



Exploration Revived 2025

Monday 10. March


HOUR:	DESCRIPTION:
18:30	Shuttle transport from Clarion Hotel Air to Stratum Reservoir Address: Nikkelveien 13, 4313 Sandnes. Make sure to register in advance!
19:00	Icebreaker and Core Viewing at Stratum Reservoir <i>Sponsored by ORLEN Upstream Norway, INPEX Idemitsu Norge & Aker BP</i> Core presentations on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Blasto, presented by Tim Cullen, Equinor- 35/10-12S (Gnomoria) Core presentation, presented by Geir Helgesen, Equinor- Ringhorne Nord presented by Dora Marin and Alessio Tagliaferri, Vår Energi- Othello, presented by Donatella Mellere, DNO Norge- Obelix Upflank, presented by Zoe Cumberpatch & Alf Ryseth, Equinor- Sabina presented by Davide Duranti, Harbour Energy Norge AS- Storjo W presented by Federico Rossi and Juha Ahokas, Aker BP
	Icebreaker Program 19:00 - Welcome, food and mingling 19:45- Core viewing 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Blasto - in Equinor's room- Ringhorne Nord - in Aker BP's room upstairs- Sabina in Aker BP's room downstairs 20:15 - Core viewing 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Gnomoria - in Equinor's room- Othello - in Aker BP's room upstairs- Storjo W - in Aker BP's room downstairs 20:45 - Core viewing 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Obelix Upflank - in Equinor's room- Ringhorne Nord - in Aker BP's room upstairs- Sabina - in Aker BP's room downstairs 21:15 - Mingling, refreshments and in-depth discussion/questions at all cores.
22:00	Shuttle transport from Stratum Reservoir to Clarion Hotel Air

Tuesday 11. March

HOUR:	DESCRIPTION:
08:30	Registration at Clarion Hotel Air
09:00	Welcome and introduction Tina Rasmussen Olsen, ORLEN Upstream Norway AS, Chair of conference programme committee
	Moderators: Grim Gjeldevik, DNO and Daniel Høie, Norwegian Offshore Directorate
09:10	KEYNOTE: Exploration - perspectives Kjersti Dahle, Norwegian Offshore Directorate
	Theme: Deep water
09:40	Haydn & Monn discoveries - unlocking significant gas potential in the Aasta Hansteen area Daria Daudina and Troy Collier, OMV Norge AS
10:05	The Obelix Upflank discovery - an important piece of the Norwegian Sea deepwater puzzle Eva A. Myrlund and Zoë A. Cumberpatch, Equinor
10:30	Refreshments and Networking <i>Sponsored by DNO</i>
	
	Theme: Grand Classics
11:00	KEYNOTE: Reviving Paleogene exploration opportunities in the western Møre Basin Ben Manton, Equinor
11:30	Sara well - exploring for injectites around Martin Linge field Arnaud Santoire, Equinor
11:55	35/11-27 S Cuvette Discovery - a working downfaulted trap Iver Kjørsvik, Harbour Energy
12:20	Lunch
	Moderators: Idar Horstad, Aker BP and Tom Dreyer, Equinor

HOUR:	DESCRIPTION:
13:20	<p>6507/2-7 S Storjo West - Exploring Tight Reservoirs in the Norwegian Sea: Challenges and Opportunities Federico Rossi, Aker BP</p>
	<p>Theme: Sweet`n tight</p>
13:45	<p>The Kvernbit/Mimung well - combined exploration of a large rotated fault block and an upper Jurassic sand fairway Ingrid Enge Drange, Equinor</p>
14:10	<p>A new geological model breathes life into the 35/10-4 A Gnomoria Discovery James E. Haynes, Wellesley Petroleum</p>
14:35	<p>Refreshments and Networking <i>Sponsored by DNO</i></p>
	
15:00	<p>7122/9-2 Elgol: A high risk Ørret Fm prospect on the Finnmark Platform platform, SW Barents Sea. Sara E. Sandvik, Vår Energi AS</p>
15:25	<p>The Heisenberg discovery in the northern North Sea - uncovering the complex geology of a geophysically driven prospect Atle Nygård, Equinor</p>
15:50	<p>Key note: The clock is ticking on Halten Ross James Grant, Equinor</p>
16:20	<p>End of conference day 1</p>
17:30	<p>Networking & drinks</p>
18:00	<p>Conference Dinner at Clarion Hotel Air Announcement of Exploration Revived Award Dinner speech: "Feeling the Inanimate: Edvard Munch and the Essence of Living Stone" Israel Polonio, Aker BP</p>

Wednesday 12. March

HOUR:	DESCRIPTION:
	<p>Moderators: Sara Sandvik, Vår Energi and Torgeir Vinje, INPEX Idemitsu Norge</p>
09:00	<p>KEYNOTE: Hydrocarbon seeps and a new young source rock Rune Mattingsdal, Norwegian Offshore Directorate</p>
<p>Theme: How dare you?</p>	
09:30	<p>The JDE well: results and implications for the Triassic play in the Norwegian Sea Olav Kvamme Leirfall and Bjørn Terje Oftedal, Equinor</p>
09:55	<p>Black gold at the end of the rainbow - The story of the Othello discovery Torbjørn Ladstein Fjeld, DNO Norge</p>
10:20	<p>Refreshments and Networking <i>Sponsored by DNO</i></p> 
10:50	<p>Some observations illustrating the structural & stratigraphic evolution of the Utsira High & neighbourhood Steve Thomas, Aker BP</p>
11:15	<p>The Cerisa discovery - Bumblebees and potatoes and the broadening Agat play Siri Bjørkesett, Principal Geologist, INPEX Idemitsu Norge</p>
11:40	<p>Njargasas - testing an intra-slope stratigraphic trap Jon Are Skaar, Aker BP</p>
<p>12:05 Lunch</p>	
<p>Moderators: Grim Gjeldvik, DNO and Tom Dreyer, Equinor</p>	
13:05	<p>Key Note: Exploration history and opportunities in the Vøring volcanic basin Sverre Planke, University of Oslo / VBER</p>
<p>Theme: Close to home</p>	

HOUR:	DESCRIPTION:
13:35	Ringhorne Nord Gregg Farrer, Vår Energi AS
14:00	6507/4-5 ST2: Realizing the value of the Sabina Discovery Pablo Andres Borghi, Harbour Energy Norge AS
14:25	Closing remarks Tina Rasmussen Olsen, ORLEN Upstream Norway and Chair conference programme committee
14:35	End of Conference