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8 DAYS INTENSIVE TRAINING
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A N INTERDISCIPLINARY COURSE FOR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION PROFESSIONALS

AUDIENCE: Geophysicists, Static Model Specialists, Petrophysicists, Geologists, Reservoir Engineers, Geoscientists and Engineers, Managers.

LEVEL: Intermediate to Advanced

PROPEDEUTICAL:
Online course preparation is offered 3 weeks before course start

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This is an 8-days intermediate to advanced course mainly addressed to crossdiscipline geoscientists, engineers and decision managers of the oil exploration industry. The involved theories are particularly useful to static modeling specialists and professionals for supervision on micro to macro-field data, for control, calibration, upscaling of 3D static and dynamic models. The program is an ideal complementary part for other advanced courses as: Seismic Interpretation, Seismic Attributes Analysis, Seismic Processing, 3D Multicomponent Seismic. An important overview on disciplines for the plan and management of exploration projects.

COURSE PREPARATION

Online Propedeutical course preparation is available at request and comprises the following topics:

- Basic Applications and Algorithms
- Introductory elements of Petrophysics
- Introductory elements of Seismology
PART 1
PLANNING OIL AND GEOTHERMAL EXPLORATION PROJECTS: TECHNOLOGIES OF THE PETROLEUM INDUSTRY

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  - INVERSION
  - INTERPRETATION

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RESERVOIR ANALYSIS
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RESERVOIR CHARACTERISATION
STATIC SIMULATION
DYNAMIC SIMULATION
TARGET DEFINITION

OPERATIVE PHASE

THE PLANNING PHASE
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REALTIME RESERVOIR CHARACTERIZATION
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-REGIONAL STUDIES
The reservoir concept: Oil, Gas, Unconventionals, Geothermy
Geology and Plays
Geophysical studies:
Gravitational, Magnetotelluric, Seismic.

-3D SEISMIC GENERAL CONCEPTS
Seismic waves derivation of the wave equation from elasticity theory.
The hooke’s law.
Elastic constants.
The wave equation.
Static versus dynamic elastic parameters.
Geomechanical applications in case studies.

-P-S WAVE PROPAGATION PARAMETERS AND SIGNAL ANALYSIS CONCEPTS
Parameters: amplitude, phase, angular frequency, wavenumber, initial phase,
Frequency, period, wavelength, velocity of propagation.
Monochromatic waves and Fourier series.
The complex notations for wave equations.
Energy of a wave, intensity, spherical divergence.
Group and phase velocity, diffraction, reflectivity and transmissivity.
The zoeppritz equations (zero offset), acoustic impedance.
Reflection and transmission coefficients.

PROCESSING CONCEPTS: AMPLITUDE AND PHASE CONSIDERATIONS
Effects of amplitude, frequency and phase shifts.
Amplitude and phase spectra.
Log simulation through 1-D Fourier transform.
Wave vector representation.
Fourier Transform pairs.
Frequency aliasing.
Seismic reflection models.
Impulse response models.
Reflection shapes, signatures, spike synthesis.
Time and phase shifts.
Convolution, cross-correlation, autocorrelations algorithms, schematic of calculation methods.
The “alternative” Fourier transform.
Frequency domain operations, time and frequency domain conversions.
Seismic impedance, reflection/transmission coefficients and seismogram.
Sonic logs and synthetic seismograms.
STACKING OF SIGNALS, CDP STACKING
Vector representation of signal and random noise.
The stacking process as a vector sum.
Effect of noise bursts and random noise addition.

APPENDIX
Deconvolution.
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Inverse filtering.
The source wavelet inverse.
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Spiking deconvolution.
Prewhitening.
Wavelet processing and shaping filters.
Predictive deconvolution.

-SOURCE MODELS

The Dirac Delta function.
Impulse time shift, shifting properties.
Approximations of the Delta function: Rect, Triangular, Gaussian, Cauchy-
Lorentz, Cauchy phi, sinc, sinc square.
The Heaviside unit step function.
Time shift. Effects of phase spectrum on wavelet shape.

-VIBROSEIS AND SWEEP THEORY

Sweeps crosscorrelation and autocorrelation.
Sweep design.
Bandwidth, frequency and taper.
Side lobes and noise.
Vibrator harmonic ghosts.

-ARRAY DESIGN

Coherent and incoherent noise.
Synthetic record analysis.
Dominant frequency.
The uniform array, Array linear responses and "alias peaks" as f,k,d and
lambda functions.
Shallow and deeper reflectors and frequency content.
**-3D SEISMIC FIELD ACQUISITION PLANNING**

Terminology and definitions in 3D seismic design:
Box, CMP bin, super-bin, inline, crossline, fold, fold taper, mid-point, migration apron, patch, receiver line, source line, scattering angle, S/N ratio, source point density, swath, template, aspect ratio, svy geometry, Xnim, Xmax.
Gather types: orthogonal, common source point, common receiver, common offset, common azimuth, cross-spread, offset vector tile.

**3D SURVEY GEOMETRY PLANNING:**
Fold vs S/N ratio, 3D vs 2D fold, inline and xline fold, tot. fold.

QC: fold taper, S/N ratio and target size.
Unaliased frequency.
Offset and azimuth distribution.
Wide and narrow azimuth.
Fresnel zone.
Migration apron.
Field layouts.
The 5D prestack field.
Main guidelines for 3D seismic field acquisition planning.
SEISMIC PROCESSING

PREPROCESSING:
SEG-Y Format Structure
Demultiplexing
Reformatting
Trace Editing
Geometric Spreading Correction
Setup Field Geometry
Field Statics

PROCESSING
Deconvolution and Trace Balancing
CMP Sorting
Velocity Analysis
Residual Statics Correction
Velocity Analysis
NMO Correction (NMO stretch)
DMO Correction
Inverse NMO Correction
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Velocity analysis
NMO Correction, Muting, Stacking
Deconvolution
Time-Variant Spectral Whitening
Time-Variant Filtering
Migration
Gain Application

THE 2D-FOURIER TRANSFORM
Spatial aliasing.
Monofrequency signals in the f-k domain.
f-k spectra.
Antialias filters.
**SEISMIC PROCESSING**

**MIGRATION**
Vertical velocity change, ray tracing, diffraction models, DMO migration and dip calculation, zero offset migration of linear reflectors and compass migration, dips before and after migration, offset modeling with variable source/receiver offset, exploding reflectors model, Huygens model, the diffraction model from Huygens to Kirchhoff, downward continuation, post-stack migration methods, Kirchhoff migration, relationship between hyperbola and horizontal reflector, depth and time equations, Kirchhoff migration algorithm, aperture, time interpolation, pre-stack migration, the semi-ellipse as reflection point loci.

Geometry of dip dependent moveout: DD-MO, diffraction modelling of source gathers, scatterpoints and diffractions of constant offset sections, zero offset and constant offset examples, principles of dip-moveout corrections, prestack migration of 3D data volumes, non-zero offset travelt ime, DMO, depth migration, kirchhoff depth migration.

**APPENDIX**
 Tau-p transform and gaussian beam.
 Reverse time migration.
 3D Kirchhoff surfaces.
 Kirchhoff summation surfaces Z-O.
 Traveltime surface in constant V Z-O.
 Field and mid-point offset coordinates VTI, TTI, time migration examples.
 Effects of migration aperture.

**SEISMIC PROCESSING: VELOCITIES**
Instantaneous, average, RMS, stacking, interval, migration, and DMO velocities: fields of applications.
Instantaneous velocity (Vins), Average velocity (Vave), RMS velocity (Vrms), Stacking velocities (Vstk), Interval velocities (Vint).
Errors in interval velocities calculated from stacking velocities.
The RMS applications.
The Eikonal equation: finite grid element travelt ime computation.
The wave equation.
Modeling the wave equation in finite grid elements.
Derivatives of the equation.
Solutions of the full wave equation and finite grid elements solutions.

**DISCUSSION ON SEISMIC VELOCITY ANALYSIS**
NMO for flat reflectors.
Horizontal reflectors series NMO.
Moveout equations of fourth and n order.
NMO stretch.
Dipping reflectors influence on moveout velocity.
Effect of inclination and velocity on NMO for a stratigraphic sequence.
Velocity analysis: traveltime, best-fit and small-spread hyperbolas.
T-X velocity analysis of synthetic gathers.
T-X velocity analysis of CMP gathers.
Velocity spectra.
Coherence Algorithms: stacked amplitude, normalized stacked amplitude NS, time gate normalized and unnormalized xcorrelation sum (N CC), (U CC), energy (E CC), semblance (N E).
Velocity sensitivity to seismic parameters.
V spectra: gate row and contour plots.
Spectra: mute compensation and stacking effects.
Interactive velocity analysis, horizon velocity analysis, coherency attributes stack.

**SIGNAL ANALYSIS IN PROCESSING OPERATIONS**
Wavelet signatures.
The Fourier transform expressions in the seismic theory notations.
The Convolution theorem.
Nyquist frequency: sampling and aliasing operations: Comb, Sync, Boxcar.
Laplace transform and Z-Transform.
Transfer functions.
Applications of correlation and autocorrelation functions to discrete time systems.
Coherence and semblance functions.
ROCK PHYSICS AND AMPLITUDE INTERPRETATION

The effective model – from micro to macro-elastic field.
The rev: "representative elementary volume".
Effective medium modeling.
Elementary and effective medium elastic parameters calculations: k, mu, rho.
Upgrade to the macro-field theory.
Zoeppritz equations linear approximations: Wiggens, Shuey, Borthfeld.
Intercept and gradient parameters.
P-S Velocity, Poisson ratio, density dependency.

Upgrade to the macro-field theory: near, mid and far offset range stack.
Shuey and Hilterman theory.
Rock physics properties influence on angle stacks.
Normal incidence and Poisson reflectivity.
Review of elastic parameters and their effective medium composition in the AVO equations context.
Effective medium averaging equations.
Gamma/Poisson relations.

V and density interpretation.
V-density transforms.
Alternative equations for normal incidence reflection coefficient (NI-RC).
Thin bed analysis.

AVO classifications.
AVO class reconnaissance on angle stacks.
Predicting hydrocarbon response in Poisson - RC xplots.

Abnormal pore pressure from seismic data.
Hydrostatic, overburden, effective P.

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Aki-Richards, Wiggins and Fatti forms of Zoeppritz equations linearizations.
The 2 and 3 term Aki-Richards equations.
Significance of intercept, gradient and curvature.
Offset to angle conversions.
AVO seismic attributes and composite attributes and interpretation methods.
Poisson ratio change, shear reflectivity and fluid factor, Rp and Rs.
Castagna mud-rock line.
Rutherford AVO classification.
NI-G xplot and AVO classes.

AVO/AVAZ VTI and HTI weak anisotropy.
Thomsen parameters.
The Aki-Richard equation as a function of Thomsen parameters.
Ruger VTI and HTI equations.
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3D SEISMIC INVERSION
Post-stack and pre-stack seismic inversion.
Elastic inversion.
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Independent AVO inversion.
Simultaneous AVO inversion.
LMR.

PROCESSING ISSUES
Random and coherent noise attenuation.
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SEISMIC ATTRIBUTES AND 3D VOLUME PROPERTIES DISTRIBUTIONS

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Derivative.
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Second Derivative Instantaneous Amplitude.
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Amplitude Weighted Frequency.
Amplitude Weighted Phase.
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Integrate.
Integrated Absolute Amplitude.

Predicting target properties in multiattribute space.
Decreasing the prediction error.
Crossvalidation.

Neural networks modeling: from linear to non linear prediction.
Nodes in hidden layers, total iterations.

Stochastic inversion.

-GEOSTATISTICS

From stochastic inversion to geostatistics.

REV (representative elementary volume) and scale variability.
Statistical parameters (univariate distribution).
Sample declustering with elementary statistical parameters.
Moving window statistics.
Bivariate statistics.
Linear regression.
Bivariate statistics for spatial data.
Probability.
Mathematical expectation.
Statistics algebra.
The normal (gaussian) distribution.
Lognormal distribution.
Distribution of static and dynamic reservoir properties.
Stationarity.
The variogram.
Lag tolerance.
Variogram modeling: Nugget, spherical, exponential, gaussian and combination models.
Geometric anisotropy.
Crossvariogram.
Conventional estimation and Kriging: simple and ordinary Kriging.
Cokriging, multigaussian Kriging.
Grid based simulation: sequential gaussian simulation (SGS).
Estimation at the unsampled location.
Comparisons: Kriging and SGS.
Multiple realizations.
-SEISMIC ATTRIBUTES ANALYSIS

Attributes classifications: amplitude attributes, complex attributes, time attributes.
Spectral decomposition.
COMPLEX ATTRIBUTES.
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SPECTRAL BALANCING AND SPECTRAL DECOMPOSITION.
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Spectral decomposition and interpretation’s workflow.
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Curvature and structural interpretation.
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Visualization of geometric attributes.
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Determination of saturation.
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Vuggy porosity.
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**PICKETT PLOT INTERPRETATION.**
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-STATIC SIMULATION

Between seismic inversion and dynamic simulation.
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Inter-zone Layering (facies / flow units / strata).
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Upscaling of petrophysical properties.
Facies modeling: sequential indicator simulation.
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• PS mode land acquisition specifics.
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- MATRIX AND TENSORS
- FROM FOURIER TO HILBERT
- STRUCTURAL PLAYS
- INTRODUCTORY ELEMENTS OF PETROPHYSICS
- INTRODUCTORY ELEMENTS OF SEISMOLOGY
PART 4
INTERPRETATION WITH PROFESSIONAL SOFTWARE
(This chapter will vary from session to session, the participant will be informed upon registration)

SEISMIC PROCESSING
Construct velocity model, ray tracing, acquisition on earth model, compare with seismic data, examine shot gathers, sort CDP gathers, velocity analysis, NMO correction, stack, migration

SEISMIC INTERPRETATION
Examples will be with Quantitative interpretation and AVO or Attributes Analysis.
Seismic Attributes:
Data Loading: SEGY, Creation of a Steering Cube, Horizon Cube etc, Well-Tie, Visualization of Horizons Slices, Inline , Xline, Transverse, Horizontal Sections, Autotracking, Antitracking, Attributes Analysis, Volume Rendering, Spectral Decomposition, Properties Crossplotting, Velocity Analysis, Sequence Stratigraphy

LOG INTERPRETATION
Data loading: LAS, DLIS, ASCII, Format Logs, Merge/Shift, SCAL.
Calculation of PHI,Vsh, PHIeff, Frequency Plots, RHOB-NPHI Xplot, Pickett Xplot, Complex Lithology Xplots, Sw, Shy,K, Pay Volume determination. Single Well and Multi-Well Interpretation

STATIC MODELING SOFTWARE (only theoretical introduction) Fault Modeling, Pillar Gridding, Zonation and Layering, Facies Modeling, Petrophysical Modeling, Upscaling, Well Design

DYNAMIC SIMULATION SOFTWARE (only theoretical introduction)
Overview of the Modeling Process, Conceptual Reservoir Scales, Reservoir Structure, Fluid and Rock-Fluid Interaction, Reservoir Simulation, Reservoir Architecture

Course Books:
- R. Garotta – Multicomponent Seismic (Course Notes)
- GeoNeurale
- Introduction to Geothermal and Petroleum Exploration - Course Notes
- J.R. Fanchi – Applied Reservoir Simulation
  Gulf Professional Publishing, 2001)
-- A complete reference list of scientific literature papers and books will be set available on the online preparation phase
Instructor’s Biography

Robert Garotta, graduated of the Faculté des Sciences in Paris (DES), began his career at the geophysical department of the French National Centre of Scientific Research (CNRS). He joined CGG as a field geophysicist, first in the gravity method then as a seismologist. He was involved in various fields of research and development such as vibroseismic, velocity analysis, static corrections, 3D survey design, shear wave experimentation and processing. He concluded his career at CGG as Senior Vice President of the CGG Geophysical Methods Department. Robert is still advising the CGGVeritas group in the area of Multi-Component seismic.

Awards:
- Conrad Schlumberger Award from EAGE
- Prix Charles Bihoreau
- SEG Distinguished Instructor
- SEG Honorary Member

Angelo Piasentin, leads since 2007 the scientific course administration at GeoNeurale - Munich. He graduated in Geosciences with Internato in Geophysics at the University of Padua. He worked with all major oil service companies as a Data Logging Engineer, MWD-LWD Engineer in oil exploration operations in 4 continents in projects for Agip, BEB, BP, Chevron, Ciepsa, Coastal Oil and Gas, Deutsche Texaco, Elf, Enterprise Oil, Ina, Maersk Oil, MND, Mobil, NAM, Norsk Hydro, Pennzoil, Repsol, Shell, Sonatrach, Statoil, Texaco, Vermilion, Wintershall. He progressed in the Geothermal and Oil Exploration working as a Petrophysicist and Senior Geoscientist. He participated to the course development of Neural Networks Applications for the Petrophysical and Seismic Analysis, Integrated Geostatistical and Petrophysical Applications, Advanced Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Petrophysics, Integrating Geosciences in Petroleum Exploration. Authored papers, publications and patents for new Geothermal Exploration systems and new methods for integrated Petrophysical Analysis in the Pre-Stack Seismic Inversion.

Arnaud Huck is Chief Geophysicist of dGB. Arnaud has over 10 years' experience in the geosciences industry, including seismic reservoir characterization, AVO modelling and well modelling. He is responsible for the management of dGB's services-based operations and customized studies worldwide and the training of seismic interpreters on dGB's open source software OpendTect. Arnaud holds a MSc degree with honours in Geophysics from the School of Engineering Geophysics of Strasbourg.
REGISTRATION FORM

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AGREEMENT: Upon enrollment all parts accept the above mentioned provisions. The above specified provisions shall regulate the agreement between GeoNeurale and the participant and the participant company and will enter into force upon enrollment.

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http://www.muenchen.de/home/60093/Homepage.html

MAP MUNICH UNDERGROUND
http://www.mvv-muenchen.de/web4archiv/objects/download/3/netz1207englisch.pdf

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