

& Sponsorship Opportunities

Wealth Creation

in the Minerals Industry

Technical Program Topics

Wealth Creation - The Business of Exploration Wealth Creation - Generating and Delivering Wealth

> Wealth Creation - Case Histories and Volunteered Presentations

Opening Speakers

Pierre Lassonde

President, Newmont Mining Corporation "Exploration - The Life Blood of the Mining Industry"

Charles "Chip" Goodyear

CEO, BHP Billiton

"The Role of Exploration in the Suite of Value Enhancing Options"

Geoff Stanley

Gold Analyst, BMO Nesbitt Burns "Exploration - The Perspective of Wall Street"







"Wealth Creation in the Minerals Industry" features an exceptional lineup of top mining industry leaders, speaking on exploration strategies and operating practices that create and deliver wealth to shareholders.

SEG 2006 Conference Organizing Committee



John Dow, Chair

Technical sessions will present industry case histories and the results of innovative research. The first ever global conference of SEG Student Chapters will be held in conjunction with this timely event.

The conference theme is very topical, and sure to attract given the current boom in the resources sector. SEG has countries. This event is an opportunity for exhibitors to

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a wide range of industry professionals and researchers, tremendous worldwide reach with members in 80 showcase their products and services to a diverse and thriving mining and exploration audience.

We welcome your participation!

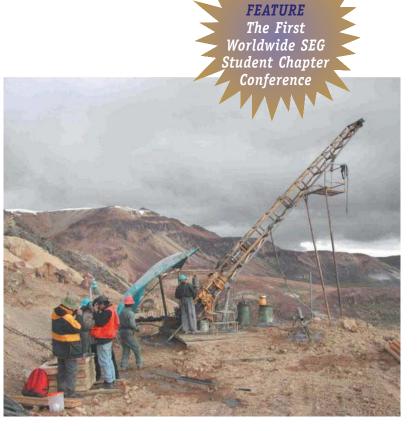
This conference is relevant to all professionals who influence or are affected by the bottom-line in the minerals industry.

We invite...

- Decision-makers in Mineral Exploration and Production Companies
- Exploration Geologists
- Financial Analysts

Researchers

Students



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General conference queries to include pre- and post- workshops and field trips:

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- Two complimentary exhibits only registrations for each 8' x 10' booth.
- 7" x 44" booth sign with company name and booth number.
- 8' back drape with 3' draped side rails.
- General security.

Location

Keystone Resort & Conference Center Keystone, Colorado, USA

Exhibit Hours

Saturday, May 13

(Set-Up) 8am – 3pm (Open/Reception) 5 – 7pm

Sunday, May 14

(Open) 10am - 6:30pm (Reception) 5:30 - 6:30pm

Monday, May 15

(Open) 10am - 6:30pm (Reception) 5:30 - 6:30pm

Tuesday, May 16

(Open) 10am - 1:30PM (Move-Out) 1:30 - 5pm

Booth Rate - \$1800

FREE to Exhibitors

Pocket Program Listing • Link from SEG Website Pre-registration List • Post-registration List

We have also planned...

3 Receptions and 3 Lunches in the Exhibit Hall to bring the crowd to you!

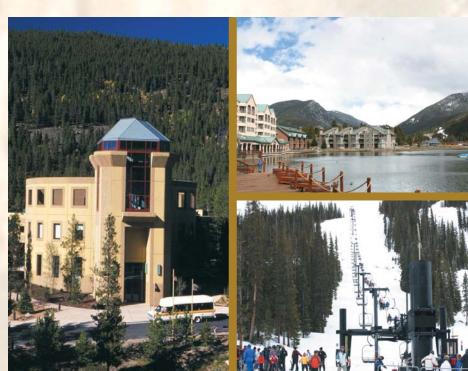


Exhibit Floor Plan



Keystone

One of North America's Top Mountain Resorts in the Heart of the Rockies!



Confirmed Speakers...

Your clients won't want to miss!

Richard Schodde Jon Hronsky

Western Mining Corporation
"The Role of World Class Deposits in
Wealth Creation"

Tom Albanese

CEO, Copper and Exploration, Rio Tinto "The Exploration Philosophy of Rio Tinto – A Longer Term View of Value Creation"

Donald Lindsay

President, Teck Cominco, or alternate "Wealth Creation with Junior Companies"

Rob McEwen

Chairman, Goldcorp, Inc.
"Challenge and Prosper: The What, Why and
How the Goldcorp Challenge Worked"

Colin Macdonald

VP Exploration, Cameco "Uranium Market Fundamentals and Exploration Success: Cameco's Strategy"

Doug Kirwin

VP Exploration, Ivanhoe Mines
"The Discovery of the Oyu Tolgoi Cu-Au Deposit"

Oliver Warin

VP Exploration, BHP, retired
"The Discovery of the Ekati Diamond Deposit"

Philip Crowson

Chief Economist, Rio Tinto, retired
"Metals and Minerals: The Past 25 Years"

Richard Sillitoe

Consulting Economic Geologist

John Thompson

Chief Geoscientist, Teck Cominco
"Changes in Exploration Methods and
Discovery Strategies"

Michael Doggett

Professor, Queen's University

Richard Leveille

President, Phelps Dodge Exploration "Measuring Costs, Risks and Returns from Exploration – Improving the Success Rate"

Robert A. Gannicott

Chairman and CEO, Aber Diamond Corporation "Presentation title to be announced"

Geoff Handley

Executive Vice President, Placer Dome "Turquoise Ridge and Cortez Hills – A Contrast in Economic Outcomes"

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"Creating Value through Royalties"

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Exploration and Mining"

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"Timing is Everything – Almost:
The Optimization of Lac des Iles"

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"Reserves, Resources and Reconciliation"

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General Manager, Mineral District Exploration
Newmont Mining Corporation
"Value Creation in Near-Mine Development
Programs at Newmont's Nevada
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Sustainability"

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"Human Resource Strategies for the Minerals Industry – Careers, Competencies, and Compensation"

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