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SDAG MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

Wednesday December 19, 2001

Where: **San Diego Natural History Museum**
1788 El Prado
San Diego (Balboa Park)
Phone: (619) 232-3821

When: 6:00 pm – Social Hour
7:00 pm – Dinner
8:00 pm – Program

Directions: Directions: located in Balboa Park near Park Boulevard and Village Place, just south of the San Diego Zoo. Enter the new entrance on the north side, facing the large Moreton Bay fig tree. Social hour and dinner will be in the main 4-story atrium, the movie (*Ocean Oasis*), SDAG scholarships presentation, and election of SDAG officers will occur in the theater.

Dinner: A delicious Mexican food buffet.

Cost: \$20 per person, \$25 for late reservations (after 5:00 12/17), students/kids \$10 with ID

Reservations: Make your reservation **online** through the SDAG website at <http://www.znet.com/~sdag> or call the SDAG Reservation Line at: (858) 974-6994, ext. 1760, by Monday December 17. Contact Pat Brooks at (619) 532-0930 with any questions.

Presentation: ***Ocean Oasis***

Ocean Oasis, a new giant-screen film, is a fascinating journey into the bountiful seas and pristine deserts of two remarkably different, but inextricably linked worlds — Mexico's Sea of Cortés and the Baja California desert. What powerful geologic forces collided to carve out this unique region? What drives the strong currents that make this ocean so unusually rich in nutrients? How does life thrive in a seemingly barren landscape? *Ocean Oasis* mesmerizes us with revealing and memorable scenes that explore these mysteries. This is a great movie that the whole family will enjoy. For more information, please visit this link.

<http://www.oceanoasis.org/>

Upcoming 2002 Meetings:

January 16 th	Geology of the Northern Yukon and Northwest Territory – David Steller – at Qwiigs in Ocean Beach
February	Olivenhain Dam Project – David Perry – location to be announced
March	To be announced
April	To be announced
May	To be announced
June	SDAG Picnic
July	To be announced
August	To be announced
September	SDAG Field Trip
October	To be announced
November	To be announced
December	Annual Holiday Meeting

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Elections: This year we have two candidates for treasurer: Scott Donovan of Bechtel National Inc., and Dr. Margaret Eggers of Hargis Associates. Monte Murbach is the only candidate for secretary; Patrick Brooks for Vice President; and Bob Stroh for President. A ballot is enclosed. The election will be held at the December meeting. Please mail your completed ballot to Barbara Birnbaum if you cannot attend the December 19th meeting. All ballots must be received by the 19th.

2002 SDAG Dues: It is time to renew your SDAG membership. The membership renewal form is included in the newsletter and extra copies will be provided at the December and January SDAG meetings.

SDAG NEWSLETTER IS DIGITAL! If we don't have your e-mail address, or if you have problems with the electronic format please contact Pat Brooks: brooksgp@efdswnavfac.navy.mil.

SDAG Wear: - Monte has a variety of shirts, hats, visors and even a nice vest with the SDAG logo. A small selection is available for purchase at the meetings; all SDAG wear can be ordered from Monte.

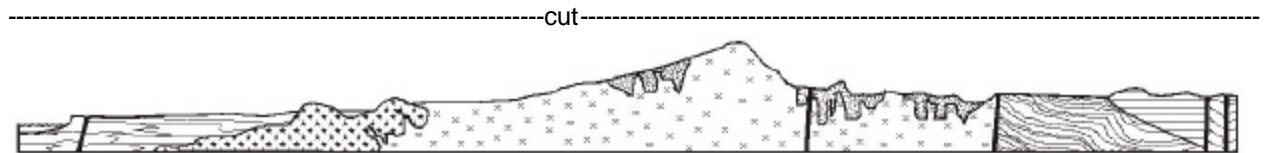
SDAG Scholarships: - Please see Bob Stroh regarding potential candidates for 2002 SDAG scholarships.

2000 Field Trip Guide is Available: - The 2000 Field Trip Guide, *Geology and Enology of Temecula Valley*, is available for purchase at SDAG meetings or via the publication order form (attached).

2001 Field Trip Guide: The 2001 Field Trip Guide will be available in March 2002.

SDSU Geology Department Seminar Series – Wednesday Afternoons - The seminar announcement page is at: <http://www.geology.sdsu.edu/seminars/>

Raft Trip - \$2002 in Y2002! Join your geo-pals on an eight-day Grand Canyon raft trip in late June 2002. Yes, we anticipate that the cost will be close to \$2002 – if you would like more info, contact Sue Tanges, 619-442-8022 or e-mail, s.tanges@att.net



**Official Ballot
SDAG Officers for 2002
(please mark with an X next to your choice)**

President	Bob Stroh ____ Write in ____
Vice President	Patrick Brooks ____ Write in ____
Secretary	Monte Murbach ____ Write in ____
Treasurer	Scott Donovan ____ Dr. Margaret Eggers ____

Please turn in your ballot at the December SDAG Meeting. If you are unable to attend, please mail your ballot to the current President, Barbara Birnbaum, so it is received prior to the December meeting. Thanks!!

POSITIONS AVAILABLE:

- Geology Instructor, The Grossmont-Cuyamaca Community College District, located in El Cajon, California, is currently accepting applications for a full-time, tenure track Geology Instructor beginning Fall 2002. Applications are required and may be obtained at www.gcccd.net/hr/academic.htm . Applications must be received by 01/18/02. AA/EEO/Title IX Employer
- US Laboratories seeks Senior, Project, and Staff level Geotechnical Engineers and Geologists with 5 to 10 plus years experience, and experienced Field Technicians and Inspectors with appropriate certifications. Positions available in Ventura, Irvine, San Diego, and Las Vegas. Please submit resumes in confidence to: US Laboratories, Inc. (USLB), 7895 Convoy Court, Suite 18, San Diego, CA 92111, Attention Human Resources c/o M. O'brien, or by email to mobrien@uslaboratories.com. [Testing Engineers – San Diego](#) is a SDAG Corporate Sponsor.
- Geocon Consultants, Inc., a San Diego-based environmental services firm, is seeking Project and Staff Level Engineers or Geologists with site assessment and/or remediation experience. Minimum 5 years experience and registration preferred. California consulting experience preferred. Email resume to environmental@geoconinc.com or fax (858) 558-8437 ([Geocon](#), Inc. is a SDAG Corporate Sponsor).
- GEOSYNTEC CONSULTANTS, a national environmental consulting firm, seeks individuals for our San Diego office with BS/MS in geology or hydrogeology, with 1-3 years experience in environmental field work, including lithologic logging; monitoring well installation; soil, sediment, surface water, and ground-water sampling; aquifer and slug tests; and management of subcontractors. Ideal candidate will have good oral/written skills. Travel required; physically fit & clean driving record. Competitive salary with excellent benefit package. Fax resumes to (858) 674-6586 or email to twest@geosyntec.com.
- STAFF ENGINEERS & SOIL TECHNICIANS – Southern California Soil & Testing, Inc. (SCST) has 2 - 3 positions available for experienced staff engineers and soil technicians with several years experience towards registration and certification. SCST offers a comprehensive compensation and benefit package, and the opportunity to work on a wide range of projects. Submit resumes in confidence to SCST, 6280 Riverdale Street, San Diego, California 92160-0627, Atten: Steve Jensen, or fax to (619) 280-4717.
- [Ninyo & Moore](#) has the following positions to be filled include in San Diego: Project-level Geotechnical Engineers and Geologists (5+ years experience); Staff and Senior Staff-level Geotechnical Engineers and Geologists (2+years experience); Field Technicians with appropriate soils and materials testing certifications; Deputy Inspectors for concrete, masonry, welding and structural steel (ICBO certification required, DSA and City of San Diego certification a plus). Please submit resumes in confidence to our Corporate Personnel Director at: Ninyo & Moore, 5710 Ruffin Road, San Diego, California, 92123, or via e-mail at careers@ninyoandmoore.com. EOE.
- ENVIRONMENTAL GEOLOGIST/SCIENTIST: Growing, dynamic consulting firm seeks individual with minimum 3-5 years experience in soil and groundwater investigations and remediation (UST,RCRA or CERCLA sites), hydrogeology, and Phase I site assessments. Strong writing and communication skills a must. B.S. in geology/hydrogeology or related field. M.S. and Southern California experience a plus! Compensation and benefits commensurate with education and experience. Environmental Business Solutions offers challenging work, opportunities for growth, and a competitive compensation and benefits package. Please send a resume, cover letter, and salary requirements to Environmental Business Solutions, Inc., Attn: Human Resources, 8799 Balboa Ave., #290, San Diego, CA 92123 or email cover letter/resume in MS Word format to info@ebsenvironmental.com.

- Environmental Health Specialist II with San Diego County DEH-SAM. This position oversees the assessment and mitigation of contaminated properties in San Diego County. Job description and requirements can be found on the county website at:

www.co.san-diego.ca.us/cnty/cntydepts/general/human_resources

If you have further inquiries, please contact Mike Verneti by phone at (619) 338-2242 or by e-mail at: mverneeh@co.san-diego.ca.us.

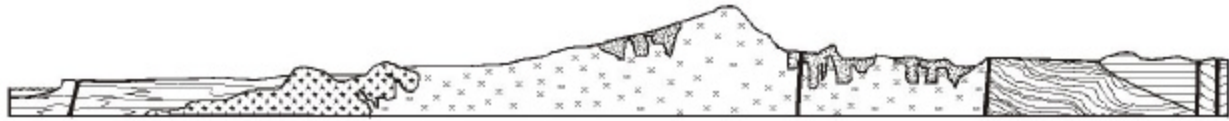
- Remedial Project Manager (RPM), Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) Operations Office, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Southwest Division, San Diego, CA. The RPM is responsible for managing environmental (restoration and compliance) projects at these facilities, including overseeing day-to-day activities and reviewing/preparing documents associated with the Installation Restoration Program (IRP). The RPM manages various contractor personnel as part of overseeing the day-to-day activities. These efforts include report writing, field activities, and meetings with Navy/Marine Corps personnel, as well as regulators, the public and significant stakeholders. The RPM is responsible for facility IRP management, applying innovative technical principles, practices, theories or state of the art methods to resolve technical and administrative issues. Experience should include knowledge of CERCLA and RCRA regulatory environments, environmental compliance such as USTs, air, water, stormwater, and/or NEPA; knowledge of technical requirements for investigation and remediation of soil and/or groundwater. At least five years working in the environmental engineering field, including recent project management experience is required. Experience with DoD facilities and the IRP is highly desired. Send resumes via e-mail to: DWhittaker@west.anteon.com, or to

Anteon Corporation
Human Resources Department
3430 Camino del Rio North
San Diego, CA 92108
Attn: Don Whittaker

- The Dibblee Geological Foundation has an immediate need for a contract geologic map editor. The contractor should be a skilled field geologist, have digital cartography experience, large offset printing press management skills, and artistic abilities. The principal work place will be Santa Barbara, California. The mission of the Thomas Wilson Dibblee Jr., Geological Foundation, a small non-profit organization, is to prepare, edit, publish, and make available to the public all of the geologic mapping done by Thomas Wilson Dibblee, Jr. Some 75 maps have been published with several hundred remaining.

The contract duties will include editing, field checking, digital transfer from the field sheets to a mapping program, cartographic projection transformations, overlay onto USGS topographic base, legend and cross-section construction, transfer of digital map to the printer, printing supervision, and print editing. The contractor will also participate in promotional and fund raising activities consisting of attendance at professional society meetings, field trip organization, and meeting with potential donors. Strong working knowledge of California geology is desired and a California Drivers license is required. Interested contractors should send letter of interest and resume to:

Dibblee Geological Foundation
Post Office Box 2309
Camarillo, CA. 93011



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