



CONNECTING TOGETHER

Working with community organizations like yours is important to the PPDM Association. This communication has been developed to provide your organization and its members with highlight updates that they may find of interest. These ideas are short snippets, ideal for website updates, meeting notes, or newsletters.

If there is specific information your organization would be interested in updates on, please feel free to email communications@ppdm.org and we'll make every effort to include it in future editions.

IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS & DATES

- Certified Petroleum Data Analyst (CPDA)
 - Examination: Next Exam is May 10, 2017. Deadline to apply is March 29, 2017.
 - www.ppdm.org/certification
- 2017 Oklahoma City Data Management Workshop – May 2, 2017
 - Now accepting abstracts, sponsors and registrations
 - www.ppdm.org/okcdmw17
- 2017 Perth Data Management Workshop – August 10, 2017
 - Now accepting abstracts, sponsors and registrations
 - www.ppdm.org/perthdmw17
- 2017 Denver Data Management Workshop – September 26, 2017
 - Now accepting abstracts, sponsors and registrations.
 - www.ppdm.org/denverdmw17
- 2017 Calgary Data Management Symposium, Tradeshow & AGM – October 23-25, 2017
 - Now accepting abstracts, sponsors and registrations.
 - www.ppdm.org/calgarydms17

CERTIFICATION DEADLINE APPROACHING

Excitement is growing about the Certified Petroleum Data Analyst (CPDA) exam, especially as we are coming to see it more and more as a preferred qualification on job postings. The next exam is coming up on May 10 - be sure to have your application in by the March 29, 2017, deadline to save your spot.

PRIVATE TRAINING OPPORTUNITY

The PPDM Association offers more than 35 classes on the oil and gas industry, data management, the data model and more. We offer private training classes with our Certified Instructor, Pat Rhynes, who has more than 39 years' experience in the industry. Popular classes include 'What is a Well' and 'Business Life Cycle of the Well' and are great among data managers and their colleagues, providing a common language amongst peers.

FOUNDATIONS JOURNAL

Foundations, the Journal of the Professional Petroleum Data Management Association, recently released Volume 4, Issue 1, which is available for free after logging in on our website www.ppdm.org/publications. Interesting articles this edition include "Global Technology Trends" by Guy Holmes, "Ready in Advance" by Ted Wall and "From National Data Repository to Digital Energy Cloud" by Jaime Cruise.

YOUR EVENTS

Remember, PPDM is able to post our not-for-profit partner's events on our website. Simply email the details to events@ppdm.org!

The Professional Petroleum Data Management Association (PPDM) is the not for profit, global society that enables the development of professional data managers, engages them in community, and endorses a collective body of knowledge for data management across the oil and gas industry.

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