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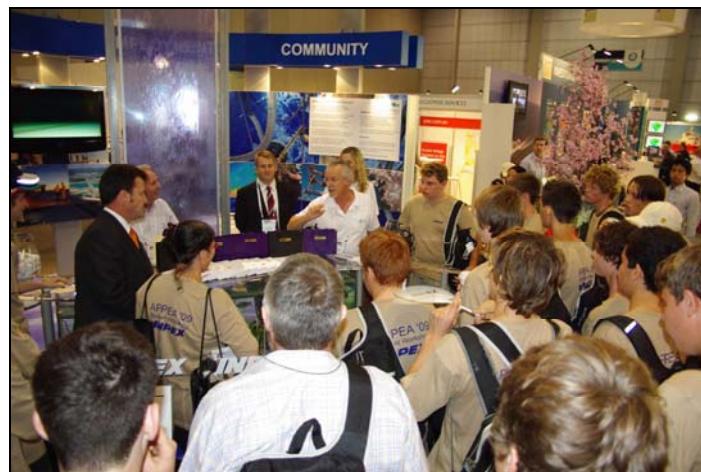
INPEX run a booth at APPEA 2009

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.

INPEX and Ichthys Project Joint Venture partner TOTAL also launched the new Ichthys Project logo at a function on the INPEX stand on 1 June attended by many industry and local stakeholders.



Student Workshop : Students from a Darwin highschool visited
the INPEX stand at the APPEA 2009 Exhibition.



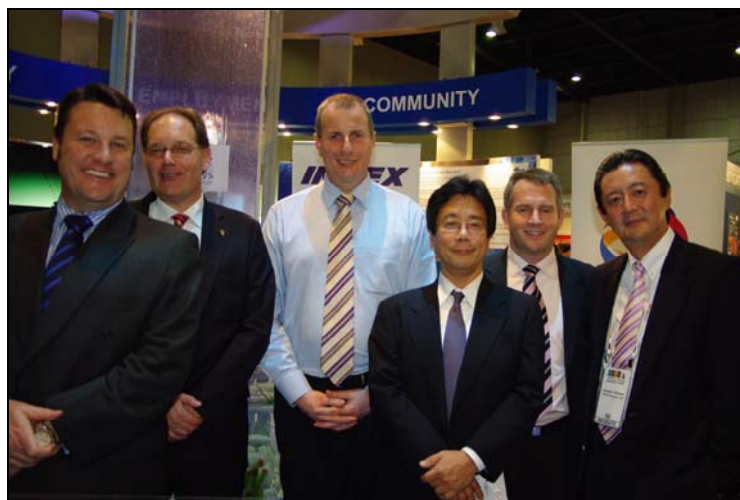
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Managing Director Seiya Ito presents at the final plenary session.



Ichthys Project logo



The launch of the Ichthys Project logo attended by a number of delegates including
(third person from the left) the Chief Minister of the Northern Territory, the Hon. Paul Henderson, MLA

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