

### **Geochemical Society**

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## WELCOME TO NEW GEOCHEMICAL SOCIETY MEMBERS

The Geochemical Society (GS) is welcoming a group of new members following this summer's Goldschmidt Conference in Boston (Massachusetts, USA). If you registered for the meeting as a nonmember, then you automatically received membership to the society through 31 December 2019. That membership includes a subscription to Elements, as well as the weekly Geochemical News e-mail and a discount to next year's Goldschmidt Conference in Barcelona (Spain). If you did not receive a welcome e-mail in August, it may be that we do not have your address on file. Please e-mail the business office at gsoffice@geochmesoc.org or call 1-202-545-6928 to make sure that we have your current contact information.

# NOMINATE A COLLEAGUE FOR A GS AWARD BY 31 OCTOBER 2018

There is still time to nominate an outstanding colleague for one of the society's 2019 awards and special lectures. Information about the Goldschmidt, Clarke, Hayes, Patterson, and Treibs awards can be found at www. geochemsoc.org/awards. Details regarding the Geochemistry Fellows, jointly awarded by European Association of Geochemistry (EAG) and GS, are also available on the GS website.

We are also seeking nominations for special lectures to be presented at next year's Goldschmidt Conference. Lecture nominations require only a single nomination letter—no additional letters of support are needed.

The society seeks a broad diversity for its awards, and to achieve this goal we need high-quality nominations from all parts of the geochemical community. Nominations must be received by 31 October 2018; the winners will be announced in February 2019.



Prof. Yuichiro Ueno is recognized as the 2018 Earl Ingerson Lecturer by GS President Roberta Rudnick during the 2018 Goldschmidt Conference in Boston (Massachusetts, USA).

#### **RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP FOR 2019**

Geochemical Society members can renew quickly and securely on the GS website: www.geochemsoc.org. Renew by 31 December 2018 to save \$5 off the regular dues and enjoy uninterrupted access to *Elements, Geochemical News*, and registration discounts to Goldschmidt2019 in Barcelona and to other conferences. Members also have access to the online member directory (available by signing into your profile on the website). You can also choose a two-year membership option to save time and money. If you prefer to renew by mail, please visit the website to download a form to send with your payment.

#### **2019 GS MEMBERSHIP RATES**

Category of Membership	Rate if paid by 31 December 2018	Regular Rate	Two-Year Membership (before/after 31 December)
Professional: High-income Countries	\$35	\$40	\$70 / \$75
Professional: Low-income Countries*	\$10	\$15	\$20 / \$25
Senior	\$15	\$20	\$30 / \$35
Student	\$10	\$15	\$20 / \$25

<sup>\*</sup> See below for more information

The society also offers a Life Member option that eliminates the need to renew every year. The current life membership rate is 70 minus your current age times \$35 USD, with a minimum rate of \$175. Contact the business office at gsoffice@geochemsoc.org for more information on upgrading your membership to this convenient option.

# REDUCED DUES FOR GS MEMBERS FROM QUALIFYING COUNTRIES

In order to make membership more affordable for scientists in every county, the GS Board of Directors recently approved a new dues structure for professional members. A reduced professional rate of \$15 is now available to scientists from countries classified by the World Bank as having low-income or lower-middle-income economies. If dues are paid before 31 December, then the rate is only \$10. Visit geochemsoc. org/membership/join to learn more about which countries qualify.

Students from qualifying countries may apply for free memberships through the Introductory Student Membership Program.

#### **KEEP YOUR GS PROFILE CURRENT**

Have you recently moved or changed your e-mail address? Keeping your GS member profile current allows us to send *Elements* and *Geochemical News* to the right place every time. Updating your contact information is easy: just visit www.geochemsoc.org/contact and click the link to access your online member profile. You can also e-mail the business office with updates or corrections at any time.

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#### FIND US AT GSA AND AGU THIS FALL

The Geochemical Society will be at the Geological Society of America's Annual Meeting in November 2018 and at the American Geophysical Union's Fall Meeting in December 2018. Find us in the exhibit hall to renew or update your membership, learn about our programs, or just to say "Hello!". Thanks to partnerships with the GSA and the AGU, members of the Geochemical Society can take advantage of the discounted member registration rates for both conferences.