



**Student and Industry Night with a
Presentation by the HWY 97 Task Force Society
Thursday September 18, 2008 at 6:30 pm
UBCO Campus, Arts Building, Room ART 366**

Presentation:

The APEGBC Okanagan Branch is pleased to welcome members of the Hwy 97 Task Force Society, a diverse group of people concerned about selection of a Highway 97 route designed to minimize negative impact on current and future Peachland development. Three engineers who work with the group will be presenting an overview of the task force's work. As well each speaker will also provide a short presentation directed to students and EIT/GIT's on recognizing potential career paths, career preparation, community participation, motivation and application of engineering principles to everyday life.



Presenters:

Richard Vinnell, Southern Alberta Institute of Technology 2nd Class Power Engineer with international experience, active experimental project consultant for oil, gas, specialty chemical along with power generation projects and presently a HWY 97 Task Force engineering consultant.

Gordon Harris, Camborne School of Mines, Cornwall, England educated mining engineer with international experience and presently a HWY 97 Task Force engineering consultant.

John Abernethy, University of New Brunswick civil engineer with international experience, active mining consultant and presently a HWY 97 Task Force engineering consultant.

Who: All students, EITs, GITs, P.Geos., P.Engs. and public interested in transportation issues in the Okanagan Valley.

Where: University of British Columbia Okanagan (UBCO)
3rd Floor Art Building – Room ART 366

When: Doors open at 6:30 pm for refreshments, snacks and mingling;
Presentation and questions at 7:15 pm to 8:00 pm;



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APEGBC Okanagan Branch AGM at 8:15pm to 8:45 pm

Parking: Park within C, F or G lots and make your way towards the center courtyard of the campus. Once you've found the Arts building, make your way to the 3rd floor and into ART 366. Signs will be up to help guide your way.

Cost: \$10 for P.Ge./P.Eng. members and public;
\$5 for members (GIT/EIT); and,
\$0 (free) for students;

To Register: Attendees must register online through www.apeg.bc.ca/event by noon on Wednesday September 17, 2008. Please contact Bryan Brassington at bbrassington@golder.com for further information.