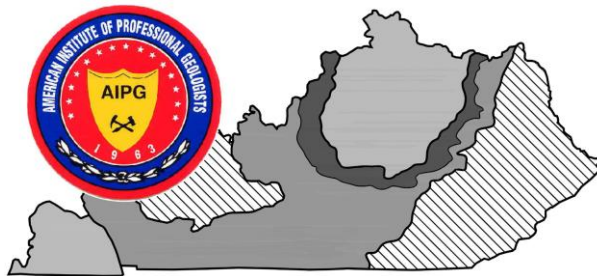


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To all C.P.G.s, Members, Young Professionals, Associates, and Student Members of KY-AIPG:

Hopefully, you have heard by now that National AIPG is organizing and KY-AIPG is co-hosting the **2023 Annual Meeting scheduled for September 15-19, 2023, in Covington, KY**. This year marks the 60th Anniversary of the founding of the National AIPG in 1963. The Kentucky Section, which was established in 1967, hosted the Annual Meeting in Lexington in 1987 and again in 2005, so it appears that we have an 18-year host cycle like a cicada.

The KY-Section is co-hosting this year's Annual Meeting with our neighbor IL/IN-AIPG and OH-AIPG Sections. Covington was selected for the Meeting site because of its central location. Moreover, the Cincinnati-Northern KY area is within an 8-hour drive of much of the Mid-Atlantic, Midwest, and Southeast regions and at least one-third of the 5,000 registered AIPG members.

The meeting venue is the Radisson Hotel, 668 W 5th Street, Covington, KY, directly off I-71/75. Six (6) field trips are scheduled Sunday, Sept. 17 through Tuesday, Sept. 19, and Technical Sessions with up to 40 presentations are scheduled Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 18-19. A full registration, daily registration, and Student registration plans are offered.

There is an a la carte selection of offerings, including all Field Trips, and some virtual sessions, such as a field trip of the geology, paleontology, and anthropology of various State Parks in the Greater Cincinnati area, and a Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) workshop.

The "Early Bird" hotel and meeting registration pricing ends August 16. Details and online registration are available at <https://aipg.org/Events/Register.aspx?>. I encourage all members to show support for your Kentucky Section, and to register for this event, even for virtual sessions. If you sleep in or miss it, you'll have to wait another 18 years.

Sincerely,

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