

INPEX at APPEA 2009

INPEX had a major presence at the **APPEA 2009 Conference and Exhibition** in Darwin, Northern Territory, Australia from May 31 to 3 June 2009. More than 1500 industry delegates attended the event at the new Convention Centre on Darwin's foreshore – across the harbour from the location of the planned world-class Ichthys Project's onshore LNG Plant. APPEA – Australian Petroleum Production and Exploration Association – is the peak industry body in Australia and INPEX is an active member.

The INPEX stand, staffed by INPEX representatives from the Tokyo, Perth and Darwin offices, proved popular with delegates. INPEX sponsored a student workshop to outline career opportunities in the petroleum industry to students from a Darwin highschool. Four INPEX staff made presentations to the school group.

Managing Director in Australia Seiya Ito also gave a presentation to delegates in the final plenary session, which was greeted with loud applause by the audience.



Managing Director Seiya Ito presents at the final plenary session



The new Ichthys Project logo



Students from a Darwin high school visited the INPEX stand at the APPEA 2009 Exhibition.



Darwin Office General Manager Sean Kildare presents to students at a workshop sponsored by INPEX at APPEA 2009.



The launch of the Ichthys Project logo attended by (left to right): General Manager Darwin Sean Kildare; General Manager Total E&P Australia Adrian Hodgson; the Chief Minister of the Northern Territory, the Hon. Paul Henderson, MLA; Managing Director Seiya Ito; General Manager External Affairs and Joint Venture Bill Townsend; Project Director General Manager Corporate Services Hitoshi Okawa.



The INPEX stand



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INPEX CORPORATION is a worldwide oil and gas exploration and production company currently involved in more than 70 projects across 26 countries. INPEX is ranked in the Top 50 global petroleum companies and is listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange. INPEX has been a part of the Australian business community since 1988 and is involved in a number of projects in Australia and the Timor Sea, including the Ichthys Project, Griffin Fields Project and Darwin LNG.