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Speaker: Don French

Ciannis Exploration, Billings, MT

Title: Mississippian Clastic Strata of the Great Basin: Refinement and Correlation based on Subsurface Data, New Geochemistry, and Petrography

Place: Ramada Reno Hotel

1000 East 6th Street, Reno, Nevada

Cocktail Reception 6:30; Skyline Bar, 14th Floor

Hosted by:



Dinner Served at 7:00 PM

Dinner Costs:

NPGS Members \$ 20; Non-Members \$23; Students \$10

Menu:

Buffet style; two entrees, side dishes and salad.

**NEW NPGS RSVP FORMAT!

Please RSVP for the April 4th Monthly Dinner Meeting by clicking on the following link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1gYreDyZ3b5zSUdJwMj4qO8_T4fc5IRthJDYvlviJfr8/viewform

SEE CALENDAR Pages 20-21 for upcoming meetings

► NPGS Monthly Dinner Meeting – Apr 4, 2013

Speaker: Don French, Ciannis Exploration, Billings, MT

Abstract:

Mississippian Clastic Strata of the Great Basin: Refinement and Correlation based on Subsurface Data, New Geochemistry, and Petrography

Jim Trexler(1), Don French(2), Jerry Walker(3), Pat Cashman(1)

Mississippian clastic strata are a complex set of lithofacies deposited in response to the Antler orogeny and subsequent collisional tectonic episodes along the western margin of Laurentia. Much of these strata east of the orogenic belt are mudrocks, and are colloquially and collectively known as the Chainman Shale and related units. Correlation and interpretation is made difficult by sparse age control and superficially monotonous appearance.

We present here a new correlation scheme and reorganization of stratigraphy made possible by use of an important upper Mississippian boundary, the Meramecian-Chesterian C2 unconformity. New geochemical results show significant shifts across this boundary. Mudrock petrology confirms important changes at this unconformity throughout the basin. Electric logs in existing well data show the C2 boundary clearly, and wells throughout the basin can be correlated based on this unconformity. Although both lower and upper Mississippian mudrocks can be found throughout the Great Basin, often in contact with one-another, they have significantly different hydrocarbon characteristics.

Our new understanding of Mississippian mudrocks allow reassessment of hydrocarbon potential in the Great Basin, and add new insight to upper Paleozoic tectonic history.

- (1) Univ. Nevada Reno
- (2) Ciannis Exploration, Billings, MT
- (3) Independent Geologist, Reno

► <u>About the Speaker – Don French</u> No introduction needed! "He just fell off the turnip truck".

► Cocktail Reception, Apr 4, Hosted by Barbour Well:



Barbour Well, Inc. would like to extend regards and appreciation for all of the attendees at the NPGS meeting who, like ourselves, are committed to the advancement of oil and geothermal energy production throughout Nevada. Please enjoy a complimentary cocktail on us as you receive a ticket when paying for your event. It is our hope to provide you with excellence in oil and geothermal drilling services.

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Summit Mudlogging

► <u>NPGS Officer Elections 2013-2014 (Jun 1 – May 31):</u>

According to the NPGS Bylaws (ARTICLE II - Officers, SECTION 6. Election of Officers), "... in the event that only one candidate for Vice President/President-Elect, one candidate for Secretary, and one candidate for Treasurer are present on the ballot, then these candidates can be elected by a majority vote of the members eligible to vote at the regularly scheduled meeting ..."

As there is only one candidate for each of these three offices for the 2013-2014 term, a vote will be held at the regularly scheduled April dinner meeting for the election of these officers.

The candidates are:

Vice President/President-Elect Judy Kareck, Engineer, Lumos & Associates

Secretary Jerry Walker, Geologist

Treasurer Steve Foster, Geophysicist/Geologist

► <u>NEW RSVP FORMAT & DINNER COSTS:</u>

Please RSVP for the Monthly Dinner Meetings by clicking on the following link: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1gYreDyZ3b5zSUdJwMj4qO8_T4fc5IRthJDYvlviJfr8/viewform

When making your reservation, please keep in mind that the NPGS is charged for every dinner reservation made, even no-shows. If you make a reservation, please plan to pay for the dinner, even if you cannot attend. THANK YOU!

► News from the Legislature - Nevada Senate Bill SB390:

The following is a summary of the Nevada Senate Bill 390 that proposes to regulate hydraulic fracturing. From: Jerry Walker

Nevada Senate Bill 390 – Regulating Hydraulic Fracturing Bill Draft Request BDR 46-929

Senator Tick Segerblom (Democrat, Clark County) introduced SB 390 in the Senate on March 18, 2013 to enact provisions regulating hydraulic fracturing. Assemblymen David P. Bobzien (Democrat, Washoe County) and Skip Daley (Democrat, Washoe County) jointly sponsored this bill. Senator Justin C. Jones (Democrat, Clark County) is the single co-sponsor. The bill has been referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, Senator Aaron D. Ford (Democrat, Clark County), Chair. Senator Segerblom is a member of this committee.

The title of the bill succinctly describes it as AN ACT relating to natural resources; requiring a person who wishes to engage in hydraulic fracturing to obtain a permit from the Division of Environmental Protection of the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources; requiring the Division to post certain information on its Internet website concerning hydraulic fracturing; authorizing the Division to charge a fee for issuing a permit and to adopt regulations; providing a penalty; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

The key provision of this bill is the requirement to obtain a permit to hydraulically fracture a well from the Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) <u>before</u> a well is spudded. This permit is in addition to the Permit to Drill required from the Division of Minerals (NDOM). The application to the NDEP must include:

- 1. A <u>hydrology report</u> that identifies any source of water possibly affected by the hydraulic fracturing itself or by the disposal of the produced hydraulic fracturing fluids.
- 2. A <u>seismic study</u> of the region, identifying all faulting possibly affected by the proposed hydraulic fracturing. The study must include the results of any seismic surveys. (As defined, "seismic survey" refers to a reflection survey; a refraction survey also meets the definition.)
- 3. A <u>plan to monitor the air and water quality</u> of all locations possibly affected by hydraulic fracturing. The monitoring includes baseline measurement prior to drilling and quarterly measurements throughout the operating life of the well, plus three years "after the well ceases to be in operation."
- 4. Full <u>disclosure of all chemicals</u> to be used in the proposed hydraulic fracturing, including the product name, chemical formula, and hazardous components listed on material data safety sheets.

In addition, the bill precludes hydraulic fracturing in any well within 2,000 feet of any home, school, or hospital.

The list of chemicals required to be disclosed must be revised quarterly for the entire life of the well, and upon spudding and abandonment of the well.

No known carcinogens may be used in hydraulic fracturing materials.

For an overview of the bill, text, votes, and meetings, go to the Nevada Electronic Legislative Information System (NELIS) web site at: https://nelis.leg.state.nv.us/77th2013/App#/77th2013/Bill/Overview/SB390

► In Memory; A. Neal Brecheisen

I am saddened to report that we received word from Neal Brecheisen's wife, Cheryl that Neal passed away on Monday, March 4, 2013.

From Jerry Walker;

Neal was a Founding Member of the NPS. He was Vice-President 1988-89, and again in 1990-1991; Treasurer in 1991-1992, and Secretary in 1992-1993. He was the Fieldtrip Chair for the "notable" 1993 field trip, "Structural and Stratigraphic Relationships of Devonian Reservoir Rocks, East Central Nevada". That trip produced what is possibly the best selling NPS pub. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Award in 1994. He was a member of the Logistics and Support Committee for the 1990 field trip, Registration committee for the 1991 field trip, Organizational Support committee for the 1994 field trip (the Carpenter brothers, Co-Chairs), and Trip Consultant for the 1997 field trip. ... and an all around fun person to share some time.

► Please join us on LinkedIn!:

LinkedIn provides NPGS the opportunity to update its members with what is happening in the oil, gas and geothermal activities in our region. It also provides an open forum for our group for discussions or even announcements as meetings, field-trips and other activities come up. In addition, **LinkedIn** gives its members the opportunity to network with other professionals that have similar interests as yourself. If you haven't looked into **LinkedIn** just yet, click on the link below:

http://www.linkedin.com/groups/Nevada-Petroleum-Geothermal-Society-4535772?trk=myg_ugrp_ovr

► Results BLM Oil & Gas Lease Sale – Mar 12, 2013:

Twenty nine parcels were sold at the competitive sale for a sum of \$1.2 million dollars. Lonewolf Expl (MT) paid the high bonus bid of \$163,840 for parcel #63 and the high bid per acre of \$152 for parcel #65. Other buyers at the sale were Kirkwood O&G (WY), Grant Canyon O&G (Denver), SamOil (CO), World View Property (WA), and RCBB TX (NV). Two parcels were sold at the non-competitive sale; parcels #32 and #33 went to Liberty Petroleum (NY). For more information, including a list of the parcels, see the following link:

http://www.blm.gov/nv/st/en/prog/minerals/leasable_minerals/oil___gas/oil_and_gas_leasing.html

► Next Nevada BLM Geothermal Lease Sale; Nov 19, 2013:

Nominations for this sale must be received by the BLM by April 12, 2013. See the following link for information and forms.

http://www.blm.gov/pgdata/etc/medialib/blm/nv/minerals/geothermal/leasesales.Par.76255.File.dat/20131119_Geo_Sale_Nominations.pdf

► Next Scheduled BLM Oil & Gas Lease Sale – Jun 11, 2013:

41 parcels will be offered in Eureka and Nye Counties, Nevada. 1 of the parcels has a pre-sale offer.

The notice, list of parcels, and shape files are available for this sale at the following link:

http://www.blm.gov/nv/st/en/prog/minerals/leasable minerals/oil gas/oil and gas leasing.html

► Apr – Jun 2013 Oil & Gas Lease Sale Schedule:

Apr 17 New Mexico (BLM) May 07 Montana (BLM) Jun 04 Montana (State) Apr 16 New Mexico (State) May 07 North Dakota (State) Jun 11 Nevada (BLM) Apr 29 Utah (State) May 07 Wyoming (BLM) Jun 18 New Mexico (State) Jun 20 Eastern States May 08 California (BLM) May 08 Wyoming (State)

> May 09 Colorado (BLM) May 15 Oklahoma (State) May 16 Colorado (State) May 21 New Mexico (State)

May 21 Utah (BLM)

► UNR College of Science – Discover Science Lecture Series:

Information: 775-784-4591; science@unr.edu Apr 4, 2013 Dr. Steven Strogatz

► UNR Geological Sciences Seminar Series:

Mondays 4:00 PM, DMS 103; http://crack.seismo.unr.edu/geosci/

Apr 8 Chad Deering, UW Osh Kosh

Apr 15 Jay Quade, Univ. Arizona

Apr 22 Darrel Cowan, U of Washington

Title: "Active, possibly seismogenic low-angle normal faults, Death Valley, California"

Apr 29 Russell Shapiro

May 6 George Bergantz, U of Washington

Title: "Arc Crustal Sections: A Roadmap to Integrating Geochemistry and Geophysics"

May 13 Chris Mattinson, Central Washington University

► UNLV 8th Annual GeoSymposium:

April 12-13, Las Vegas, NV

RSVP form in this newsletter. To attend, send in your form by March 29.

Information: Jeevan Jayakody, UNLV Dept of Geoscience, (702) 895-4633,

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► Joint PSAAPG/SPE/PSSEPM Conference – Monterey, CA Apr 19-25, 2013:

Energy & the Environment – Working Together for the Future Portola Hotel & Spa – www.portolahotel.com psaapg.org

► <u>AAPG- Rocky Mtn Section 62nd Annual Meeting – Sep 22-24, 2013:</u>

"Energy Elevated" Hilton Salt Lake City Center www.rmsaapg2013.com EXTENDED DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACTS: April 10, 2013

► *AAPG-Education Calendar*:

Upcoming AAPG Field Seminars: http://www.aapg.org/education/fieldseminars/index.cfm

AAPG Rocky Mountain Section Salt Lake City - Hilton

September 22-24, 2013

Call for Papers

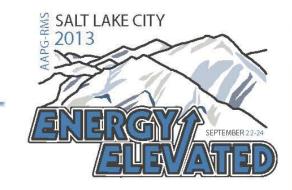
To submit an abstract for an oral, poster, or core poster presentation go to

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and click on "SUBMIT ABSTRACT"

Contributions from young professionals and students are especially welcome

Deadline for abstracts is March 29, 2013





Technical Program Highlights

- · Lacustrine basins: Modern and ancient
- Shale/tight gas and oil plays
- Great oil/gas fields of the Rocky Mtns.: A historical perspective
- Carbon capture, utilization, and storage
- Structure, stratigraphy, and source rocks of the Rockies
- · Gas marketing in the Rockies: Forum discussion
- Emerging oil shale and oil sand resource plays
- Geologic and environmental aspects of hydraulic fracturing

Field Trips

- · Lacustrine microbial carbonates: Modern and ancient
- San Rafael Swell and Henry Mtns. Basin
- Wasatch Mountains: Scenic trip through time
- Nine Mile Canyon geology: Green River and Wasatch Fms.





Registration opens in Spring 2013

For convention details visit: rmsaapg2013.com

Other Convention Events

- All-convention luncheon: Geology of Mars, Utah analogs, and the latest discoveries of the Curiosity rover *Dr. Rebecca Williams, Planetary Science Institute*
- Several pre- and post-meeting short courses
- Night at the new Natural History Museum of Utah
- Guest hospitality suite and three days of special activities

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Tentative Technical Program PSAAPG/PS-SEPIN

- · Reviving old giants and new potential in mature basins
- · Evolving Models of Deep Water Deposition
- · Fluvial and shallow-marine depositional systems: insights from outcrops and subsurface prediction
- · Opening up the west: new and overlooked opportunities in unconventional reservoirs
- Faults, folds, transforms and terranes of Western North America
- ·Marine Geology of the pacific Margin (modern and Ancient) -- dedicated to Bob Garrison
- · Westerrn North America earthquake hazards: what's shakin'
- · Energy and the environment
- · Landscape / Seascape Evolution
- · California Turbidites
- · What's new in the Sacramento Valley
- · Geothermal Energy: A hot topic
- · Arctic energy opportunities: from the Cook Inlet to the North Slope and beyond
- · Sediment routing in Western North American
- · Undergraduate Research Poster session





Tentative Field Trips

- 1. Hydrocarbon Migration Systems: Injectites, Bituminous Sands, and Gas Seeps
- 2. Retracing the Events of the 1906 San Francisco Earthquake and Fire
- 3. Convergent Margin Tectonics across Central California Coast Ranges --Pacheco Pass
- 4. Oceanography Field Trip -- Moss Landing Marine Labs
- 5. Geology of the Point Lobos Reserve
- 6. Monterey Formation Outcrops
- 7. California Turbidites
- 8. Other

SPEWR/PSAAPG/PS-SEPM Tentitive Short Courses

- 1. Streamline simulation,
- 2. Numerical methods in simulation
- 3. Modern well test analysis,
- 4. Thermal methods and in-situ combustion.
- 5. Reserve booking
- 6. Carbon sequestration & storage
- 7. Sequence Stratigraphy for students
- 8. Carbonate Stratigraphy
- 9. Formation Evaluation
- 10. Image log interpretation
- 11. Geocellular modeling
- 12. Microseismic
- 13. Monterey core workshop
- 14. Monitoring programs for fracking

► News from Nevada Bureau of Mines & Geology:

From: Charlotte Stock

Major mines of Nevada 2011 – new

P23 - Major mines of Nevada 2011: Mineral industries in Nevada's economy, by Mike Visher and Alan Coyner, 2012, 28 pages, \$3.00 or free on the Web:

http://www.nbmg.unr.edu/sales/pbsdtls.php?sku=P-23

This twenty-third issue of an annual series of reports on the major mines and mills in Nevada lists the names and addresses of operators, numbers of employees, and annual production in 2011. Map locations of all major mines are shown and an overview of mineral production and its effect on Nevada's economy is presented.

Jon Price receives national mining award

Congratulations to Jon Price for winning the MMSA Gold Medal Award!

"Jonathan Price, former director of the Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology at the University of Nevada, Reno and state geologist emeritus, received a Gold Medal from the Mining and Metallurgical Society of America (MMSA) at their annual conference Feb. 25. The highest honor awarded by the society, the Gold Medal is presented to individuals who have made significant contributions to the mineral industry."

"The leadership and vision of Jonathan Price has built one of the finest organizations in the United States," Jeff Thompson, dean of the College of Science, said about Prices's work in the Bureau of Mines and Geology. "He richly deserves the prestigious Gold Medal Award from the Mining and Metallurgical Society of America and we are very proud of his accomplishments." (excerpts from *Nevada Today* article by Stephany Kirby; March 4, 2013).

Read the entire story here: http://www.unr.edu/nevada-today/news/2013/jon-price-gold-medal

New 43-101 Report Map Service for Mineral Properties

http://gisweb.unr.edu/report_43101_1/

The Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology is pleased to announce a new 43-101 Report Map Service. Creation of map services has been an important component of NBMG's efforts to modernize and make data that are relevant to mineral exploration and land use decisions readily available to the public. The 43-101 Report Map Service shows the locations of 43-101 reports in Nevada. Clicking on a location point with the "Identify" tool will result in links to the report(s). Clicking the link will result in a new window showing the report as a PDF file.

These 43-101 reports are publically available technical reports that follow a codified set of rules and guidelines for reporting and displaying information related to mineral properties owned by, or explored by, companies which report these results on stock exchanges within Canada. The map is not an exhaustive list of all the 43-101 reports completed in Nevada. NBMG will periodically update the map with additional reports, both old and new.

We hope you find this service of use. Please contact us with feedback. More similar map services relevant to mineral exploration will be released later this year.

http://www.nbmg.unr.edu/Mapping/InteractiveMaps.html

John Muntean (munteanj@unr.edu), Gary Johnson (glj@unr.edu)

Upcoming talks and other events – now on NBMG website

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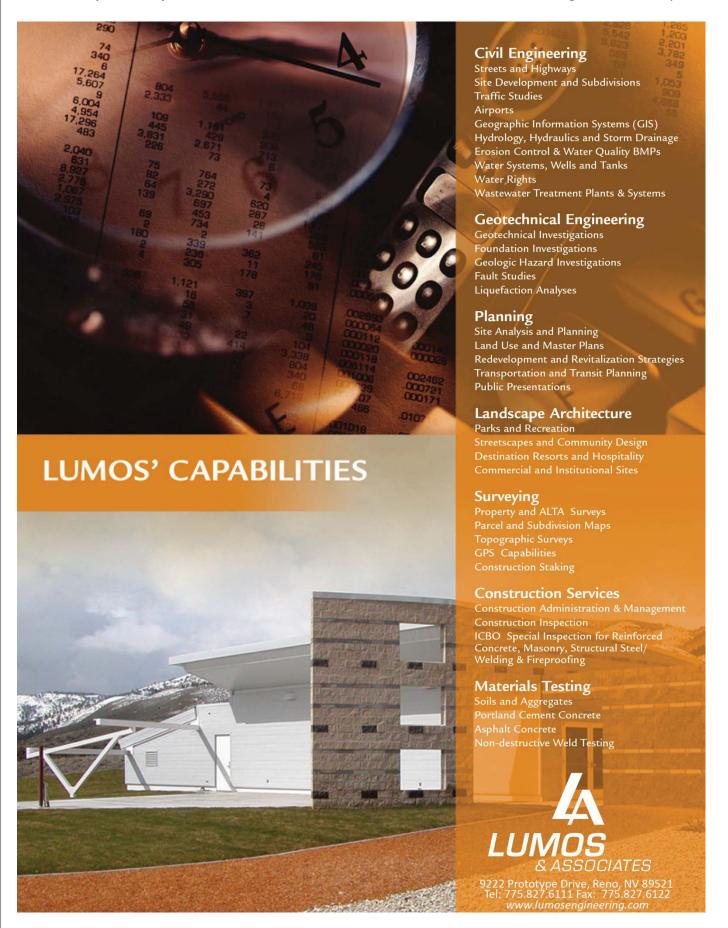
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- NPS 15 TerraScan's Geologic Map of the Eastern Great Basin, Nevada and Utah (1978, rev. 1987) compiled and edited by E.L. Howard, 3 sheets (includes cross-sections) \$20.00/NPS or \$25.00/non-NPS order by phone only for discounted price of \$5.00
- NPS 21 Carboniferous—Permian (Late Paleozoic) Hydrocarbon System, Rocky Mountains—Great Basin Region, U.S., Major Historic Exploration Objective (2001, updated 2003) J. Peterson, RMAG Open-File Report on CD only; 54 p., 45 illustrations, CD \$15.00

FIELD TRIP GUIDEBOOKS

- NPS 3 Oil Fields, Production Facilities and Reservoir Rocks of Northern Nye County, Nevada (1989) compiled by W.J. Ehni and D.M. Evans, 8 abstracts and papers, 30 p. (xerox copy only unbound) \$8.00
- NPS 4 Oil Fields and Geology of the Pine Valley, Eureka County Area, Nevada (1990) D.M.H. Flanigan, L.J. Garside, and M. Hansen, editors, 15 papers and abstracts, 74 p. (xerox copy only unbound) \$15.00
- NPS 5 Geology of White River Valley, the Grant Range, Eastern Railroad Valley and Western Egan Range, Nevada (1991) D.M.H. Flanigan, M. Hansen, and T.E. Flanigan, editors, 10 papers and abstracts, 74 p. \$15.00
- NPS 6 Structural Geology and Petroleum Potential of Southwest Elko County, Nevada (1992) J.H. Trexler, Jr., T.E. Flanigan, D.M.H. Flanigan, M. Hansen, and L.J. Garside, editors, 9 papers, 2 plates, 96 p. \$25.00
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Maps

M162 Petroleum data map of Nevada: Garside and Hess (2007), 1:1,000,000, \$15.00

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Preliminary assessment of the potential for carbon dioxide disposal by sequestration in geological settings in Nevada: Price and others (2005), CD-ROM or paper copy, 35 pages, \$15.00

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USGS

Assessment of undiscovered oil and gas resources of the Eastern Great Basin Province, 2005, Fact Sheet FS-2005-3053, free at http://pubs.usgs.gov/fs/2005/3053/

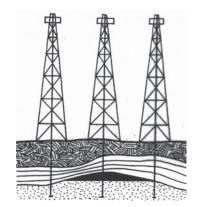
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- B65 Mineral and water resources of Nevada: Cornwall (1964) pp. 267-269, \$7.00
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- B91 Thermal waters of Nevada: Garside and Schilling (1979) \$22.00, for update see L-5
- B97 Discovery and geology of the Desert Peak geothermal field—a case history: Benoit, Hiner, and Forest (1982), \$15.00 (see also OF03-27)
- B99B Mineral resources of northern Nye County, Nevada: Kleinhampl and Ziony (1984) pp. 37-38, \$19.00

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- E-7 Geothermal resources in Nevada: Student reading/activity book for grades four through eight, 27 pp., \$4.05
- E-15 Nevada geothermal electric power production, brochure (1992) 2 pp., \$0.60
- E-35 Major mines, oil fields, and geothermal plants in Nevada
- E-46 Taking the pulse of the Earth
- E-51 Life's a beach: In search of ancient shorelines and volcanoes in the Grimes Point and Lahontan Mountains area

Lists

L-5 Index to geothermal well files housed at NBMG: Davis and Hess (2009) updates App. 2 of B91, \$19.50

Maps

- M126 Nevada geothermal resources: Shevenell, Garside, and Hess (2000), superseded by M161
- M141 Nevada geothermal resources (second edition): Shevenell and Garside (2005), 1:750,000, \$16.00 for paper copy, available folded or rolled, superseded by M161
- M146 Geologic map of the Fraser Flat quadrangle and the west half of the Moses Rock quadrangle, Washoe Co., NV
- M151 Geothermal potential map of the Great Basin, western United States: Coolbaugh and others (2005), 1:1,000,000, \$30,00, rolled only
- M161 Nevada geothermal resources: Penfield, Shevenell, Garside, and Zehner (2010), 1:750,000, \$18.00, folded or rolled, supersedes M126 and M141

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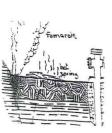
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Newsletters

Nevada Geology Newsletter no. 19, page 3 (Summer 1993) "Low-temperature geothermal resources in Nevada" by Larry Garside, free

Open-File Reports

- OF83-6 Preliminary map of thermal wells in the Moana geothermal area, Reno, Nevada: Garside, \$8.00
- OF87-2 Mineral resource inventory U.S. Navy master land withdrawal area, Churchill County, Nevada: Quade and Tingley, \$92.00
- OF94-2 Nevada low-temperature geothermal resource assessment: 1994: Garside, with a bibliography by Davis and Garside, \$40.00 for text and plate, or \$20.00 for text on disk, or \$7.00 for plate only
- OF96-2-9 Reconnaissance photogeologic map of young (Quaternary and late Tertiary) faults in Nevada: (Plate 9) 1:1,000,000, map and text, \$15.00
- OF03-27 Preliminary geologic map of the Desert Peak-Brady geothermal fields, Churchill County, Nevada: Faulds and Garside (2003), \$15.00 (see also B97)
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- OF06-6 Mineral- and energy resource potential for Pershing County, Nevada
- OF06-7 Mineral- and energy resource potential for Lyon County, Nevada
- OF06-12 Potential resources associated with proposed roadless areas in Nevada
- OF09-10 Preliminary geothermal potential and exploration activity in Nevada: Zehner, Coolbaugh, and Shevenell, 1:1,000,000-scale plate and text, \$20.00 (supersedes OF09-1)
- OF10-6 Preliminary geologic map of the Lee-Allen geothermal area, Churchill County, Nevada
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- OF11-11 Preliminary geologic map of the northern Lake Range, San Emidio geothermal area, Washoe County, Nevada: Rhodes, Faulds, and Ramelli, scale 1:24,000, \$18.00
- OF12-3 Data tables and graphs of geothermal power production in Nevada: Shevenell, Price, and Hess (1985-2011, Web version only)

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- R21 Geothermal exploration and development in Nevada through 1973
- R25 Evaluation of geothermal activity in the Truckee Meadows, Washoe County, Nevada: Bateman and Scheibach (1975), \$4.00
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- NPS18 Oil, gas and geothermal occurrences in northwestern Nevada
- NPS22 Geology, Geothermal Resources and Petroleum Exploration of Neogene Basins in the Reno, Nevada Area

USGS Publications

- C1249 Geothermal energy clean power from the earth's heat: Duffield and Sass, free on the Internet at http://geopubs.wr.usgs.gov/circular/c1249/
- I-1701 Bouguer gravity anomalies, depth to bedrock, and shallow temperature in the Humboldt House geothermal area, Pershing County, Nevada: Schaefer (1986), \$9.00
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- OF81-918 Geothermal resources of the western arm of the Black Rock Desert, northwestern Nevada, part I, geology and geophysics: Schaefer, Welch, and Maurer (1983), 41 pages and 4 plates, call for prices
- OF02-374 A helicopter-borne magnetic survey over Dixie Valley geothermal field, Nevada: A web site for distribution: Pearson, deRidder and Johnson (2002), available free on the Internet at http://pubs.usgs.gov/of/2002/ofr-02-0374. call for prices
- OF02-384 High-resolution aeromagnetic survey to image shallow faults, Dixie Valley geothermal field, Nevada: Grauch (2002), http://pubs.usgs.gov/of/2002/ofr-02-0384, call for prices

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Apr 4, 2013	NPGS Monthly Dinner Meeting – Thursday Apr 4, 6:30 PM			
	Ramada Reno Hotel, 1000 E 6 th St, Reno, NV			
	Speaker: Don French, Geologist, Ciannis Exp., Billings MT			
	Title: Mississippian Clastic Strata of the Great Basin: Refinement and			
	Correlation based on Subsurface Data, New Geochemistry, and			
	Petrography			
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	Dr. Steven Strogatz			
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Apr 8, 2013	UNR Geological Sciences Seminar Series – Mondays 4:00 PM			
	DMS 103; http://crack.seismo.unr.edu/geosci/			
	Chad Deering, UW Osh Kosh			
Apr 8, 2013	Northern Nevada Section SME Monthly Dinner Meeting			
•	Bill Stanley, VP Expl, ATNA Resources, LTD.			
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Apr 12-13,	UNLV 8 th Annual GEOSYMPOSIUM 2013 – Las Vegas, NV			
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	http://geoscience.unlv.edu/geosymposium			
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, , , ,	597 Kumle Lane, Reno, NV – Friday , 6:00 PM			
	Drinks at 6:00 PM, dinner at 7:00 PM, and talk at 8:00 PM.			
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2013	Monterey, CA Apr 19-25, 2013: Portola Hotel & Spa			
	Energy & the Environment – Working Together for the Future			
	Submit abstracts to: <u>psaapgabs@gmail.com</u> – Deadline Jan 15, 2013			
May 2, 2013	NPGS Monthly Dinner Meeting – Thursday May 2, 6:30 PM			
,	Ramada Reno Hotel, 1000 E 6 th St, Reno, NV			
	Speaker: Sean P. Long, Research Professor, NBMG, UNR			
	Topic: Mid-Tertiary Unconformity, implications of the structure of Railroad			
	Valley and the surrounding region			
Jun 11, 2013	Nevada BLM Oil & Gas Lease Sale, Reno NV			
,	41 parcels available, Eureka and Nye Counties			
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	and gas leasing.html			
Jun 26-27,	Geothermal Energy Association - National Geothermal Summit			
2013	June 26-27, 2013 – Reno, NV http://geo-energy.org/events.aspx			
Sep 22-24,	AAPG- Rocky Mtn Section 62 nd Annual Meeting – Sep 22-24, 2013			
2013	Utah Geological Association hosting at the Hilton Salt Lake City Center			
2010	"Energy Elevated" Call for papers, deadline for abstracts Mar 29.			
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