

STUDENTS OF TODAY, PROFESSIONALS OF TOMORROW

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SPE PAPER CONTEST AND INTRINSIC MOTIVATION WORKSHOP

SPE Italian Section will contribute the organization of OMC 2017 with a student paper contest and “Intrinsic motivation” workshop, hitting two key areas of soft skills that are essential for a proper transition from students to professionals.

Agenda March, 29th 2017

14:00	Introduction SPE Italian Chairman
14:35	Student Paper Contest Presentation
14:45	MSc Presentations
15:30	PhD Presentations
16:15	“Intrinsic Motivation: A Business Imperative”
17:30	Award Ceremony

MSc and PhD students are invited to participate in the “**SPE OMC 2017 student paper contest**” on Oil & Gas technical topics. Participants MUST be students enrolled in MSc or PhD courses at their university. The program envisages two different and separate categories: MSc and PhD. Students shall submit an abstract (with title) of max 300 words **before December 9th 2016** about their research activities. A technical committee will evaluate the abstracts and will select the 3 best abstracts in each category.

Mandatory presentation rules:

- ♦ Duration: Max 15 minutes (for selected students)
- ♦ **Software: only PREZI presentations will be accepted**
- ♦ Language: English

Both technical and presentation skills will be evaluated by the committee. At the end, the committee will give out three awards:

- ♦ Best presentation in terms of technical content for the MSc category
- ♦ Best presentation in terms of technical content for the PhD category
- ♦ Best overall quality presentation

The paper contest will not only focus on technical quality of the works done but also on the presentation skills. Today videos and animated infographics are becoming more and more popular to convey complex messages in a simple way.

For more info please visit www.omc2017.it or contact the organisers at youth@omc.it.

“**Intrinsic Motivation: A Business Imperative**” is a workshop by **Giovanni Paccaloni** (<https://webevents.spe.org/products/intrinsic-motivation-a-business-imperative>). The workshop investigates the roots of the huge amount of energy required to sustain the hard, yet highly rewarding journey toward excellence. The sources, the rewards and the outcomes of Intrinsic Motivation, as the main driver to creativity, personal mastery, engagement and extraordinary performance will be discussed, as well as the huge impact of intrinsic motivation (supported by excellent leaders) on personal and professional growth, bright career development, and outstanding business results.

“The path to excellence is personal, before being collective: it implies personal choice, and a clear commitment to approach life and a creative work, rather than a sequence of reactive response to external solicitations.”