CONNECTING TOGETHER
Welcome to the June 2017 edition of Connecting Together – sharing some of PPDM’s latest activities that may interest your members.

IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS & DATES
▪ 2017 Perth Data Management Workshop & Field Trip – August 9-10, 2017
  ▪ Register now!
  ▪ www.ppdm.org/perthdmw17
▪ 2017 Denver Data Management Workshop – October 18, 2017
  ▪ Now accepting abstracts, sponsors and registrations.
  ▪ www.ppdm.org/denverdmw17
▪ Certified Petroleum Data Analyst (CPDA)
  ▪ Application deadline is September 27, 2017.
  ▪ Fall examination is November 8, 2017.
  ▪ www.ppdm.org/certification
▪ 2017 Calgary Data Management Symposium, Tradeshow & AGM – October 23-25, 2017
  ▪ Now accepting abstracts, sponsors and registrations.
  ▪ www.ppdm.org/calgarydms17

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!

FOUNDATIONS JOURNAL
Do you have a message or achievement you’d like to share with our global data management community? Did you know your organization can be in Foundations, the Journal of the Professional Petroleum Data Management Association? There are opportunities for partner organizations to write articles for Foundations. Send your ideas to foundations@ppdm.org and we can work together to spread the word of your hard work.

CERTIFICATION
Congratulations to the newest CPDAs! For those who may not yet know, the Certified Petroleum Data Analyst (CPDA) exam has been constructed upon the competencies expected of a petroleum data analyst with 3-5 years of combined education and experience. The exam is built on eight competency areas: Data Governance, Data Analysis, Data Quality Management, Data Security, Spatial Data, E&P Life-Cycle Processes, Master Data Management, and Communication. Certification as a Petroleum Data Analyst demonstrates to employers, clients and colleagues an established level of expertise in the petroleum data management domain, and a unique skill set to bring success to data management projects. The deadline to apply for the November 8 exam is September 27, 2017, and you can learn more at www.ppdm.org/certification.

PERTH DATA MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP
The Perth Data Management Workshop has recently added an exciting field trip to the Perth Core Library as a part of the activities available with the Workshop. The field trip will take place the afternoon of August 9, with the workshop featuring presentations, an interactive activity and networking opportunities on August 10, 2017. The agenda is now available, this is an event you won’t want to miss! www.ppdm.org/perthdmw17.

WELL MILESTONE SURVEY
Thank you to everyone who filled out the Well Milestone survey! The results are all being analyzed and some interesting trends are already emerging. Look for the results soon!

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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