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Administrative Appointments

Professor (Research) of Geophysics, Stanford University (1998 - Present)
Associate Professor (Research) of Geophysics, Stanford University (1993 - 1998)
Acting Associate Professor of Geophysics, Stanford University (1989 - 1993)
Vice President of Research and Development; Senior Research Geophysicist, Entropic
Geophysical, Cupertino (1984 - 1989)
Geophysicist/Project Chief, U.S. Geological Survey, Menlo Park (1978 - 1984)
Postdoctoral Fellow/Lecturer Geophysics, Stanford University (1977 - 1978)
Project Officer/Physicist, U.S. Air Force (1974 - 1976)

Honors and Awards

Frontiers of Hydrocarbons Medal, ENI (2014)
Distinguished Lecturer, Soc. of Exploration Geophysicists (2006 - present)
Honorary Membership Award, Society of Exploration Geophysicists. (2001)
School of Earth Sciences Excellence in Teaching Award, Stanford University (2000)
Nominated for the Reginald Fessenden Award of the Society of Exploration Geophysicists,
Society of Exploration Geophysicists (2000)
Honorable Mention for the best paper, Geophysics (1998)
Outstanding Contribution SEG 65th Annual Meeting, SEG (1996)
Honorable Mention for SEG Best Poster Award, SEG (1991)
National Research Council Research Associate-ship, U.S. Geological Survey (1978)
National Science Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship, NSF (1977)
First in class, Engineering Physics, Cornell University (1972)
National Science Foundation Graduate Fellowship, NSF (1972)
Tau Beta Pi, Phi Kappa Phi honorary fraternities (1971)

University Service and Professional Activities

Director of Graduate Studies, Geophysics, Stanford University (2014 - Present)
Admissions Chair, Geophysics, Stanford University (2011 - Present)
Member, American Assoc. Petroleum Geologists (2005 - Present)
Member, International Advisory Board, University of Bergen, Norway (2004 - Present)
Freshman/Sophomore advisor, Stanford University (1997 - Present)
Instructor, SEG Continuing Education Program (1996 - Present)
Member, Member, Society of Petroleum Engineers (1994 - Present)
Member, European Association of Geoscientists and Engineers (1991 - Present)
Co-Director, Stanford Rock Physics and Borehole Geophysics Project, Stanford University
(1990 - Present)
Member, Member, American Geophysical Union, Society of Exploration Geophysics (1972 -
Present)
Associate Chair, Geophysics, Stanford University (2006 - 2008)
Building Space Coordinator, Earth Sciences, Stanford University (2005 - 2005)
University Research Administration Steering Committee, Stanford University (2002 - 2005)
Invited Instructor, BP, Shell, Norsk Hydro (2000 - 2001)
Invited Instructor, Royal-Dutch Shell, Schlumberger (1999 - 1999)
DOE Review Panel, DOE (1998 - 1999)
Committee on Research, Stanford University (1997 - 2001)

Education

Ph.D, Stanford University, Geophysics (1977)

M.S., Stanford University, Geophysics (1974)

Research & Scholarship

Current Research and Scholarly Interests

Search

work to discover and understand the relationship between geophysical measurements and the rock and fluid properties that they sample in the Earth. My students and I have begun to understand the impact of rock type, porosity, pore fluids, temperature, and stress on seismic wave propagation and electromagnetic response. We are also working to quantify the links between geophysical measurements and the sedimentary and diagenetic processes that determine rock mineralogy and texture. Ultimately, this work allows us to better infer, from geophysical images, the composition and physical conditions at depth.

Teaching

I teach courses for graduate and undergraduate students on rock physics--the study of the physical properties of rocks and how they can be detected and mapped using seismic and electrical methods. This includes theory, laboratory measurements, and field data analysis. I also lead seminars in which students present and critique their ongoing research in rock physics.

Professional Activities

Associate chair, Department of Geophysics (2006-2008); distinguished lecturer, Society of Exploration Geophysicists (2006); honorary membership, Society of Exploration Geophysicists (2001); nominated for Reginald Fessenden Award, Society of Exploration Geophysicists (2000); School of Earth Sciences Excellence in Teaching Award (2000)

Teaching

Courses Taught

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Poroelasticity

GEOPHYS 385V (Aut, Win, Spr, Sum)

Rock Physics

GEOPHYS 262 (Aut)

Independent Study Courses

Directed Reading

GEOPHYS 100 (Win, Spr) GEOPHYS 100 (Win, Spr)

Honors Program

GEOPHYS 198 (Aut, Win, Spr) GEOPHYS 198 (Aut, Win, Spr)

Report on Energy Industry Training

GEOPHYS 255 (Sum) GEOPHYS 255 (Sum)

Research in Geophysics

GEOPHYS 400 (Aut, Win, Spr, Sum) GEOPHYS 400 (Aut, Win, Spr, Sum)

Undergraduate Research in Geophysics

GEOPHYS 196 (Aut) GEOPHYS 196 (Aut)

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Publications

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Estimating Brown-Korringa constants for fluid substitution in multimineralic rocks *GEOPHYSICS* Mavko, G., Mukerji, T. 2013; 78 (3): L27-L35

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Stochastic inversion of facies from seismic data based on sequential simulations and probability perturbation method *GEOPHYSICS* Grana, D., Mukerji, T., Dvorkin, J., Mavko, G. 2012; 77 (4): M53-M72

Laboratory measurements of the acoustic and transport properties of carbonate rocks and their relationship to porosity and dissolution *GEOPHYSICS* Mavko, G. 2011; 78 (2):

link with the amount of microcrystalline matrix *GEOPHYSICS* Vanorio, T., Mavko, G. 2011; 76 (4): E105-E115

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