



PASC Monthly Mailer September 2010

We're Growing

Please join us in welcoming the following new members to the PASC professional community:

- **Annette Anderson** from ConocoPhillips Canada
- **Oladipo Delalu** from Compton Petroleum Corporation
- **Abdul Hirani** from Ambit Energy
- **Kim Munkler** from Statoil Canada Ltd.
- **Vittendra Nath Varma** from Talisman Energy
- **Claudette Tubman** from Villanova Oil Corp

PASC Appreciation Mixer and Annual General Meeting

At PASC we could not exist without the support of our volunteers and members. Each year, we like to show our appreciation by hosting a complimentary appreciation mixer. **Please join us at the Fairmont Palliser Hotel on Wednesday October 20, 2010 for our Annual General Meeting and Appreciation mixer. Lunch is on us!**

This event is an ideal opportunity to hear about PASC's programs and learn how to derive the maximum benefit from your PASC membership.

Although this event is free for members, we ask you to **pre-register at www.petroleumaccountants.com** to ensure a seat.

Final Weeks of Membership Renewal Drive

Have you renewed your membership yet? We're into the final push of our membership drive. Support PASC and its efforts to provide relevant and affordable courses, guidelines, resources and events that help you do your job! Please renew online today at <https://securegs.com/pasc/>.

Featured Volunteer Opportunity: Member Services Committee Members

Opportunities have opened up on our Member Services Committee. This is one of the most dynamic roles available at PASC. This role would be great for those who are new to the industry and want to get to know other petroleum accounting professionals. It would also be a good fit for a more seasoned PASC member who would like to share his or her experience with the membership.

Volunteering on the Member Services Committee is an excellent way to get to know PASC before getting involved in some of the other more demanding committees. Interested in exploring whether you're a fit? Call us at 403.262.4744.

Joint PASC/CAPPA/PJVA Seminar on 13 Month Adjustments

As part of PASC's ongoing efforts to increase collaboration amongst petroleum industry associations, we are jointly offering a one-day seminar on 13 Month Adjustments on November 15, 2010. This seminar always sells out, so **register online** as soon as possible.



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PASC 2010 Course Schedule

PASC courses are specifically designed to meet the needs of the petroleum accountant. Our courses were recently revised to ensure concise delivery of the most up-to-date information. Learn new skills or refresh your existing knowledge by registering for one of the following fall courses:

- **Introduction to Petroleum Accounting:** September 21 - 22, 2010
- **Equalizations Basics (half day):** October 13, 2010
- **Fixed Asset Accounting:** November 10, 2010
- **Production Analysis and Audit:** November 23 – 25, 2010

Brief descriptions, course dates and online registration can be found at www.petroleumaccountants.com

Online Courses

Can't make it to our classroom-based classes? PASC now offers the convenience of online courses. Register for one of these courses and complete the curriculum from the comfort of your own home or your favorite coffee shop.

- Introduction to Petroleum Accounting
- Business Ethics
- Leadership
- Project Logistics and Management

More information on our online courses can be found here: <http://pasc.basecorp.com/index.aspx?tabid=1>

Course Instructors and Developers

Interested in helping with course development or instruction? PASC will pay for your expertise. Opportunities exist in the following areas:

- Payout Accounting
- Asset Sale Agreement Accounting and Analysis
- Oil Sands Construction and Operating Accounting Issues
- Joint Venture Accounting (with regards to the Accounting Procedure)
- Auditing Procedures

Contact the PASC office at info@petroleumaccountants.com or (403) 262-4744 for more information.

IFRS Courses



Check out these IFRS seminars, which are offered by IASeminars in association with Deloitte & Touche. PASC members receive a **15% discount**, which is far greater savings than what is being offered by other organizations. Courses are delivered in Calgary.

- **Deloitte IFRS Hot Topics for Canadian Oil & Gas Entities:** September 20, 2010
- **Major IFRS and Canadian GAAP Differences:** September 21 - 22, 2010
- **Grant Thornton IFRS for Audit Committees:** September 21, 2010
- **IFRS Basics:** November 18, 2010
- **IFRS Implementation for Canadian Corporations:** November 22, 2010
- **IASB Management Commentary (MD&A Update):** November 24, 2010

For seminar and enrollment information: <http://www.iaseminars.com/en/pasc.html>



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See the PASC website, <http://www.petroleumaccountants.com/education/othercourses.php> for additional courses available to PASC members at discounted rates.

Please note: PASC does not endorse any specific external course or seminar; we simply aim to inform you of the available options. If you know of any courses or seminars that may be of interest to our membership please contact the PASC office.