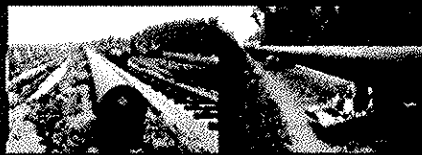


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## **NACE East Asia Pacific Regional Conference & Exhibition**

**"Managing Corrosion Beyond the 21st Century Conference, 2008"**

**12 - 14 May, 2008, Prince Hotel & Residence, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia**

*Call for Papers*

### **Introduction and Guideline**



#### **Keynote Address by Datuk Abdul Rahim Hj Hashim, Vice President, Gas Business Division, PETRONAS and President, Malaysian Gas Association**

Datuk Rahim has 28 years of experience in the oil and gas industry and is also President of Asia-Pacific Natural Gas Vehicles Association (ANGVA). He also represents ANGVA members consisting of national associations from South Korea, India and Thailand as well as research organizations, distributors, retailers, energy producers and industry associations interested in supporting natural gas vehicles. A stalwart in the global gas industry and a corrosion expert, Datuk Rahim is registered with the Board of Engineers and the Institution of Engineers, Malaysia. He is also an associate member of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers. He currently sits on the Board of various PETRONAS subsidiaries both in Malaysia and overseas.



#### **Opening Address by Louis D. Vincent, NACE International President (2007-2008)**

Louis D. Vincent, President of L.D. "Lou" Vincent PhD, Inc. and Director Coating Services, Corpro Companies, Inc. (Lafayette, Louisiana), is NACE International President for 2007-2008. A member of NACE since 1983, Dr. Lou is a NACE Certified Coating Inspector, NACE Protective Coatings Specialist, and is a NACE instructor for inspection courses, marine courses, and protective coatings and linings courses. Dr. Lou received his M.Sc. in business administration as well as Doctorate in business administration from the Pacific Coast University, Orange County, California.

The conference endorsed by **NACE International** is designed to encompass the need for all disciplines within the corrosion fraternity to work towards common goals and advancement of knowledge in Asia Pacific. This Regional Conference and Exposition, jointly organized by **NACE East Asian & Pacific Region, PetroMin Pipeliner and RAMS Asia** is scheduled on **May 12 – 14, 2008**. The venue is **Prince Hotel & Residence Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia**. The symbolic backdrop of the **Petronas Twin Towers** is **abuzz with high activities of Malaysia's Central Business District**, is expected to showcase this main event for the region.

Formal presentations, informal technical meetings and panel discussions are some of the events of this conference. Latest technologies and innovations are presented through the exposition. **"Managing Corrosion Beyond the 21st Century"** has been chosen as the theme. Technical papers of the highest professional standard without commercial content should be based on the following categories:

- Cathodic Protection
- Corrosion Risk Management
- Inspection & Maintenance Management
- Pipeline Integrity Management
- Environmental Impact Assessment
- Erosion Monitoring
- Risk Based Inspection (RBI)
- Fitness For Service (FFS) Analysis
- Inspection of Corrosion Under Insulation (CUI)
- Conservation and Restoration
- Materials Selection
- Coating Technology
- Chemical & Inhibitors
- Theoretical Modeling & Prediction
- Concrete Inspection Materials Selection
- Corrosion Control , Prevention & Monitoring
- Training and Education
- Codes and Standard
- Case studies
- and any related discipline.

The author should submit an abstract of no more than 400 words in MS WORD format and state clearly the objectives, subject matter and conclusion to be presented in the full papers. The abstract should be accompanied by the authors' bio data(s) (<100 words) and photo(s). All final papers MUST be written in MS WORD, to facilitate publications of selected papers in PetroMin Pipeliner & RAMS Asia. 'Power Point' submissions will not be considered for publication.

Abstracts of papers on any of the topics mentioned above are being actively solicited although other topics of equal interest will also be considered. Authors who wish to share their experience & knowledge in their field of expertise are invited to submit an abstract of their paper for consideration by the technical committee.

**Abstracts submission - Deadline 12th March 2008**  
**Notification of acceptance - 30th March 2008**  
**Final Papers Submission - Deadline 12th April 2008**

If you wish to present a paper in the NACE East Asian & Pacific Region Conference, you may send in an abstract of your paper either Online or by E-mail to: [zaman@safan.com](mailto:zaman@safan.com) or [kalpa@safan.com](mailto:kalpa@safan.com) or [nacemalaysia@gmail.com](mailto:nacemalaysia@gmail.com)

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