

LBOPG Acceptable Sources for Professional Development Hours

Organization	Acronym	Web Address
Louisiana Geoscience Societies		
Baton Rouge Geological Society	BRGS	www.facebook.com/brgsla
Lafayette Geological Society	LGS	www.lafayettegeologicalsociety.org
New Orleans Geological Society	NOGS	www.nogs.org
Shreveport Geological Society	SGS	www.sgs1.org
Other states' geoscience societies (e.g., Houston)		
Louisiana State Geoscience-related Agencies		
Louisiana Board of Professional Geoscientists	LBOPG	www.lbopg.org
Louisiana Geological Survey	LGS	www.lsu.edu/lgs
University Geoscience Departments in Louisiana		
Louisiana State University	LSU	www.geology.lsu.edu
University of Louisiana at Lafayette	ULL	geos.louisiana.edu
Louisiana State University-Shreveport	LSUS	www.lsus.edu
University of Louisiana at Monroe	ULM	www.ulm.edu
Tulane University		www.sse.tulane.edu/eens
Centenary College		www.centenary.edu
University of New Orleans	UNO	www.uno.edu
Professional Societies/Organizations		
American Institute of Professional Geologists	AIPG	www.aipg.org
American Association of Petroleum Geologists	AAPG	www.aapg.org
National Ground Water Association	NGWA	www.ngwa.org
Geological Society of America	GSA	www.geosociety.org
Louisiana Association of Environmental Professionals	LAEP	www.laep.weebly.com/membership.html
Louisiana Solid Waste Association	LSWA	www.lswa.us
Society of Exploration Geophysicists	SEG	www.seg.org
Society of Economic Geologists	SEG	www.segweb.org
Gulf Coast Association of Geological Societies	GCAGS/ GeoGulf	www.gcags.org
Society of Independent Professional Earth Scientists	SIPES	www.sipes.org

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Online Options		
Interstate Technology and Regulatory Council	ITRC	www.itrcweb.org
United States Environmental Protection Agency	USEPA	www.epa.gov
United States Geological Survey	USGS	www.usgs.gov
Red Vector		www.redvector.com
MidWest GeoScience Group		www.midwestgeo.com
PDHExpress		www.pdhexpress.com
Waterloo Hydrogeologic		www.waterloohydrogeologic.com

Professional Development Courses/Seminars

LGS Water Resources Symposium	www.lsu.edu/lgs
LGS Oil and Gas Symposium	www.lsu.edu/lgs
LGS Coastal Symposium	www.lsu.edu/lgs

Many businesses offer tech-related seminars or training courses for their products

Also check this website for other options

www.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_geoscience_organizations

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