

MINERAL EXPLORATION
ROUNDUP 2010

Go for the Gold (and Everything Else)

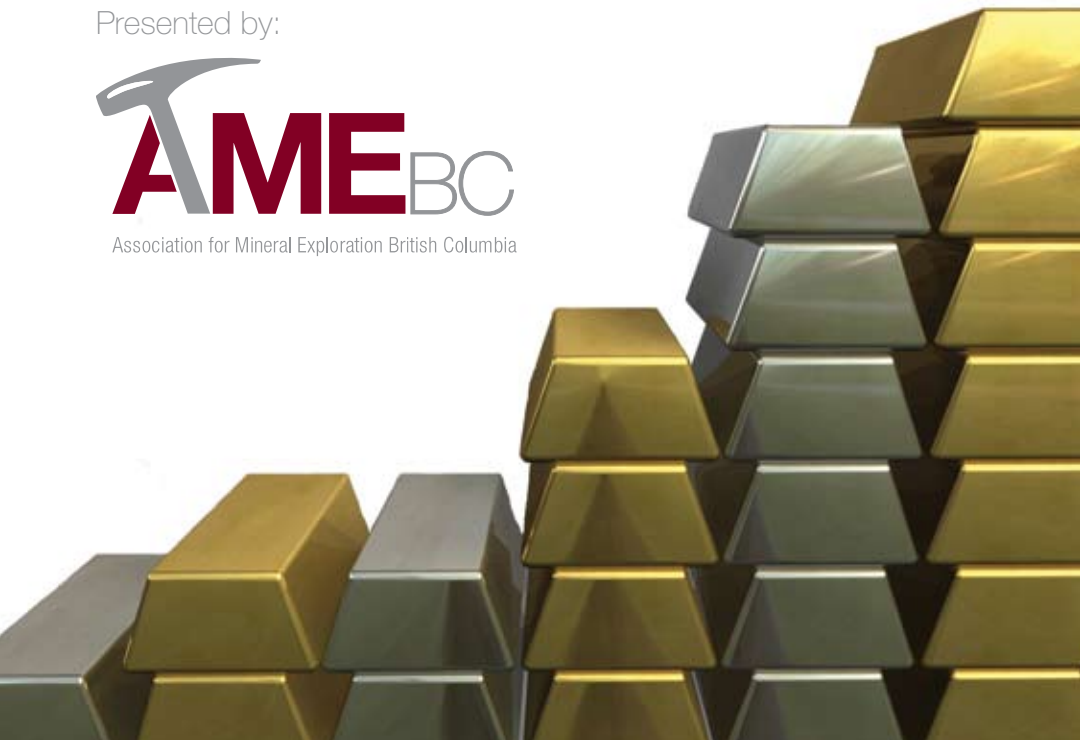
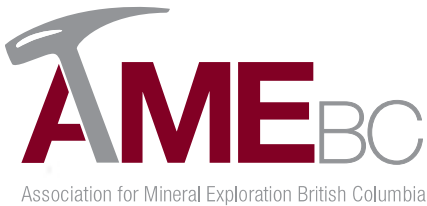
Roundup is the world's premier technical mineral exploration conference

January 18 – 21, 2010

Vancouver, British Columbia

The Westin Bayshore, Vancouver

Presented by:





Jason Weber

Invitation from the Chairs

The Association for Mineral Exploration British Columbia (AME BC) and the Roundup Organizing Committee invite you to the 27th annual Mineral Exploration Roundup from January 18 to 21, 2010. Once again, Roundup will bring together organizations and people representing all components of the global mineral exploration and mining sector in Vancouver, Canada.



Sue Craig

The theme of Mineral Exploration Roundup 2010 is “Go for the Gold and Everything Else”. Mineral explorers and miners are known for their tenacity, endurance, and drive – the past year has proven to be one of challenge, and of opportunity. Roundup offers members of the global mineral exploration community many reasons to be optimistic: short courses, keynote addresses, technical sessions, and field trips. The world’s premier technical exploration conference is also

renowned for its Trade Show, Core Shack, Prospectors’ Tent, and Map Tent. Our social events also celebrate our industry and are not to be missed.

Roundup offers excellent opportunities to learn, network, and meet up with competitors, colleagues, and old friends. Whether you are a dealmaker or a project manager, a geologist or a supplier, Roundup awaits you as we go for the gold and every mineral under the sun.

Please join us in beautiful Vancouver, where the world will meet in 2010!

Jason Weber – Chair, Mineral Exploration Roundup 2010

Sue Craig – Co-Chair, Mineral Exploration Roundup 2010

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Trade Show

The Trade Show is a staple of Mineral Exploration Roundup and presents an unparalleled opportunity to visit a wide cross-section of companies working in the mineral exploration and mining sector. In addition to the daily reception (4:00 pm to 5:00 pm), both the Baron of Beef Lunch and the Beer and Sandwich Lunch take place on the Trade Show floor. The companies exhibiting change daily, so make sure you visit the Trade Show regularly so you don't miss out.

Poster Session

The Mineral Exploration Roundup Poster Session highlights the activity and results of public geoscience and geoscience research activities, with a particular focus on British Columbia and the Cordillera. It features the results of geological mapping, economic geology studies and new ideas, new technologies, and access to geoscience databases. Government and university related database systems and information, such as those found on the MapPlace.ca and other geoscience sites, are available live.

Approximately 90 posters highlighting results from projects of the BC Geological Survey, Geological Survey of Canada, and Geoscience BC are the main attraction as well as research results from numerous university researchers, particularly students.

This session is particularly designed for one-on-one discussions and information exchange with those geoscientists most familiar with the geology and working within your area of interest. There will be posters presenting geophysical and geochemical surveys from across the Cordillera including: bedrock and surficial geoscience surveys in central British Columbia within the Mountain Pine Beetle impacted zone; geological mapping surveys from the north coast of British Columbia, and many parts of central and southern British Columbia (e.g. Quesnel Arc, Kootenays, Purcell Basin, Greenwood), southern Yukon (e.g. LaBiche, Kluane, and Windy McKinley Terrane), and western NWT (Mt. Eduni); and research on a wide variety of deposit types across the highly varied geology of the Cordillera.

Posters related to the Yukon, from the Yukon Geological Survey will be displayed in the Yukon Room. The main focus of the poster session is the Canadian Cordillera but topics of national and international interest are included as space allows.

New for 2010, work of high school geology students will be displayed during the poster session. BC's Geology 12 high school course is very similar to Geology 101 at university.

This year Ms. Jennifer Artibise's Geology 12 students from West Vancouver Secondary School have been invited to display their projects in the main exhibit hall at Mineral Exploration Roundup on Monday, January 18. They will be joined that day by students from other secondary schools to explore careers in our industry at Roundup.

Students are invited and encouraged to submit poster presentations for display. Student Prizes will be awarded. Please visit www.amebc.ca/roundup/technicalprograms/postersession.aspx for more information.

Prospectors' Tent

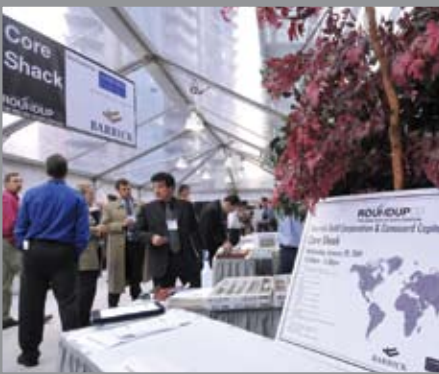
Located in the Core Tent, the Prospectors' Tent provides an opportunity for BC and Yukon based prospectors to present their diverse mineral properties to the delegates attending Mineral Exploration Roundup 2010.

AME BC invites all BC and Yukon based prospectors to participate in the 27th Annual Mineral Exploration Roundup. We welcome you to show off your properties and findings to a large and interested audience. Each participating prospector will be provided with a table and poster board to display their maps, rock samples, drill core, sketches of workings, photographs, and other data.



For application forms and information, please visit www.amebc.ca/roundup/technicalprograms/prospectorstent.aspx.

The Prospectors' Tent will run Monday, January 18, 2010 to Thursday, January 21, 2010 and will be open from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm daily.



Core Shack

A cornerstone of Mineral Exploration Roundup, Core Shack showcases new discoveries, leading prospects, advanced projects, and operating mines from around the world. Core Shack 2009 saw core displays from projects in 9 countries, representing a diverse suite of deposit types and commodities. The 2009 program

included one day devoted to projects from BC, Yukon and Northwest Territories; one day devoted to international projects; and one day primarily devoted to Canadian projects.

Core Shack provides an excellent cross-section of new developments in the exploration and mining sectors. A new suite of the sector's most compelling projects will be displayed each day, with maps, cross-sections, and the project's technical representative on hand to answer questions. For more information, please visit www.amebc.ca/roundup/technicalprograms/coreshack.aspx

The Core Shack will run Tuesday, January 19, 2010 to Thursday, January 21, 2010 and will be open from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm daily.

Map Tent

AME BC is pleased to be running the Map Tent for the third year, making it, along with Core Shack, an ongoing and integral part of the technical foundation of Roundup. Map Tent will provide Roundup participants with a first-hand opportunity to review working maps and sections, be they geology, geochemistry or geophysics, spanning from generative exploration projects to mine development projects. The purpose is to provide a venue for open peer discussion amongst explorationists, giving Roundup participants the chance to gain insights beyond those attainable from standard trade show exhibits or material posted on websites.



The Map Tent will run the length of Roundup, from Monday, January 18 to Thursday, January 21, 2010. The schedule is as follows:

- Monday, January 18 – Grassroots Exploration Projects
- Tuesday, January 19 – Early Stage Discovery Projects
- Wednesday, January 20 – International Projects
- Thursday, January 21 – Advanced Projects

The Map Tent will be open from 9:30 am to 5:00 pm daily.

*** New Location!** The Map Tent will now be held on the second floor outside of the technical session theater.

Field Trip

**Myra Falls VMS Mine and Quinsam Coal Mine Field Trip
Thursday, January 21 - Saturday, January 23**

The trip will depart by bus from The Westin Bayshore, Vancouver in the mid-afternoon of Thursday, January 21. The ferry and drive to Campbell River will take approximately 4 hours. The group will be divided into two groups. The groups will alternate going to Quinsam Coal on one day, and then to the Myra Falls mine on the other day. The two overnights will be in Campbell River with an early morning departure both days. The underground visits will take place in the morning, followed by a surface tour as dictated by time constraints. The bus will then return all participants to The Westin Bayshore late evening Saturday, January 23.

Technical Sessions

Monday AM:

Official Opening and 2009 British Columbia, Alaska, Yukon, Saskatchewan & Nunavut Exploration Reviews

In addition to the Opening Ceremonies, this session will provide British Columbia, Alaska, Yukon, Saskatchewan and Nunavut exploration reviews.

Monday PM:

Commodities Overview: From the Front End of Exploration

The Commodities Overview session focuses on the key mineral deposits that produce them. Never more relevant than today is the need for companies to focus on “best of breed” deposit types, those that can generate positive cash flows during any economic condition. During the past 100 years, numerous deposit types, and many different districts, have had their “day in the sun” as preeminent global producers. From the experiences of seminal geologists, and the approaches of the leading global mining companies, this session will present a series of “past, present and future” overviews on the deposits types, and/or districts, which have dominated global supply for the key commodities. In short, what were our key producers in the past, which deposits will see their companies through the current cycle, and where will our industry’s attention need to be focused in the future.

Tuesday AM: Public Geoscience

Public geoscience programs provide an important foundation for developing new concepts and knowledge of geology and mineral potential. This work, conducted by dedicated and experienced professionals, encourages new mineral exploration activity and helps in the successful targeting of minerals related investments. Geoscientists from the British Columbia Geological Survey, the Geological Survey of Canada, Geoscience BC, and the Yukon Geological Survey present recent successes from field and research programs throughout the Canadian Cordillera. Talks will highlight results from current Cordilleran bedrock and surficial mapping initiatives and interpretations of geophysical and geochemical datasets and compilation projects, and will present new insights into the economic geology and mineral deposits of the Canadian Cordillera. Virtually all new public geoscience data is delivered online through world-class tools such as MapPlace and MapMaker Online.

Tuesday PM:

British Columbia Mineral Exploration and Mining Highlights

In 2008, British Columbia maintained its status as Canada’s only molybdenum producer, its largest copper producer and the largest exporter of coal. The Province also produces gold, silver, zinc, and lead, as well as a number of industrial mineral and dimension stone products. Exploration and deposit appraisal expenditures in BC in 2008 remained high, at \$367 million. While down from the recent peak in 2007 of over \$415 million, 2008’s exploration expenditures are still a long way up from a mere \$25 million in 1999. BC’s share of exploration spending in Canada was 14.9 %, down slightly from 16.6% in 2007, but still well up from the low of 5.7% in 2001. This session will present a number of talks on selected BC exploration programs, advanced development projects, and important mining operations. Exploration, development, and mining of metallurgical coal, and BC’s three most important metallic (molybdenum, copper, and gold), deposits will be highlighted.

Technical Sessions

Wednesday AM: Canadian Exploration Highlights

The commodity boom turned to bust towards the end of 2008 and has remained volatile through 2009. While exploration budgets have tightened, Canada remains an attractive resource-rich, stable jurisdiction, and explorers have continued to make new discoveries and develop mining properties. This session looks at some of the Canadian projects that have excited the industry and market during 2009.

Wednesday PM:

“I still don’t get it?” Incorporating Social Responsibility and Environmental Best Practices into Exploration Programs

In today’s social and political environment more is expected from front line field geologists and project managers than ever before. Not only must they be competent in the science of geology, they also need to have a high level of computer, organizational, and budgeting skills as well as knowledge of sound safety and environmental practices. They also continue to be called on to ensure positive relationships are developed early with project stakeholders and communities. This task requires more than a basic appreciation of communication skills. To a large extent, project success will depend upon geologists being able to effectively integrate all these considerations into exploration project planning and execution.

This technical session will cover the nuts and bolts of integrating sustainability into early to late stage exploration projects. Talks will provide practical instruction on: integrating sustainability issues, such as social responsibility, environmental protection and community consultation into project planning, as well as outlining techniques and approaches to communication, consultation, and environmental data collection. Case studies and hypothetical examples will be used to demonstrate the “Do’s and Don’ts” of sustainable mineral development.

Thursday AM: International Case Studies: Risk to Reward

Since globalization of the mining industry there are very few jurisdictions where mining companies haven’t ventured in search of new mines. This session attempts to focus on a variety of factors which influenced, positively or negatively, decisions to enter an area to explore, discover, and hopefully develop a mine. The recent worldwide economic downturn has increased the risk, narrowed the preferred countries, and diminished the target types companies might consider spending their hard-earned cash on. What are the key components that influence moving forward?

Thursday PM: International Exploration Successes

The Global Financial Crisis may have dented 2009 exploration budgets for some, but the record spending of the last few years is still paying dividends. Companies committed to continuing exploration are finding that disciplined groundwork on greenfields projects over the last few years is now paying off with exciting drill results. Presentations in this session will showcase some of the exploration projects, teams, and approaches that grabbed the industry’s attention during 2009. They will also demonstrate that the exploration sector abroad is alive and well.

Short Courses

Aboriginal Engagement and Mineral Exploration – Managing your Prospects

Friday, January 15, 2010

Presented by: Laureen Whyte (AME BC) & Jamila Abassi

The mineral exploration community is diverse; from prospectors to exploration firms, but what they have in common is the need to access the land. In British Columbia this means working on Aboriginal traditional territory. The reality is clear: the mineral exploration industry and BC's First Nation must work together if long-term, shared success is to be fully realized.

AME BC developed an Aboriginal Engagement Toolkit to help guide explorers in building productive working relationships with BC First Nations. In it are templates and samples of agreements and required materials, as well as context to the current political, social and cultural environments in which you may be working. Ultimately, the toolkit has been designed to help facilitate dialogue based on mutual respect, and a commitment to honest and transparent communication.

This course is based on the basic components of the toolkit, recognizing that different levels of engagement are required at different times in the exploration process. The toolkit, and this course, provides a project-by-project, step-by-step approach to engaging with First Nations. As an industry, we know that each project is unique, and each community, Aboriginal or non-Aboriginal, has different expectations for communication and engagement. We will discuss the various steps and provide recent examples of how mineral exploration and First Nations can navigate the relationship building required to achieve long-term, shared success.

So You Want to be a Director - How to Stay Out of Jail

Friday, January 15, 2010

Presented by: AME BC, Charlotte P. Bell (Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP), David Toyoda (Boughton Law Corporation), & David Miller (TSX Venture Exchange)

This one-day course will educate you on the fundamentals of being a director or officer of a company. Whether you are currently a director or officer, or contemplating becoming one, you need to understand your duties and obligations or else you can face personal liability or even go to jail.

The course will be presented by experienced legal professionals who have tailored the content for geologists and engineers. The course will appeal to people who are new to the corporate world or who want an update on the current policies and legislation.

- Company Law 101 – Director duties and liabilities, how to protect yourself, and corporate governance.
- Securities Law 101 – Private placement financing, property vend-ins, and initial public offerings.
- Continuous Disclosure – News releases, insider trading, and insider reporting
- TSX Venture Exchange Policies – Property acquisitions, stock options, and financings.

Introduction to Mineral Resources Estimates

Friday, January 15, 2010

Presented by: AME BC & Marc Jutras (Alamos Gold Inc.)

Mineral resource estimates are publicly disclosed through press releases, technical reports, and annual reports. The techniques involved in the calculation of resources over the last 20 years have evolved greatly and can be at times overwhelming. The objectives of this one-day presentation are to firstly describe the methodology utilized in resource estimation in a simple and clear manner, and secondly to discuss the presentation of that information in public documents such as press releases and technical reports.

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In the first segment of the presentation, the focus will be on understanding the concepts behind the estimation of mineral resources. Items such as basic statistics, spatial continuity of grade, grade estimation and validation, and resource classification will be discussed.

In the second segment of the presentation, the attention will be directed at the public disclosure of mineral resources. Tips at how to read between the lines and what information should one look for in a press release or in a technical report, will be presented.

The main goal of this presentation is to provide sufficient knowledge to be able to comprehend and form an opinion about mineral resource information in publicly disclosed documents.

This presentation is addressed to geologists, mining engineers, investors, analysts, and anyone who is interested in a better understanding of the estimation of mineral resources.

Mining Company Disclosure

Friday, January 15, 2010

Presented by: AME BC & Jeff Wilson, Stefan B. Lopatka, Rod Young (TSX Venture Exchange), & Alex Homenuke (Investment Industry Regulatory Organization of Canada - IIROC)

Learn the fundamentals of good mining company disclosure. This full-day course is designed to help geologists and engineers (i) prepare & approve technical disclosure and (ii) understand the principles of the timely disclosure that underlie it.

The course covers Canadian regulatory requirements, focusing on companies listed on the TSX-V Exchange. It is presented by TSX Venture Exchange and Investment Industry Regulatory Organization of Canada (IIROC) professionals experienced in mining disclosure issues. You'll get valuable information that you can apply immediately.

The course address common areas of mining technical disclosure including

- Regulatory Framework
- Rules & Regulations, including National Instrument 43-101
- Materiality & Timely Disclosure
- News Releases - Disclosing complex technical information correctly
- Technical reports - Fundamentals of technical reports and common mistakes
- Reserves & Resources - How to report them and stay compliant
- Economic Evaluations - Disclosure from scoping studies to feasibility studies
- Property Valuations
- Website & IR Materials

Gold Deposit Models and Targeting

Saturday, January 16 & Sunday, January 17, 2010

Presented by: AME BC & Craig Hart (Mineral Deposit Research Unit - MDRU)

This two-day course will provide participants with an overview of both fundamental and new concepts in gold deposit geology and models, as well as highlighting key features that are critical in exploration targeting and discovery. Participants will be exposed to new and critical criteria in model definition. Targeting criteria and techniques will range across scales from crustal to prospect scale utilizing a range of innovative and "tried and true" techniques. Several practical exercises will emphasize practical hands-on map-based applications. This course is aimed at mineral exploration geologists, as well as government, academic, and student geologists. Additionally, this course provides an opportunity to meet and exchange data and views with leading researches in the field. For more information on the course, visit MDRU's website: www.mdru.ubc.ca/home/courses/offered.php.

Short Courses

Exploration & Mining 101

Saturday, January 16 & Sunday, January 17, 2010

Presented by: AME BC & Dr. Robert Stevens (British Columbia Institute of Technology)

This two-day course will present an overview of mineral exploration and mining for non-technical personnel working in this exciting industry (investor relations personnel, accountants, lawyers, management, administrative support, and investors). Topics that will be discussed include geology and mineral deposits, exploration methods, drilling, resource and reserve calculations, and common mining methods. The course includes an overview of how to read technical news releases, understand drill and assay results, and evaluate exploration properties and companies. Case studies using companies and properties in the news will augment the material presented. This course is adapted from the popular 4-day course called Exploration and Mining for Investment Advisors and Investors offered by AME BC and the BC Institute of Technology. A course manual will be provided.

Understanding Mineralization Controls: Applied Structural Geology to Exploration and Mining

Saturday, January 16 & Sunday, January 17, 2010

Presented by: AME BC & James Siddorn (SRK Consulting)

Structural geology is an important factor in the formation and post-mineralization modification of nearly all ore deposits. Structural control has an impact at all scales, from regional distribution of ore deposits to the geometry of individual ore bodies. This two day short course is designed to equip you with the tools and confidence to apply structural geology effectively and add value to your projects.

The low-jargon course is highly practical and interactive through a combination of PowerPoint presentations and practical exercises, with case studies from exploration, mining, geotechnical, and resource projects drawn from the collective global experience of SRK structural geologists. Day 1 will focus on the tools and methods for interpreting structural data and key structural principles in mineral exploration. This includes a review of new 3D modelling and structural interpretation techniques now available. This will be followed by an in depth review of fault and shear zone structural analysis. This will include the impact they have on mineralization distribution and control on ore plunge within different commodities and structural settings. A particular focus will be on vein styles within shear zones and the role of overprinting deformation on the post-mineralization structural modification of ore deposits.

Day 2 will include a review of fold structural analysis and their impact on mineralization distribution (e.g. saddle reefs, AC veins) and ore plunge; the analysis of structures in drillcore, including methods for interpreting and analysing structures in non-oriented and oriented core; and a review of regional structural and tectonic environments, linking deposit scale and regional structural interpretations.

A workbook containing copies of all presentations and exercises will be provided to participants for their future reference.

Exploration Geophysics in the Mineral Exploration Industry

Saturday, January 16 & Sunday, January 17, 2010

Presented by: AME BC, Nigel Phillips (Mira Geoscience), & Sergio Espinosa (Terrane Metals)

This course provides mineral exploration professionals with the knowledge and understanding of all the major geophysical techniques applied in mineral exploration today. It is suitable for a wide range of professionals who need to make decisions about using geophysics or based on geophysical results, including: Exploration Geologists, Project Geologists, Prospectors, Exploration Managers, Chief Geologists, Exploration VP's, and Geophysicists who require a refresher on certain topics.

Attendees will gain a basic understanding of geophysical data, processing, and modelling products including knowledge of what they are, how they work, in what situations they should be used, and how to use them as effective exploration tools.

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Theoretical background will be provided for all geophysical techniques followed by applied examples and case studies ranging from reconnaissance and greenfield to advanced exploration and deposit delineation programs. The topics covered will include gravity, magnetics, radiometrics, induced polarization (IP), and electromagnetics (EM); their relation to physical properties (density, magnetic susceptibility, conductivity, and chargeability) and geological sources (lithology, alteration, mineralization, structure); data acquisition platforms (airborne, ground, and borehole); data processing; and integrated modelling.

The course is organized by the British Columbia Geophysical Society and speakers include experienced geophysicists from academia, government, exploration companies, consultants, and contractors.

Exploration Targeting in a Business Context

Saturday, January 16 & Sunday, January 17, 2010

Presented by: AME BC & T. Campbell McCuaig (Centre for Exploration Targeting)

This two-day course provides an overview of exploration targeting from a business perspective, as well as building the confidence of participants in how to approach the technical challenges of targeting. Topics covered include: impacts of corporate strategy and risk tolerance on exploration strategy; mineral deposit models versus mineral systems; how to translate understanding of a deposit style into mapable criteria for target generation; how to rank and prioritize targets; different approaches to mineral potential mapping and prospectivity analysis including different empirical and conceptual methods highlighting their strengths and weaknesses; terrane endowment and maturity; and human behaviour and its impact on exploration targeting. Principles in the course will be reinforced through hands-on exercises and GIS-based examples.

The course is aimed at project geologists and exploration managers from junior through to major companies, who are making technical decisions about ground selection, target generation, target ranking, and target evaluation.

Exploring the MapPlace and Mineral Titles Online

Sunday, January 17, 2010

Presented by: AME BC & the BC Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources

This one-day short course will be of interest to mineral exploration and research geoscientists who want to use freely accessible government applications for research to identify new exploration targets and for mineral tenure acquisition and maintenance.

The hands-on course will review the basic tools of select, zoom, copy, paste, layer manipulation, and report and map printing for both the MapPlace and Mineral Titles Online (MTO). The MapPlace portion of the course will instruct participants to investigate key databases for mineral tenure, mineral inventory, mineral potential, assessment reports, geochemistry, geophysics, and geology to generate exploration targets and strategies. Exercises will include running queries such as zooming to any geographic location, finding location of mineral deposits, viewing tenure owners, extracting data from point/polygon intersections, and using visualization tools, such as Google Earth, to display data. The MTO portion of the course will instruct participants on accessing MTO, and acquiring and maintaining tenure. The procedures for the landowner notification report will also be reviewed.

Since 1995, the MapPlace has provided clients with efficiencies in research time, data costs, and analysis. Mineral Titles Online was implemented in January 2005 as a world-class online tenure registry and allows anyone from anywhere in the world to register and maintain a tenure. The use of these two systems coupled together offers the mineral exploration industry many resources to make and achieve sound business decisions. Links to both applications and supporting documentation can be found under Popular Topics at <http://www.empr.gov.bc.ca>.

PRE CONFERENCE EVENTS

Short Courses:

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Social Events:

Sunday, January 17, 2010

Ice Breaker Reception - 4:30pm to 6:30pm

Chairman's Welcome Dinner - 6:00pm to 9:00pm

Student-Industry Networking Event - 6:00pm to 8:00pm
(Ticket required)

DAILY EVENTS

Trade Show:

Monday – Thursday 10:00am to 5:00pm

Core Shack:

Tuesday – Thursday 10:00am to 5:00pm

Map Tent:

Monday – Thursday 9:30am to 5:00pm

Poster Session:

Monday 10:00am to 5:00pm

Prospectors' Tent:

Monday – Thursday 10:00am to 5:00pm

Exhibit Hall Reception:

Monday – Thursday 4:00pm to 5:00pm

Registration: January 16-21, 2010

Saturday: 7:00am to 11:00am

Sunday: 7:00am to 7:00pm

Monday: 7:00am to 5:00pm

Tuesday: 7:00am to 5:00pm

Wednesday: 7:00am to 5:00pm

Thursday: 7:00am to 3:00pm

Monday January 18, 2010

BREAKFAST EVENTS

CEO Breakfast
7:00am to 8:30am
(Ticket required)

8:30am
to
11:30am

Conference Opening

Technical Session
Official Opening and 2009 BC,
Alaska, Yukon, Saskatchewan &
Nunavut Exploration Reviews

LUNCH EVENTS

Baron of Beef Lunch
11:30am to 1:30pm
(Ticket required)

Technical Session
Commodities Overview: From the
Front End of Exploration
12:30pm to 3:00pm

2:30pm
to
5:00pm

Roundup Hockey Challenge
1:00pm to 4:00pm – Ice time
followed by reception

EVENING EVENTS

Yukon Night
7:00pm to 10:00pm



	Tuesday January 19, 2010	Wednesday January 20, 2010	Thursday January 21, 2010
BREAKFAST EVENTS		AME BC Health and Safety Awards Breakfast 7:00am to 8:30am (Ticket required)	
8:30am to 11:30am	Technical Session Public Geoscience	Technical Session Canadian Exploration Highlights	Technical Session International Case Studies: Risk to Reward
LUNCH EVENTS	AME BC Luncheon 12:30pm to 2:00pm (Ticket required)	AME BC Finance Luncheon 12:30pm to 2:00pm (Ticket required) Old-Timer's Luncheon 11:00am to 2:00pm (Invitation only)	AME BC - CIM - MEG Luncheon 12:30pm to 2:00pm (Ticket Required) Beer & Sandwich Lunch 12:00pm to 1:00pm (Complimentary ticket included in full delegate package)
2:30pm to 5:00pm	Technical Session British Columbia Mineral Exploration and Mining Highlights	Technical Session "I still don't get it?" Incorporating Social Responsibility and Environmental Best Practices into Exploration Programs	Technical Session International Exploration Successes Mrya Falls VMS Mine and Quinsam Coal Mine Field Trip Conference Closing
EVENING EVENTS	BC Night 7:00pm to 10:00pm	Annual Curling Bonspiel AME BC Awards Night and Silent Auction 6:30pm Dinner & Awards 7:30pm (Ticket required) Alaska Night 7:00pm to 10:00pm	

POST CONFERENCE EVENTS

Thursday January 21, 2010 - Saturday January 23, 2010

Field Trips:

Myra Falls VMS Mine and Quinsam Coal Mines
Field Trip



Sunday

January 17, 2010

Ice Breaker Reception

This opening reception provides an opportunity to mingle with fellow delegates.

Student-Industry Networking Event

This event provides an opportunity for students to meet and talk with people working in the business to find out what kinds of job and career opportunities are available, and what one needs to do as a student to get the career you want.

**Conference badges must be worn to obtain entrance to event.*



Monday

January 18, 2010

CEO Breakfast

Keynote Speaker: TBA
Ticket Required

Baron of Beef Lunch

Ticket Required

AME BC Health and Safety Awards Luncheon

Ticket Required

24th Annual Roundup Hockey Challenge

Players with a wide variety of skill levels, representing teams from industry, UBC, and the Ministry of Energy, Mines & Petroleum Resources will once again faceoff in this annual round-robin format tournament at Burnaby 8 Rinks.

Yukon Night

Come attend a spirited social gathering in celebration of the Yukon coordinated by the Yukon Chamber of Mines.

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Tuesday

January 19, 2010

AME BC Luncheon

Keynote Speaker: TBA
Ticket Required

BC Night

Plan to join representatives from BC communities that support and encourage mineral exploration and mine development in their communities and representatives from service and supply companies operating in these communities as they celebrate what British Columbia has to offer. Come dance the night away as AME BC celebrates its 27th successful Mineral Exploration Roundup at this lively event. Coordinated by AME BC.

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Wednesday

January 20, 2010

AME BC Health and Safety Awards Breakfast

Learn from the recipients of the David Barr Award and Safe Day Everyday Gold Award.

Ticket Required

AME BC Finance Luncheon

Keynote Speaker: TBA

Ticket Required

Old-Timers Luncheon

Invitation Only

AME BC Awards Night and Silent Auction

Ticket Required

This gala event honours individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the mineral exploration and mining sector. For a description of the awards or to make a nomination, please visit www.amebc.ca/awards.htm. Proceeds from the Silent Auction will go to the Mineral Resources Education Program of BC.

Annual Curling Bonspiel

This annual event is a great networking opportunity for those who curl.

Alaska Night

Annual party presented by the Alaska Miners Association.

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Thursday

January 21, 2010

AME BC - CIM - MEG Luncheon

Keynote Speaker: TBA

Ticket Required

Beer & Sandwich Lunch

Complimentary ticket included in Full Delegate Package



Monday to Thursday

Jan. 18 to Jan. 21, 2010

Daily Exhibit Hall Receptions

These daily receptions will allow delegates an opportunity to explore the Trade Show.



Roundup Rockhounds

In cooperation with AME BC, the Mineral Resources Education Program of BC will once again be involving elementary and secondary students and their teachers in Mineral Exploration Roundup 2010. We are expecting more than 120 students to attend Roundup 2010 as special delegates after working on mineral resources units with their teachers in the fall. While attending Roundup, the students will participate in a full day of learning opportunities including a Trade Show treasure hunt, gold panning with Yukon Dan, listening to exploration geologists speak about their exciting work, and talking with delegates and exhibitors to learn about the variety of careers and opportunities available in the mineral exploration and mining sector.

In addition to the students attending the conference, the Mineral Resources Education Program of BC will also showcase student artwork as the centerpieces at the AME BC Awards Night. There will also be a silent auction during the reception and dinner to raise funds for the program, which is a charitable organization.

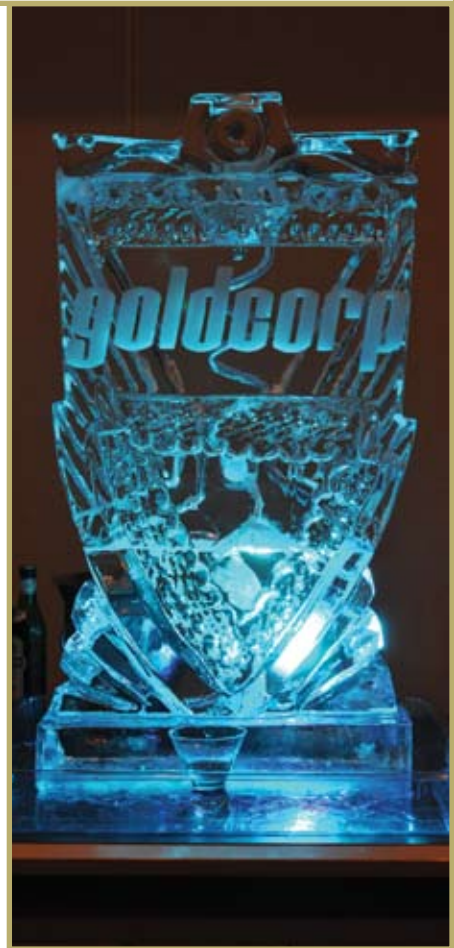
The Mineral Resources Education Program of BC is a partnership program between teachers and the minerals industry in BC. It was created to assist teachers in their development of educational materials to support teaching about minerals, mining, and geoscience in the classroom. The program's goals are to foster a well-informed public through school education based on accurate and balanced minerals information, and to stimulate young peoples' interest in minerals industry careers. To learn more about the Mineral Resources Education Program of BC, please visit www.bcminerals.ca.



Volunteers

Volunteers are an integral part of the success of Mineral Exploration Roundup. Each year, student volunteers assist on-site with registration, setting up core shacks and poster sessions, providing assistance to delegates, and assist with a myriad of other duties that contribute to the great success of Roundup. All student volunteers will receive the equivalent of a delegate registration, which includes admission to the Trade Show and Technical Sessions, delegate bag, and complimentary Beer & Sandwich lunch.

Please visit www.amebc.ca/roundup/roundupvolunteers.aspx for more information. To sign up as a volunteer please email the Volunteer Coordinator at volunteer@amebc.ca.



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Sponsors of Mineral Exploration Roundup 2010 have a unique way to reach over 5800 participants and enhance their visibility before, during, and after the event. All sponsors are guaranteed recognition and visibility on conference signage and the Mineral Exploration Roundup 2010 website. For details, or if you have questions on sponsoring an event, please contact

Lena Brommeland, Sponsorship Co-Chair at 604-687-6644,
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To view the Sponsorship Opportunities Package, please visit www.amebc.ca/roundup/roundupsponsorship.aspx.





Accommodations

The Westin Bayshore, Vancouver, located near Stanley Park and just a short walk to Vancouver's downtown business core, will be offering Mineral Exploration Roundup 2010 participants a special room rate of \$145 (plus 16% taxes) per night. This room rate will be available from January 14 to January 22, 2010. The reservation cut-off date is Tuesday, December 15, 2009. To ensure you receive the \$145 room rate, remember to identify yourself as attending "Mineral Exploration Roundup 2010". Book early as the rooms fill up quickly!

Four ways to Reserve a Hotel Room:

- Phone:** 604-682-3377 or 1-888-627-8634
Fax: 604-691-6980
Mail: Attn: Reservations Department
 The Westin Bayshore, Vancouver
 1601 Bayshore Drive, Vancouver, BC V6G 2V4
Email: bayshorereservations@westin.com

For information on other hotels, please visit
www.amebc.ca/roundup/generalinformation/hotel-visitor-info.aspx

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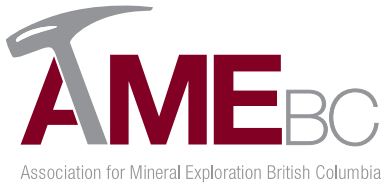
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