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Scrutineers Seminar

Presented by Bill Gaskarth
Chartership Officer of the Geological Society

Date: 19th April, 2017 Time: 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Venue: Leighton Room, Craigengower Cricket Club, 188 Wong Nai Chung Road, Happy Valley

Fee: Free of charge

Registration: HKRG Scrutineers only

Please RSVP to Mr. Kevin Styles at k.styles@fugro.com

Synopsis:

The presentation will outline what the applicants are told regarding the development of an application and make comments on where they go wrong. It will also discuss the new system of using pre-interview assessments and the concept of postponement if the application is judged not to be strong enough to go to interview. The following questions, among others, will be discussed: As a scrutineer – what standard do I impose? What should a Scrutineer do when faced with the decision to postpone? What advice should then be given to the applicants? Why have the Sponsors allowed the application to go forward?

Open discussion will be encouraged to ensure that all are happy with the system and any advice from HKRG Scrutineers on improving the system will be welcome.

About the Speaker:

Bill previously had a career in academia at Universities of Missouri, Aston and Birmingham. His PhD was in the area of Canadian Pre-Cambrian geology and geochemistry related to exploration for mineral deposits. He had various periods of experience in exploration for base metals and uranium in Canada and Bold and other minerals in West Africa. He is the Chartership Officer of the Geological Society since 2009 and dealt with some 1,000 applications for Chartership.