



## OGU 2008 EXHIBITION REPORT

### Oil and gas industry leaders' interest in OGU 2008 confirms its status



The 12<sup>th</sup> edition of the international exhibition and conference, OGU (Oil and Gas Uzbekistan), opened on 13 May 2008 in the capital of Uzbekistan, Tashkent. Over the last 12 years, OGU has drawn the attention of world leaders in the oil and gas sector to Uzbekistan, whilst also attracting interest from leading companies, top executives, engineers and specialists in oil and gas production.



The official opening ceremony for OGU 2008 was attended by the following officials: Mr. Shaismatov E. R., Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Uzbekistan, Sir Andrew Wood, Senior Advisor to the ITE Group, Mr. Ahmedov N. A., Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company, Mr. Majitov Sh. H, First Deputy Chairman of the Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company & Chairman of the Organising Committee of OGU 2008, Mr. Tan sri Hasan Marikan, President of Petronas, Mr. Karabalin U., President of KazMunayGaz JSC OC, Mr. Kiinov L. K., Deputy Minister for Energy and Mineral Resources of the Republic of Kazakhstan, Mr. Shafranik Yu. K., Chairman of the Board of Oil and Gas Producers of Russia, Mr. Spynu A. I., Head of the Gazprom OJSC delegation, Mr. Meretliyev Sh., Deputy Chairman of Turkmenkhimiya, Mrs. Khalmatova A. G., General Director of the UzExpoCentre National Exhibition Complex, Mr. Yakubov I., General Director of ITE Uzbekistan, heads and representatives of diplomatic missions from Russia, China, Azerbaijan, India, Poland, Vietnam, USA, Canada, Ukraine, Turkey, Turkmenistan, and other officials.



The Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Uzbekistan expressed his confidence that OGU 2008 would provide the ideal platform for dialogue between specialists, establishment of partner relations and signing of concrete deals on cooperation which would promote further development of the oil and gas sector and the economy of Uzbekistan on the whole.



Senior Advisor to the ITE Group, Sir Andrew Wood, welcome exhibitors and visitors on behalf of the organisers. While thanking all those who have supported the organisers of OGU 2008, Sir Andrew noted the growing international significance of OGU. He commented, "Exhibitions will always be needed. They help to establish partner relationships with countries from abroad, which lead to firm contracts and, ultimately, to the development of the oil and gas industry. I have no doubt that this exhibition will help its



exhibitors and visitors to meet new contacts and hold effective discussions, which will result in mutually-beneficial contracts".

The 12<sup>th</sup> edition of OGU was opened by Mr. Ahmedov N. A., Chairman of the Board of Directors of Uzbekneftegaz, and Sir Andrew Wood, Senior Advisor to the ITE Group. After the official ceremony, the guests took a tour of the exhibition.



Every year, the significance and status of OGU increases, which is reflected in the growing number of countries and companies participating in the exhibition and the increase in the size of the stands at the exhibition. In 2008, the exhibition grew by 30% compared to the previous year in both size and the number of exhibitors. Over 180 companies from 30 countries took part in OGU 2008, including those from Uzbekistan, Austria, UK, Vietnam, Germany, Denmark, Iran, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, China, Malaysia, Netherlands, United Arab Emirates, Poland, Russia, Romania, USA, Tajikistan, Turkey, Ukraine, France, Czech Republic and Switzerland.



The sectors of OGU represent the whole process of extraction and transportation of oil and gas, including exploration of natural resources, processing and conservation. The exhibition stands feature: equipment for oil and gas industries; equipment for exploration, development and maintenance; pipeline construction and technologies; drilling equipment and technologies; geological work and services; technologies for extraction, transportation and production; transportation of oil and gas; storage; pipeline technology and equipment; safety equipment, instruments and control systems; processing of oil and gas; storage reservoirs; pressure chambers; heat interchangers; pumps; compressor systems; transportation facilities; lifting systems; transportation systems; safeguarding systems; processing of waste; and monitoring equipment.



The event statistics reveal that Russia had the largest participation in OGU. However, interest from companies based in Europe and Asia is growing, as well as the local market.

OGU was officially sponsored by: CGGVeritas, Delta Oil Company, Denton Wilde Sapte, EuroFlex Inc., Giprogazoochistka, Integra, KazTransGas, Petronas, Platts, PricewaterhouseCoopers, TMK and the Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company.

#### **Events within OGU 2008:**

An annual international oil and gas conference on 'The development of oil and gas chemical production in Uzbekistan and Central Asia' was held during OGU 2008 in Tashkent. This year's conference programme included reports from representatives of Uzbekneftegaz and from companies and organisations from CIS and further abroad, including high-ranking government officials and heads of

large Uzbek and international companies. Approximately 500 delegates and over 40 speakers participated in the two-day conference.

**The exhibition is officially supported by:**

The Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company

The Ministry for Foreign Economic Relations, Investment and Trade of the Republic of Uzbekistan

The Mayor's Office of Tashkent

The Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Republic of Uzbekistan

**Logistic support is provided by:**

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**Official security provider:**

Group 4 Securitas Uzbekistan

**Sponsor of the press conference:**

The Integra Group

**Information support:**

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**Regular foreign participants:**

Petroliam Nasional Berhad (Petronas) – (Malaysia), Agru Kunststofftechnik GmbH (Austria), Intereng Messtechnik GmbH (Germany), Sercel (France), Input/output (USA), Man, Mannesmann Fuchs Rohr GmbH, Liebherr Export AG (Germany), Bumar Sp. R. O. O, Dressta Co. Ltd. (Poland), Tek Know (Denmark), Confind Srl (Romania), Sercel (France), Turkuaz Machinery (Turkey), Asia Caspian Engineering Co. (UAE), Zeromax GmbH (Switzerland), among others.

**Regular participants from CIS:**

These include companies from Russia, Kazakhstan and Ukraine: Lukoil, Gazprom, Zarubezhneft and Stroytransgaz. CentraVis (Kazakhstan) is new to OGU 2008, whilst SumyGazMash, Sumy Frunze NPO, Zorya-Mashpoekt, Interpipe, Ivchenko-Progress, Motor Sich, Promarmatura, and Vniicompressormash represent Ukraine.

### Regular participants from Uzbekistan:

The Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company, Zeromax GmbH, Uzelektroapparat – Elektroschyt, among others.

### Companies participating for the first time:

Catari – Seismo, EuroFlex Inc. (Great Britain), Agru (Austria), CGG Veritas (France), Jumo, Orbitalum Sub of Alk, Volz. (Germany), Hi-Tech Kabel (Uzbekistan), Aziyaenergomash (Uzbekistan) Integra group of companies (Russia), Centraviv (Kazakhstan), NEK (UzNEK) (Russia), Zorya–Mashproekt (Ukraine), Dorce Prefabrik Yapi Insaat San (Turkey), Shandong Kerui Petroleum Equipment Co., Ltd (China), National Oilwell Varco (UAE), Smith International (USA), Honeywell Analytics (Switzerland), among others.

More detailed information about participating companies is available in the OGU 2008 official catalogue.

### About the organiser – ITE:

OGU is organised by the international exhibition company, ITE, a member of UFI (the Global Association of the Exhibition Industry), with support from other companies within the ITE Group: ITE Exhibitions & Conferences Ltd (UK), ITE LLC (Moscow), GiMA (Germany) and Iteca (Kazakhstan).

ITE is a leading international organiser of exhibitions and conferences in emerging and fast-developing markets, particularly CIS and Eastern Europe. The group organises over 150 international exhibitions annually in 14 countries. ITE's events are well known around the world for being well-organised and supported at the highest level, and for their professional status.

Other events in ITE's portfolio include the following oil and gas exhibitions and conferences: KIOGE (Almaty, Kazakhstan), Atyrau Oil and Gas (Atyrau, Kazakhstan), MIOGE and RPGC (Moscow, Russia), Caspian Oil and Gas (Baku, Azerbaijan), GIOGE (Tbilisi, Georgia), TUROGE (Ankara, Turkey) and many others.

### EVENT STATISTICS:

**PARTICIPANTS: 180 companies**

**COUNTRIES REPRESENTED: 30**

**ATTENDANCE: 7,500**

**CONFERENCE DELEGATES: 428**

**CONFERENCE SPEAKERS: 47**

### Event sponsors:



## EXHIBITOR LIST:

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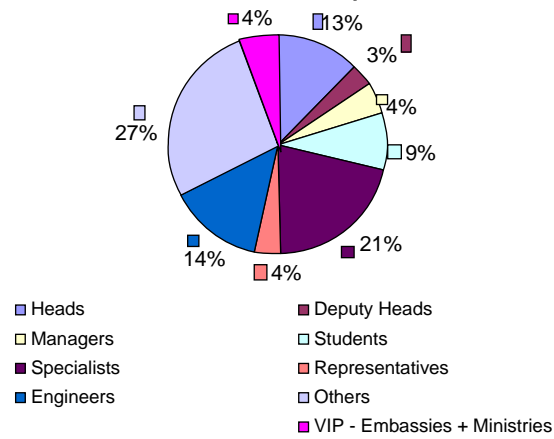
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BAODING EARTH SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY CO., LTD	China
BGP INC.	China
BUMAR SP. Z O.O.	Poland
CATARI – SEISMO	Russia
CENTRAVIS PRODUCTION UKRAINE, CJSC	Ukraine
CGGVERITAS	France
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DRESSTA CO LTD.	Poland
DRILLMEC S.P.A.	Italy
EUROFLEX INC.	Great Britain
HI-TECH KABEL, LLC JV	Uzbekistan
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JUMO GMBH & CO KG	Germany
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MAN TURBO AG	Germany
NATIONAL FIRE FIGHTING MANUFACTURING FZCO – NAFFCO	UAE
NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO	UAE
OIL EXPLORATION OPERATIONS COMPANY	Iran
ORBITALUM TOOLS GMBH	Germany
PETROLIAM NASIONAL BERHAD (PETRONAS)	Malaysia
PT ISTANA KARANG LAUT	Malaysia
RED MOUNTAIN ENERGY CORPORATION	Russia
RG PETRO-MACHINERY ( GROUP ) CO., LTD.	China
Salzgitter MANNESMANN FUCHS ROHR GMBH	Germany
SERCEL	France
SHANDONG KERUI GROUP CO.	China
SHANGHAI SK PETROLEUM & CHEMICAL EQUIPMENT CORPORATION LTD.	China
SMITH INTERNATIONAL (NORTH SEA) LTD.	USA
TECHNINIAI PROJEKTAI, JSC	Switzerland
TURKUAZ MACHINERY, LLP	Turkey
Uz-DR SERVICE CENTRE	Uzbekistan
VOLZ FLUID TECHNOLOGY GMBH	Germany
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AZIYAENERGOMASH	Uzbekistan
ALBATROS, CJSC	Russia
ALFA LAVAL POTOK, OJSC	Russia
ASKON	Russia

BD SENSORS RUS, LLC	Russia
BELKAMIT, JSC JV	Kazakhstan
BITTEKHNKA	Russia
"EURASIA" DRILLING COMPANY (EDC), LLC	Russia
VATI, OJSC	Russia
VOLGABURMASH	Russia
VOLGOGRADNEFTEMASH, OJSC	Russia
GAZPROM, OJSC	Russia
GEOSTAR STK, LLC	Russia
HYDRAULIC ENGINES AND SYSTEMS, INVESTMENT-INDUSTRIAL GROUP (GIDROMASHSERVIS CJSC)	Russia
GIPROGAZOOCHISTKA, OJSC	Russia
ZARUBEZHNEFT, OJSC	Russia
ZORYA – MASHPROYEKT, RPC	Ukraine
IVCHENKO – PROGRESS, SOE	Ukraine
INTEGRA, GROUP OF COMPANIES	Russia
INTERPIPE	Ukraine
KORVET, JSC OJSC	Russia
KUNGUR – OIL AND GAS EQUIPMENT AND SERVICES, OJSC	Russia
KURGANKHIMMASH, OJSC	Russia
LISKIMONTAZHKONSTRUKTSIYA TD, CJSC	Russia
LUKOIL, OJSC	Russia
LUKOIL OVERSEAS HOLDING LTD	Russia
METALPROMEXPORT, OJSC	Russia
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NEK (UZNEK)	Russia
JOINT METALLURGICAL COMPANY, CJSC	Russia
OZNA JOINT-STOCK COMPANY, OJSC	Russia
ORION – D, LLC	Ukraine
PAKER, RESEARCH AND PRODUCTION FIRM	Russia
PERVOMAYSKKHIMMASH – NAFTAEKO	Russia
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PROSOFT – SYSTEMS, LLC	Russia
RADIUS – SERVICE TRADING HOUSE, LLC	Russia
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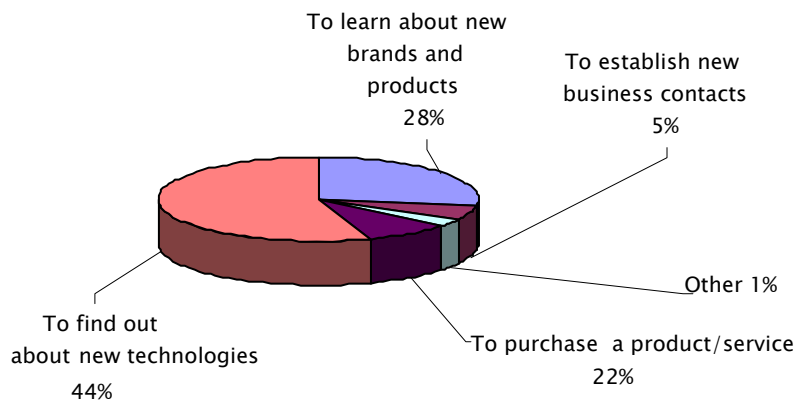
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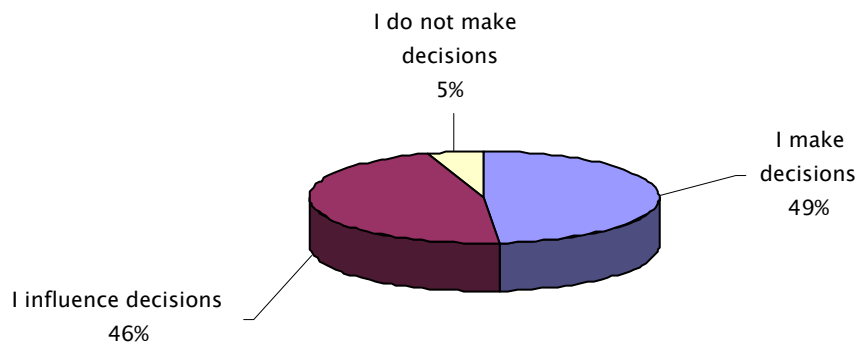
### The exhibition was attended by around 7,500 visitors



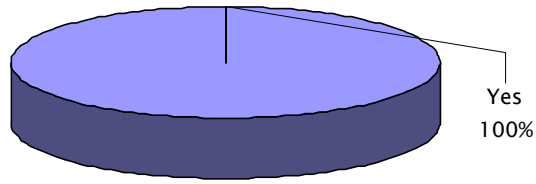
### What are your objectives in visiting this exhibition?



### To which extent are you responsible for making decisions about purchasing products and equipment?

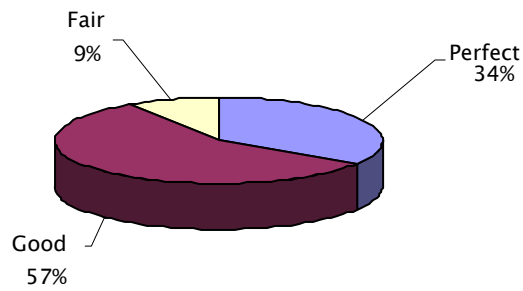


Are you planning to visit the exhibition again next year?

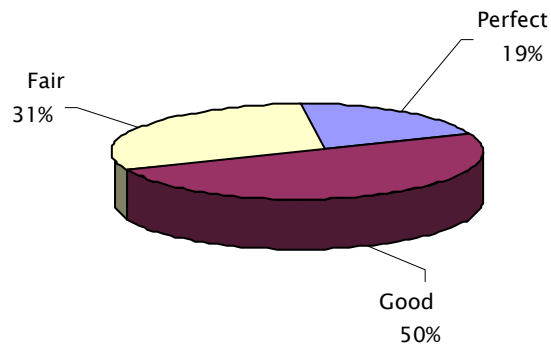


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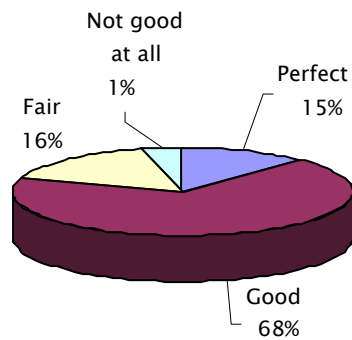
To what extent did you achieve your aim of increasing brand recognition?



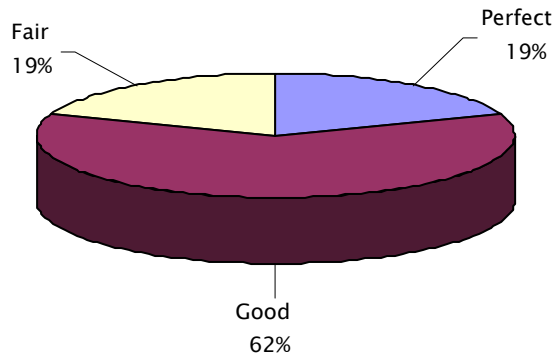
To what extent did you achieve your aim of signing agreements?



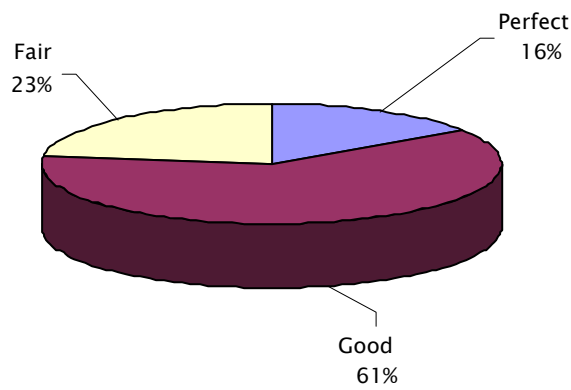
To what extent did you achieve your aim of assessing the competition?



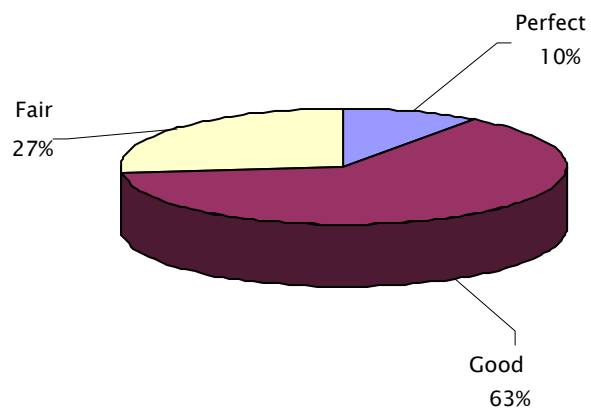
To what extent did you achieve your aim of establishing new business contacts?



How would you rate the number of visitors at this exhibition?



How well did the visitor profile match the exhibition profile?





**12th International Conference**  
*Alongside the OGU 2008 Exhibition*  
**14 – 15 May 2008, Intercontinental – Tashkent Hotel, Tashkent, Uzbekistan**



**Tuesday 13 May 2008**

**09:30 Official press conference for the opening of the OGU 2008 exhibition**

*Venue: UzExpoCentre Conference Hall, 107 str., Amir Temur*

Sponsor:



**11:00 Official opening ceremony of the OGU 2008 exhibition**

*Venue: Atrium, UzExpoCentre*

Sponsor:



**15:00–17:00 Pre-registration, Intercontinental Hotel, Intermezzo Hall**

**18:30 OGU 2008 gala reception and awards ceremony**

*Venue: Intercontinental Hotel, Amir Temur Hall, 107 B str, Amir Temur*

Organiser:



**International OGU 2008 Conference Programme**  
**Development of oil and gas chemical production in Uzbekistan and Central Asia**

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**Main topics:** • New approaches for attracting foreign investment into Uzbekistan's oil and gas industry

- Increasing oil and gas extraction in Uzbekistan
  - Development of alternative fuels in Uzbekistan
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**Day 1 • Wednesday 14 May, 2008**

**08.00 –08.50 Delegate registration**

Sponsor:



**08.00 –08.50 Coffee break**

Sponsor:



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**09.00 First plenary session: ROLE OF UZBEKISTAN IN THE WORLD'S OIL AND GAS MARKET**

**Official welcoming speech:**

**Sir Andrew Wood**, Senior Advisor to ITE Group plc (UK)

**Ergash Shaismatov**, Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Uzbekistan

**Nurmuhammad Ahmedov**, Chairman of the Board, Deputy Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company

**Chairman and host:**

**Shavkat Majitov**, Deputy Chairman of the Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company & Chairman of the Organising Committee for OGU 2008

**Keynote speech:**

**Dr. Timur Salikhov**, Director of the Energy and Automatics Institute under the Academy of Sciences of the Republic of Uzbekistan

*Characteristics of energy resource consumption in the modern world and their generation in Central Asian countries*

**Speakers:**

**Angus Miller**, Caspian Energy Adviser of the Climate Change & Energy Group

**Representative of the Centre for Political Research**

*Energy prospects of Uzbekistan*

**Asadkhodja Yusupkhodjayev**, Head of Department, the Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company

*Current state and prospects for development of oil and gas chemicals in Uzbekistan*

Sponsor:

11.00–11.30 Coffee break

**11.30 Second plenary session: FUNDAMENTAL ISSUES REGARDING INVESTMENT IN UZBEKISTAN: LEGAL AND TAX ISSUES**

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Favourable investment climate in Uzbekistan. Prospects for the Governmental Investment Programme – oil and gas sector. Investment legislation: tasks and objectives. Tax privileges for foreign companies engaged in exploration work. Status of foreign investors: rights and guarantees. Companies with privately owned capital: laws and guarantees. Production sharing agreements.

**Chairman and host:**

**Shavkat Majitov**, First Deputy Chairman of the Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company & Chairman of the Organising Committee for OGU 2008

**Keynote speech:**

**Bakhtiyor Irmatov**, Director of Uzinfoinvest Agency, Ministry for Foreign Economic Relations, Investment and Trade (MFERIT) of the Republic of Uzbekistan

*Investment climate in the Republic of Uzbekistan*

**Speakers:**

**Nodir Djurayev**, Head of Department for Economic Legislation, Justice Ministry of the Republic of Uzbekistan

*Tax privileges for foreign companies engaged in oil and gas exploration work.*

**Joel Benjamin**, Partner, Denton Wilde Sapte

**Umid Israilov**, Head of Department for foreign-economic activity and attracting investments of the Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company

*State and prospects for implementation of investment projects in Uzbekistan's oil and gas sector*

**Abdulhamid Muminov**, Head of Department for Tax Liabilities, PricewaterhouseCoopers, Uzbekistan

*New Tax Code 2008 – Imposition of taxes in the oil and gas sector of Uzbekistan*

Sponsor:

13.00–14.00 Lunch break

 **UZBEKNEFTEGAZ**

## **14.00 Third plenary session: INCREASING THE AMOUNT OF OIL AND GAS EXTRACTED IN UZBEKISTAN. LATEST TECHNOLOGIES (PART 1)**

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Development and prospects for geological exploration in the Aral Sea. Potential of the Ustyurt region. Future of the production sharing agreement: Urga, Kuanysh and Akchalak. Progressive technologies: horizontal drilling, sidetracking, hydraulic fracturing of formations. Implementation of the latest technologies and exchange of experience between Uzbek and foreign enterprises. Industrial safety.

### **Chairman:**

**Dr. Ulughbek Nazarov**, Deputy Minister for the Economy, Republic of Uzbekistan

### **Keynote speech:**

**Muzaffar Buriyev**, Deputy General Director of Uzneftegazdobycha JSC  
*Increasing oil and gas extraction in Uzbekistan*

### **Speakers:**

**Arkadiy Bykov**, Deputy General Director, TMK – Premium Service LLC  
*New aspects of service maintenance from the tube-making company for the oil producing industry*

**Nikolay Shatov**, Head of the Department for Directed Drilling, EuroFlex Inc.  
*Development of integrated research technologies and horizontal well targeting on the basis of a combination of scientific research, engineering and service works in EuroFlex Inc.*

**Georgiy Shakhnazarov**, Divisional Manager, UzLITneftgaz OJSC  
*Characteristics of developing an oil-gas condensate field in the third stage of development.*

**Nigmat Mansurkhodjayev, Mirdjalil Usmonov**, Higher Technical School of Fire Safety, Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Republic of Uzbekistan  
*Experience of developing fire extinguishing equipment and its implementation in Uzbekistan and the Russian Federation.*

**Abdelkader Djedu**, Vice-President for Business Development, Eastern Europe, Central Asia, North Africa, CGGVeritas  
*Experience of CGGVeritas throughout the world: technological achievements in the field of seismology and data processing.*

**16:10 Closing speech by the Chairman**

**16:15 End of the first day of the conference**

**16:20 Visit to the OGU 2008 exhibition** *Venue: UzExpoCentre*

**18:30 Reception for the opening of the conference**

*Venue: Radisson SAS Tashkent Hotel, 88 B str., Amir Temur*

08:30 Coffee break



**14.00 Fourth plenary session: INCREASING THE AMOUNT OF OIL AND GAS EXTRACTED IN UZBEKISTAN. LATEST TECHNOLOGIES (PART 2)**

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Development and prospects for geological exploration in the Aral Sea. Potential of Ustyurt region. Future of the production sharing agreement: Urga, Kuanysh and Akchalak. Progressive technologies: horizontal drilling, sidetracking, hydraulic fracturing of formations. Implementation of the latest technologies and exchange of experience between Uzbek and foreign companies. Ecological aspects.

**Chairman:**

**Ruslan Abdullayev**, General Director of UzLITneftgaz OJSC

**Keynote speech:**

**Oybek Bekmetov**, Head of Department, UzLITneftgaz OJSC  
*Characteristics of developing oil, oil and gas fields in Uzbekistan*

**Speakers:**

- Ramli Manjya**, Commercial Manager, Middle East and Asia, Petronas Carigali Sdn Bhd, Malaysia  
*Tasks and difficulties in receiving and processing seismic data from the Baysun field*
- Sergey Korotayev**, Chief designer of screw rotor hydraulic machines, VNIIBT – Burovoy instrument LLC, Integra SE  
*Enhancing structures for hydraulic downhole motors manufactured by the Russian research and development company engaged in drilling techniques – Burovoy instrument LLC.*
- John Roberts**, Specialist on energy-related issues, Platts  
*The contribution of Central Asia to global energy security.*
- Kasimkhon Kirgizov**, Senior Geophysicist, Petronas, Uzbekistan  
*Geological exploration of the Baysun field, Surkhandarya: brief review.*
- Hamid Abdullayev**, ECONORDRAGMET JV, Uzbekistan  
*Water and soil treatment using sorptive materials and special oil equipment.*

10.40–11.10 Coffee break



**11.10 Fifth plenary session: REFINING OF OIL AND GAS IN UZBEKISTAN, Special focal point: ALTERNATIVE FUELS**

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Oil refining companies in Uzbekistan: new projects. Prospects for alternative fuels: experiences in Uzbekistan. Synthetic Liquid Fuels (GTL). Bituminous slates. Bio-diesel fuel and others.

**Chairman and host:**

**Asadkhodja Yusupkhodjayev**, Head of Department, the Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company

**Keynote Report:**

**Dr. Igamberdy Saydakhmedov**, Uzbekneftegaz National Holding Company  
*Current state and prospects for developing oil refining, gas chemistry and development of alternative fuels in Uzbekistan.*

## Speakers:

**Jong Su-Nam, KOGAZ**

*Activity of KOGAZ in producing methoxymethane and use of compressed natural gas.*

**Academic Muhabbat Abidova, UzKFITI**

*Retrofit of catalytic agent of heavy oil charge hydrotreatment.*

**Mikhail Nemirovskiy, Senior Specialist, Giprogazoochistka OJSC**

*GIPROGAZOOCHISTKA: full range of services in the field of industrial and hygienic gas cleaning.*

**Yelena Pastukhova, Deputy Chairman of the Marketing, Finance and Development Department, Turbogaz OJSC**

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**Dr. Bakhtiyor Isakhodjayev, Director of the Mineral Resources Institute, State Committee on Geology and Subsurface Use of the Republic of Uzbekistan**

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**Dr. Basit Hamidov, Laboratory Chief of the General and Inorganic Chemistry Institute, Academy of Sciences of the Republic of Uzbekistan**

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13:10 Closing speech by the Chairman

13:20 End of the conference and final coffee

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