

Dear UEFA Forum Members,

We hope that your summer was relaxing and we wanted to get in touch with the UEFA membership to share some updates for events this fall.

### **Upcoming AIChE and UEFA Events**

- The third installment of UEFA's series "Asphaltenes Issues in Deepwater Production" will focus on the role and input from academia to solve the challenging issues of asphaltenes in oil production. Prof. Francisco "Paco" Vargas of Rice University will lead this workshop titled, "On the prediction, prevention and mitigation of asphaltene deposition." This event will be run in conjunction with the AIChE South Texas Section and will take place on Thurs. Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 PM at the Pelazzio Banquet Hall (12121 Westheimer Road) in Houston, TX.
- UEFA will be sponsoring an AIChE webinar titled, "Wax Deposition" hosted by Dr. Zhenyu "Jason" Huang of Assured Flow Solutions and Sheng "Mark" Zheng of the University of Michigan. The event will be run through the AIChE Academy ([aiche.org/academy](http://aiche.org/academy)) and will be presented on Wed., Nov. 4 from 2-3pm ET.
- Please join us for the UEFA sessions at the AIChE Annual Meeting (Nov. 8-13) to be held in Salt Lake City, UT. UEFA will be hosting four technical sessions: (1) Flow Assurance 101, (2) Phase Behavior and Flow of Reservoir Fluids, (3) Innovation in Production of Unconventional Reservoirs, and (4) Heavy Oil and Flow Assurance ([aiche.confex.com/aiche/2015/webprogram/Symposium3977.html](http://aiche.confex.com/aiche/2015/webprogram/Symposium3977.html)). We were pleased to receive so many interesting research papers and look forward to seeing you at the meeting!
- Please let us know if you have any ideas for future workshops or special sessions at AIChE meetings.

### **Other Upcoming Conferences**

- The SPE Annual Technical Conference and Exhibition (ATCE) will take place in Houston, TX from Sept. 28-30 ([spe.org/atce/2015](http://spe.org/atce/2015))
- The SPE Flow Assurance Issues – Shale and Tight Rock Workshop will be held in Galveston, TX from Oct. 28 - 30 ([spe.org/events/15aga8](http://spe.org/events/15aga8)).
- The AIChE 7th Southwest Process Technology Conference will be held in Galveston, TX from Oct. 1 - 2 ([aiche.org/conferences/southwest-process-technology-conference/2015](http://aiche.org/conferences/southwest-process-technology-conference/2015)).

Lastly, don't forget to vote for the 2016 AIChE Board of Directors! Electronic ballots will become available on Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> at [AICHE.SocietyElection.com](http://AICHE.SocietyElection.com). Thank you for your time and participation in UEFA!

Sincerely,  
The UEFA Leadership Team  
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