

Tokyo Public Training

Gareth continued on his travels from China to Tokyo where he met up with Support Geologist Mara Bellavita and our agent in Japan, Geosys, who were hosting a Public Training event for their clients.

Attendees were from industry, geological surveys and universities and were learning the new developments in Move as well as key functionality and workflows to apply to their projects.

Discussion around their projects gave Gareth and Mara a great taste of what kind of work is taking place in Japan, for example, discussion of a project looking at earthquake and fault prediction was brought into focus by a M5.3 earthquake that shook the building, surprising Gareth and Mara, but the trainees were not concerned at all, brushing it off as a minor event and getting on with the exercises at hand!

Mara, Gareth and the rest of the team at Midland Valley would like to thank all the trainees for their attendance and interesting discussions and also would like to thank Geosys, our Japanese agent for arranging everything. In particular, Katsuya Noda, Motoshi Tomura and Toshio Iizuka who made everything run like clockwork.



Heading back out East...AAPG ICE, Singapore



We're only 10 weeks away from the International Convention and Exposition of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists which takes place in Singapore this year.

We will be exhibiting with our Upstream Technology Alliance partner Badley Geoscience on booth # 418 and are on-hand to discuss our approach and application of structural modelling to reduce risk and uncertainty in geological models.

Visitors can take advantage of one-to-one software demonstrations of Move, tailored to meet their specific requirements and allows them to try out the tools and functionality within the software.

Contact us to schedule a meeting with us at the conference. You can find out more about our consultancy services and software products on our [website](#).



Young Geoscientist Program for Graduates



Our Young Geoscientist Program is entering its second year and we're looking forward to working with this year's new graduates. The Program is available to all new graduates from departments participating in our Academic Software Initiative. Under the program we provide free use of all of our Move software for 12 months. Licences run for 12 months from activation and are installed on the graduate's PC (which is not provided by a commercial company).

When we introduced the Program our Founding Director Dr Alan Gibbs said *"Getting that first step up on the career ladder is always difficult and everyone needs a bit of help. We hope this will enable new graduates to continue to develop their expertise and prepare for interview. It will enable them to complete presentations and publication materials based on their academic work"*.

To join our Young Geoscientist Program email a copy of your graduation certificate with your full contact details to academic@mve.com.