The 2nd Interpore Saudi Chapter Annual Meeting

The 2^{nd} Interpore Saudi Chapter Annual Meeting was held online for two days (Nov. 27-28, 2023). During the Annual Meeting, 3 keynote speeches and 22 presentations from 8 different countries (Netherlands, Germany, Canada, Norway, Lebanon, China, Singapore, and Saudi Arabia) were delivered. The meeting was attended by more than 35 participants, and it covered topics related to pore-scale modeling and algorithms for porous media flow, reservoir geomechanics, uncertainty in reservoir modeling, and numerical insights in modeling multiphase flow phenomena in porous media.

























Detailed Meeting Agenda:

Day (1): Monday, November 27, 2023

Opening Remarks: Welcome to the 2 nd Interpore Saudi Chapter Annual Meeting (Day 1) – Dr. Tameem Amani		
Brief Overview of Interpore Saudi Chapter – Prof. Shuyu Sun,		
President of Interpore Saudi Chapter		
Keynote Speech (1): Pore-scale Modeling of Two-Phase Flow in		
Porous Media: From Pore-Network Models to CFD-Based		
Simulations, Prof. Shuyu Sun, KAUST		
Keynote Speech (2): Computational Investigation of Two-Phase		
Flow in Porous Media; Pore-Network Modeling as well as		
Continuum-Scale Modeling, Prof. Majid Hassanizadeh, Utrecht		
University, Managing Director of Interpore		
Lunch Break		
-Scale Modeling and Algorithms for Porous Media Flow		
MS 01 Chair: Prof. Shuyu Sun, KAUST		
Physical and Numerical Simulation of Microscale Porous Flow using		
3D printed rock and DRP, Prof. Rui Song (Chinese Academy of		
Sciences, China)		
On the Filtration of Oily Water Systems Using Membranes: Micro		
Fates, and Macro Model, Dr. Amgad Salama (University of Regina,		
Canada)		
Medial Access Path Search (MAPS) for Pore-Network Extraction,		
Prof. Yuze Zhang (Nanjing Normal University, China)		
Numerical Methods for Diffuse Interface Model with Application to		
Multiphase Flows, Prof. Abdullah Shah (KFUPM)		
Thermodynamic Analysis of Quasi-static Pore-Network Modeling of		
Phase Equilibrium, Ronghao Cui (PhD candidate, KAUST)		
echanics		
MS 02 Chair: Dr. Osman Hamid, Saudi Aramco		
Pore Size and Pore Throat Damage Mechanics, Dr. Osman Hamid		
(Saudi Aramco)		
A true pore surface roughness measurement technique: 3D Pore		
Surface Roughness (3D PSR) from X-ray µ-CT image data, Dr.		
Hyung T. Kwak (Saudi Aramco)		
Break & Online Networking		
Experimental Investigation on the Influence of Operation and		
Formation Parameters on the Fracturing Fluid Flowback,_Prof.		
Abdallah Ghreizy, (American University of Beirut - AUB)		
Application of Poroelastic Wellbore Stability Solutions in High-		
Temperature Formations, Rima Alfaraj (Saudi Aramco)		
Comparison of Flow-Mechanics Iterative Coupling Schemes for		
Fractured Poroelastic Media, Dr. Tameem Almani (Saudi Aramco)		

Day (2): Tuesday, November 28, 2023

7:45 AM – 8:00 AM	Opening Remarks: Welcome to the 2 nd Interpore Saudi Chapter Annual Meeting (Day 2) – Dr. Tameem Amani	
MS 03 Session (1): Uncertainty in Reservoir Modeling: Where Challenges are Opportunities		
MS 03 Chair: Dr. Ali Alturki, Saudi Aramco		
	Optimization of Well Placement and Design For Full-Field	
8:00 AM – 8:20 AM	Development using Mathematical Optimization and Machine	
	Learning, Mr. Menhal Ismael (Saudi Aramco, PhD candidate, KFUPM)	
8:20 AM – 8:40 AM	Physics-Aware Data-Driven Approaches for Reservoir Assessment,	
	Alanood Alrassan (Saudi Aramco)	
8:40 AM – 9:00 AM	Assessing Leakage Rate in Geological CO2 Sequestration under	
	Uncertainty, Dr. Ben Mansour Dia (KFUPM)	
9:00 AM – 9:20 AM	Break & Online Networking	
9:20 AM – 10:20 AM	Keynote Speech (3): Prof. Kundan Kumar, University of Bergen,	
	Norway	
MS 03 Session (2): Uncertainty in Reservoir Modeling: Where Challenges are Opportunities		
MS 03 Chair: Dr. Ali Altu	ırki, Saudi Aramco	
10:20 AM – 10:40 AM	Numerical Reservoir Models' Calibration with Ensemble Methods,	
	Dr. Ali Alturki (Saudi Aramco)	
10:40 AM – 11:00 AM	GPU Computing for Reservoir Simulation, Osaid Hajjar (Saudi	
	Aramco)	
11:00 AM – 11:20 AM	Reservoir Simulation and High Performance computing, Dr. Majdi	
	Baddourah (Saudi Aramco)	
11:20 AM – 12:40 PM	Lunch Break	
MS 04 : Numerical Insights into Multiphase Flow Phenomena in Porous Media		
MS 04 Chair: Dr. Manal Alotaibi, KFUPM		
12:40 PM – 1:00 PM	Modeling and Simulation of Interfacial Dynamics with Soluble	
	Surfactants, Dr. Guangpu Zhu (National University of Singapore,	
	Singapore)	
1:00 PM – 1:20 PM	Parallel Multiscale Methods on High-Performace-Computing (HPC)	
	Architectures: Design Aspects and Performance Analysis, Dr.	
	Abdulrahman Manea (Saudi Aramco)	
1:20 PM – 1:40 PM	Leaching and Accelerated Carbonation of Concrete, Dr. Michal Toth,	
	Heidelberg University	
1:40 PM – 2:00 PM	Prof. Bicheng Yan (KAUST), Title: TBD	
2:00 PM – 2:20 PM	Supporting Reservoir Simulation Models: Challenges and	
	Opportunities, Ahmad Shubbar (Saudi Aramco)	
2:20 PM – 2:40 PM	Dr. Tao Zhang (KAUST), Title: TBD	
2:40 AM – 3:00 PM	Concluding Remarks: Prof. Shuyu Sun & Dr. Tameem Amani	