

*Gulf Coast Association of Geological Societies  
and the Gulf Coast Section of SEPM*

## **Forming and Filling the Gulf of Mexico Basin-A Symposium**

**During the 60<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention  
October 10-12, 2010  
San Antonio, Texas**

*Hosted by the South Texas Geological Society*



Welcome back to San Antonio! Our theme this year is **“Weathering the Cycles”** – a challenge that resource geologists have faced and overcome in the past. How do we weather the economic cycles? We...

- ✓ Network with our community
- ✓ Experience the latest technology in the technical exhibition
- ✓ Take a course or a trip and grow new and diverse skills
- ✓ Listen to special presentations on strategies to endure and prosper during an economic downtime and prepare for the inevitable rebound.

By celebrating our successes, facing our challenges, and learning from the research results of our peers, we are paid back many fold by sharing ideas and experiences among our professional community. So come and share your experiences! Suggest a session topic, present an oral paper or a poster, learn about the latest ideas and technologies in our field. Come to San Antonio and enjoy the Gulf’s own geoscience convention!

### *PROPOSED SYMPOSIUM TALKS INCLUDE...*

**Rifting and Opening of the GOM Basin**

**Models for Gulf of Mexico Basin Opening and Sedimentation**

**Petroleum systems of the GOM Basin**

**Jurassic Depositional Systems, Facies and Reservoirs of the Northern Gulf of Mexico**

**Cretaceous Stratigraphy and Plays**

**Salt Tectonics and Petroleum Systems**

**The Opening of the GOM-Source Rocks and Petroleum Plays**

**Jurassic and Cretaceous in south Texas: Rifting and Foredeeps**

**Mesozoic Basins in Eastern Mexico**

**Mesozoic Source Rocks and Petroleum Systems, Offshore GOM Basin**

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**Future Potential of the GOM Basin Mesozoic.**