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Second EAGE/ ALNAFT Workshop on Techniques of Recovery of Mature Fields and Tight Reservoirs

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OVERVIEW

Join us in Algiers for the Second EAGE/ALNAFT Workshop on Techniques of Recovery of Mature Fields and Tight Reservoirs, where experts, researchers, and industry leaders will discuss challenges, new techniques and technologies involved in these topics.

Since the first discoveries made during the 50s, part of medium and small fields have gradually reached maturity—today encompassing over 70 brownfields that, despite decades of water- and gas-flooding to sustain production, now require tertiary-recovery methods to unlock their remaining reserves. The advantageous fiscal regime and world-class surface facilities with available processing and injection capacity present an attractive opportunity to host large-scale tertiary-recovery pilots—essential to achieve ultimate recovery.

This workshop will spotlight the untapped potential of the Cambro-Ordovician tight sands and Cenomanian–Turonian and Liassic carbonate plays, examining how proven recovery

techniques can be tailored to overcome their inherent heterogeneity, fracture networks and complex wettability challenges.

This workshop will bring together leading operators, service providers, reservoir engineers, EOR specialists, production technologists, geoscientists, service-company representatives, academics and regulators to share proven tertiary-recovery approaches, collaboratively explore methods to uplift production in tight reservoirs and evaluate opportunities in carbonate fields, and forge the partnerships and financing routes necessary for large-scale deployment—all in pursuit of achieving ultimate recovery under the guiding theme “Move Forward by Recovering Differently.”

TOPICS

Tertiary Recovery in Mature Fields

- EOR methods: polymer, chemical, thermal, and gas injection
- Lessons from pilot projects and field-scale applications
- Reservoir management in late-life assets

Production Enhancement in Tight Sand Reservoirs

- Hydraulic fracturing, matrix acidizing, and reservoir stimulation
- Overcoming permeability barriers and production decline
- Case studies from Cambro-Ordovician formations

Recovery Optimization in Carbonate Reservoirs

- Characterizing complex wettability and fracture networks
- Enhanced oil recovery in Cenomanian–Turonian and Liassic carbonates
- Techniques for selective injection and sweep efficiency

Reservoir Characterization & Monitoring

- Advanced petrophysical analysis and core studies
- 4D seismic and fiber optic monitoring for EOR
- Data integration for full-field simulation

Surface Facilities & Infrastructure Readiness

- Injection and processing capacity utilization
- Facility upgrades for chemical and CO₂ handling
- Operational best practices and efficiency improvements

Project Economics and Investment Models

- Evaluating fiscal terms and cost recovery mechanisms
- De-risking large-scale EOR deployment
- Public-private partnerships and financing strategies

Sustainability and Environmental Performance

- Reducing emissions and water use in EOR projects
- ESG considerations in brownfield redevelopment
- Circular approaches to resource reuse





IMPORTANT DATES

Call for Abstracts Open	22 October 2025
Call for Abstracts Deadline	9 February 2026
Technical Programme Available	10 March 2026
Registration Open	9 February 2026
Early Registration Deadline	5 April 2026

SPONSORSHIP

To view the full range of sponsorship opportunities available at the Second EAGE/ALNAFT Workshop on Techniques of Recovery of Mature Fields and Tight Reservoirs, please get in touch at mai@eage.org.

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