



Solutions.
People.
Energy.SM

Host Organisation



SPE ANNUAL CASPIAN TECHNICAL CONFERENCE AND EXHIBITION

Learning from the Past, Rejuvenating Today, Inspiring Tomorrow

25–27 November 2025

JW Marriott Absheron Baku, Azerbaijan

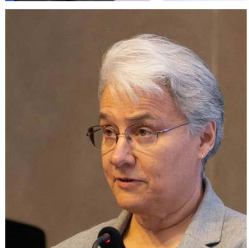
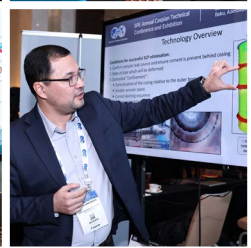
Post Event Report

go.spe.org/25CTC/PostEvent



The 2025 SPE Annual Caspian Technical Conference and Exhibition brought together industry leaders, innovators, and technical experts for a highly engaging and impactful edition. From insightful discussions to meaningful networking, the event delivered strong value across the board. Hear directly from our attendees, speakers, and partners as they share their experiences and key takeaways. Their testimonials reflect the depth of knowledge exchange and the collaborative spirit that defined this year's conference.

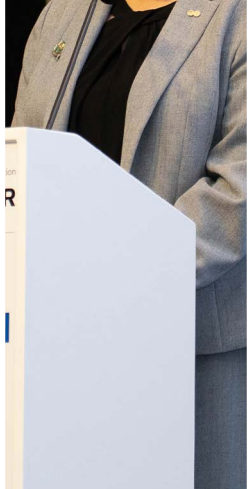




Solutions.
People.
Energy.™

SPE ANNUAL CASPIAN TECHNICAL CONFERENCE AND EXHIBITION

25–27 November 2025
JW Marriott Absheron Baku, Azerbaijan



Learning from the Past, Rejuvenating Today, Inspiring Tomorrow

We were pleased to welcome delegates to the 2024 edition, proudly hosted by SOCAR. For this edition, the conference was held in the strategic regional hub of Baku, Azerbaijan, reinforcing its role as a key centre for energy dialogue and collaboration. Building on the success of the 10th anniversary edition of CTCE in Baku in November 2023, which brought together 500+ industry experts for three days of insights, expert panels, and technological advancements, the event continues to strengthen its position in the region. As one of the world's leading oil and gas regions, Azerbaijan remains a vital player on the global energy stage, making this gathering a cornerstone event for the Caspian community.

What delegates gained from attending?



INSIGHT

Future trends and their implications for your business and the wider industry.



UNDERSTANDING

Leave the three-day conference equipped to make informed, strategic decisions.



CONNECTIONS

Create, collaborate, and connect with peers and industry leaders from across the region.



HIGHLIGHTS

- **Expert-Led Technical Sessions:** Engage in in-depth technical discussions and gain insights from leading experts.
- **Strategic Dialogues:** Participate in high-level conversations with industry leaders shaping the future of energy. Including Babak Huseynov, Executive Committee Chair and Vice President, Development and Production Operations, SOCAR
- **Unparalleled Networking Opportunities:** Connect with key stakeholders and decision-makers to foster collaboration and growth.



Attendees



512

Total Attendees



108

Companies



31

Countries

Call For Papers



589

Abstracts Submitted



93

Companies



29

Countries

Technical Programme



160

Papers Presented



44

Companies



18

Countries

Programme Summary



3

Concurrent Streams



23

Technical Sessions



5

Plenary and Panel Sessions



1

Special Session



1

Student Development Summit

Committee

Executive Committee Chair:



Babak Huseynov
Executive Committee
Chair and Vice President,
Development and
Production Operations,
SOCAR

Executive Committee Co-Chair:

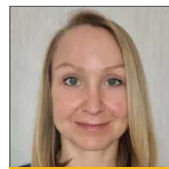


Dan Sparkes
Vice President
Subsurface, Azerbaijan,
Georgia and Türkiye,
bp



Dylan Morgan
Vice President,
Chevron International
Production Company,
Chevron Eurasia

Programme Committee Co-Chairs:



Maria Kamionko
bp



Ali Sheydayev
SOCAR Upstream



Jodi Wood
slb

Executive Committee

Gulzada Shakulikova, Chairman of the Board-Rector, Atyrau Oil and Gas University

Ali Naghiyev, El Group

Aizhana Jussupbekova, Business Development, ExxonMobil

Steven Travers, Region Director, Subsurface and Consulting GaffneyCline™ Energy Advisory, Baker Hughes

Almas Kuandykov, Director General, KMG Karachaganak

Claus Meyer, Global Accounts, Vice President Caspian NOV

Raid BuKhamseen, TAQA

Konilkosh Suyessinov, Deputy General Director, Tengizchevroil

Siyavash Motealleh, Reservoir Engineering Discipline Lead, AGT, bp

Ualikhan Zhanaissov, HSSE Director, NCOC

Programme Committee

Muratbek Aibazarov, KPO

Ayaz Amirov, SOCAR Upstream

Yerlan Amanbayev, Karachaganak Petroleum Operating B.V.

Bolat Amangaliyev, TCO

Yerkin Balgaziye, Kom-Munai

Shadfar Davoodi, Independent Researcher

Mohd Faizal Ghazali, PETRONAS

Hamzat Hudulov, TotalEnergies

Samat Kabdenov, TCO

Larissa Kalinovskaya, TCO

Almas Kozhybay, TCO

Aleksandra Khramtseva, GaffneyCline Energy Advisory

Dmitriy Kofman, slb

Madan Kumar, NCOC

Gulzhamal Maxotova, TCO

Zhambyl Sarbas, TCO

Diana Shigapova, Aspen Technology

Anton Skopich, TCO

Yakov Voloktin, NCOC

Dmitrii Zunde, Baker Hughes



**Solutions.
People.
Energy.™**

About the Society of Petroleum Engineers

The Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE) is a not-for-profit professional association with more than 129,900 members in 148 countries engaged in the exploration and production of oil and gas and related energy resources. SPE delivers solutions and empowers people to drive the energy industry forward. Members gain access to premier programs, content, and events designed to accelerate professional growth and career development, while fostering a strong network and sense of community. SPE maintains offices in Calgary, Dallas, Dubai, Houston, and Kuala Lumpur.

Opening Ceremony, Sponsor Recognition and SPE Regional Awards

Speakers



Jennifer Miskimins
2026 SPE President,
Colorado School of Mines



Babak Huseynov
Executive Committee
Chair and Vice President,
Development and
Production Operations,
SOCAR



Alexey Borisenko
SPE Regional Director,
Russia and Caspian



Executive Plenary Session 1: Unlocking Tougher Resources in the Caspian Region

Moderator



Vladimir Rogov
Managing Director & Partner,
BCG Azerbaijan

Speakers



Babak Huseynov
Executive Committee
Chair and Vice President,
Development and Production
Operations, SOCAR



Giovanni Cristofoli
Regional President for
Azerbaijan, Georgia and
Türkiye, bp



Shannon Slocum
Executive Vice President
and Chief Operating Officer,
Halliburton



Panel Session 1: Rejuvenating Mature Fields: Extending Value and Life Cycles

Moderator



Brandon McNerlin
Senior Completions Discipline
Manager, bp

Speakers



Marat Sagyndikov
Head of the Center for EOR,
Institute of Polymer Materials
and Technology



Owen O'Donnell
Integration Leader,
Baker Hughes



Murad Seidov
Reservoir Development
Manager, SOCAR



Afgan Huseynov
Area Development Manager,
ACG, bp



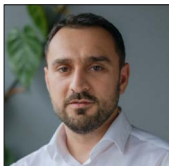
Panel Session 2: AI and Data as Strategic Enablers

Moderator



Avazkhan Zupparov
Director for Exploration and Production, QazaqGaz

Speakers



Ali Naghiyev
CEO, EI Group



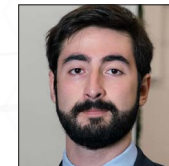
Lyu Xiaolin
Technology Advisor, BGP



Riad Efendi
Corporate Global HSE Manager, TechnipFMC



Anton Aristov
Managing Director & Partner, BCG



Ulvi Zamanbayov
Associate Director, SOCAR



Executive Plenary Session 2: Regional Integration: A Shared Path to Growth

Moderator



Steven Travers
Director, Sub Saharan Africa,
Europe & Caspian,
GaffneyCline Energy Advisory

Speakers



Alexis Devis
Managing Director,
Continental Europe &
Caspian, Baker Hughes



Dan Sparkes
Vice President Subsurface,
Azerbaijan, Georgia and
Türkiye, bp



Dylan Morgan
Vice President, Chevron
International Production
Company, Chevron Eurasia



Kamran Zahid
Managing Director, Strategic
Exploration Group (SOCAR
Exploration)

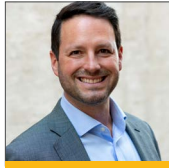


Sylvain Peytier
Managing Director,
JOCAP (TotalEnergies)



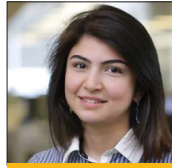
Panel Session 3: The Future of Gas in the Caspian: Security and Supply

Moderator



Brent Brough
CCO, InflowControl

Speakers



Aydan Ibrahimova
Area Development Manager,
Shah Deniz, bp



Andrey Kan
Deputy General Director for
Production, KMG-Karachaganak



Simon Wolfarth
Senior Geophysical Specialist,
BGP



Enis Robbana
Head of Reservoir
Development, UBOC



Thank You to our Sponsors and Supporters

Host Organisation



Platinum Sponsor



Gold Sponsor



Silver Sponsor



Bronze Sponsors



Coffee Break Sponsor



Associate Sponsors



Supporting Organisations



2025 SPE CTCE Student Development Summit

The Student Development Summit is a premier, transformative experience for top undergraduate students from Russia and the Caspian Region studying geosciences and engineering. Over the course of the Summit, participants will gain hands-on insights, sharpen their technical and professional skills, and engage directly with leaders and innovators shaping the energy industry.

More than just a learning opportunity, the Summit is a platform to connect with like-minded peers, exchange ideas, and build a network that spans the region. Designed to inspire, educate, and empower, the event encourages students to take an active role in the future of energy, equipping them with the tools and confidence to become tomorrow's industry leaders.

PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

The three-day Summit, held alongside CTCE, includes a combination of workshops, technical sessions, networking opportunities, and cultural experiences:

Technical and Professional Skills Sessions: Attend presentations and interactive workshops led by industry professionals.

Networking with Industry Leaders: Meet and engage with experienced professionals and potential employers.

Team Projects and Presentations: Collaborate on group activities and present solutions to real-world challenges.

Field and/or Cultural Visits: Experience the industry first-hand with site visits to local energy companies or a visit to local sites of cultural significance.

CTCE Exhibition: Explore the exhibition and learn about the latest technologies shaping the oil and gas sector.



Thank You to Our Exhibitors



*2026 EDITION IS HERE!

Visit: www.spe-events.org/caspiantechnicalconference
to know more.

www.spe-events.org



**Solutions.
People.
Energy.™**

Society of Petroleum Engineers
Europe Limited

1 The Sanctuary Westminster, London,
PO Box 81162, London, W8 9LJ

T: +971.55.894.5446

E: shassan@spe.org

