



Young Vision Award 2015

Contest for young experts in oil and gas universities



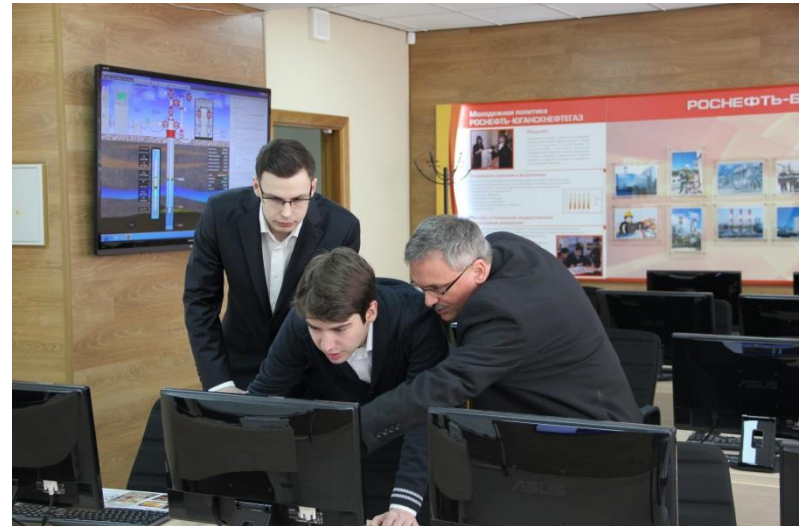
History

- 2013 Pilot project with 4 universities from Germany and Russia
- Four ideas in the contest
- International jury with experts from Norway
- Winner- team from University in Tomsk



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- 2014 participated 16 Universities from Germany and Russia
- 12 teams participated, 4 teams in the final round
- International Jury from England and Netherlands
- Winner- team from University in Freiberg



- Third round
- Contest starts in January 2015
- Opportunity to join a big international network
- International Jury
- 16 Universities from Germany and Russia
- Final in 2015 will take place in September, where the best idea will be selected

Invitation to participate

- Contest for Bachelor students last semester and Master students first semester (4th year of specialist studies).
- Task: How oil and gas companies can reduce the environmental risks resulted from oil & gas operations via improving and upgrading its existing equipment, systems and processes, and technologies (2 pages A4 WORD and 20 Presentation slides).
- Deadline for Applications: **30 of April 2015.**
- The first four teams respectively from Russia and Germany will be invited to present their ideas to a jury during a conference in September 2015.
- The best idea will be selected during the conference. Trip expenses will be covered by the organizing parties.

Evaluation criteria:

- It is necessary to introduce a new idea: imagine possible ways to improve environmental and economic effect of existing production systems and/or equipment “on a market”, including practical work program in case of victory of your team.
- It is important to evaluate the “speed of changes”, i. e. how soon the design effect will contribute to economic and operations.
- To evaluate the commitment to occupational and industrial safety as well as the creative component of the project.
- To assess your teamwork and how your idea will be able to act as a training tool for others.
- Please introduce your team working on the project.
- Idea presented should increase the overall (industry) environmental protection level.
- Ideas that have already been submitted and already conducted as R & D projects will not be accepted.

Reward

- 1 week internship in one of the branches of Wintershall Holding GmbH or Gazprom EP International Services B.V.
- The publication of the proposed idea in the magazines "Oil & Gas Journal Russia", "Offshore Russia", "Gazprom".
- A one-year complimentary "Oil & Gas Journal Russia" subscription.
- Evaluation of their ideas by one or more international experts. If the idea is found to be technically feasible, appropriate and economically justified the companies Wintershall and Gazprom International will support the first phase of the project via financing.