconventional Gas**
 - ✓ **SG4 Sessions: Thematic and Interactive**

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Triennium deliverables (Paper)

- The paper will be a balanced report where both the *hard* topics (technology improvements, operational best practices, etc.), and the *soft* topics (community engagement, communications, etc.) will be addressed
- The intention is to lay the foundations of a more in-depth study for the next triennium
- Key sources:
 1. Reports from diverse angles: investors, litigation records, technical and market
 2. Recent survey conducted by ICF International
- Executive Summary, index and paper structure have been defined

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Call for Papers

- After reallocating the papers not pertaining to PGCA-SG4, there remained 16 candidates to select from
- A selection criteria was established based upon:
 - Relevance/Interest
 - Solid, well supported argument
 - Originality
- The results were:
 - 10 papers approved
 - 4 papers rejected
 - 2 papers in stand-by (later rejected)
- Origin: Algeria, Australia, France, India, Iran, UK and USA

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WGC 2015 participation:

➤ Strategic Panel on Unconventional Gas

- o Strategic Panel 10 – Thursday 4/6, 15:15-16:45
- o In cooperation with WOC1
- o Roles defined:
 - Chair: Denis Krambeck Dinelli (WOC1)
 - Moderator: Gabriela Rosello (PGCA)
 - Assisting Moderator: Marcos Sugaya (WOC1)
- o Speakers confirmed:
 1. Ernesto Lopez Anadón
 2. Other speakers to be discussed and defined between the French authorities, WOC1 and PGCA

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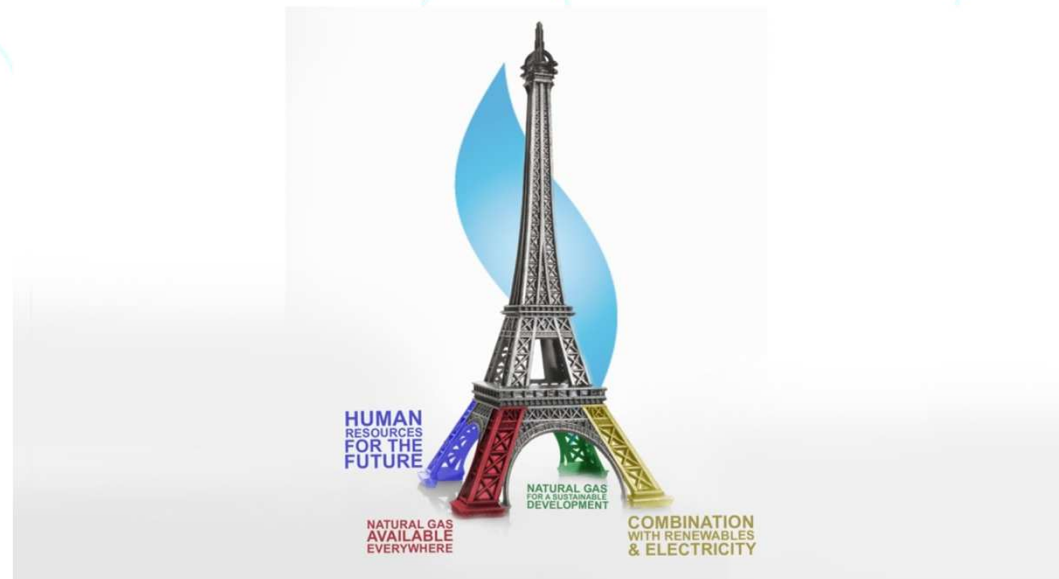
WGC 2015 participation:

➤ SG4 Sessions: Thematic and Interactive

- The speakers for both sessions have been selected from the authors of the approved papers from the Call for Papers
- **Thematic Session**, 5 speakers from France, USA and Australia will present the following topics:
 1. Exporting the USA shale gas experiences
 2. Clean hydraulic fracturing technology
 3. Water management
 4. Flow-back water handling
 5. Stakeholders collaboration strategies
- **Interactive Session**, 5 speakers from Iran, India, Algeria, UK and USA will be presenting on more generic issues of UG (economic, social, environmental, etc.)

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Spasibo!



(and see you in Paris...)