



THE SOCIETY FOR ORGANIC PETROLOGY

2012 TSOP DUES NOTICE

Pay before January 1, 2012 to avoid being in arrears

Consider making your dues payment via our online payment system. For **very** easy step by step instructions go to www.tsop.org/dues or login at www.tsop.org/mbrsonly and select 'Online payments'.

Member's contact information

(*Note: Your name is all that is required. Update contact information only if it has changed.)

Name: _____ Display name: _____
 Re-enter contact info only if it has changed *
 Address: _____ Email: _____
 _____ Tel: _____
 _____ Fax: _____

Affiliation: Employment Cat. Academia Consultant Government Industry
 Field Oil/Gas Coal CBM Environmental Retired
 (check all applicable boxes) (Use the boxes on the left to indicate the Employment Category and Field in which you were previously employed) Other _____

Dues Payments

(In an effort to lower newsletter printing and mailing costs we are now offering a discount rate to members who choose to download their newsletter from our website. More information on next page.)

	Regular Member		Student rate	Institutional
	Single year	5 for 4 deal *	Single year	Single year
Newsletter by download	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25	<input type="checkbox"/> \$100 / 5yr	<input type="checkbox"/> \$15	<input type="checkbox"/> \$75
Newsletter by post	<input type="checkbox"/> \$30	<input type="checkbox"/> \$120 / 5yr	<input type="checkbox"/> \$20	<input type="checkbox"/> \$80

* For regular members who pay four years in advance they get an extra year free.

TSOP Subscription Discount Offers:

Elsevier: Member discount price for 1-year subscription (rates are the same for professional and student).

*These rates are the most current available and include postage and handling.

International Journal of Coal Geology (IJCG): \$114 USD YES

Review of Paleobotany and Palynology (RPP): \$129 USD YES

NOTE: Elsevier will invoice you directly. **DO NOT** send payment for IJCG or RPP to TSOP.

AGI Geotimes: Best prices on this AGI (American Geological Institute) publication are available at [www.geotimes.org/current].

Voluntary Contributions to Specific TSOP Activities: (Indicate amount and include with your dues payment.)

_____ Spackman Award: Student Research _____ TSOP research projects
 _____ Student travel to TSOP annual meetings _____ Distribute books, journals in developing countries

Permission: To grant TSOP permission to announce your name and the activities you support please sign here. --> _____

Payment: (Information on payment methods is on the following page)

TOTAL ENCLOSED

<<REPEAT>> **DO NOT** send payments for Elsevier publications (IJCG or RPP) to TSOP. You will be invoiced directly by Elsevier.

All amounts are in US Dollars only

(Note: This is an information page only and does not need to be returned.)

Payment Recommendations

- US:** Checks are the preferred method for US members.
International: Credit card via PayPal is RECOMMENDED FOR NON- US MEMBERS

Payment Methods: Note that payments are only accepted in **US Dollar currency**. Receipts are provided by email (pdf attachment).

- PayPal**
Credit card or from account
Please note that due to the extremely high cost of processing credit card payments via our banking provider we WILL be switching **ALL** credit card processing in the near future to PayPal where you can pay by your credit card **without** opening an account. Making dues payments via our online payment system is **very** easy with step by step instructions. Go to www.tsop.org/dues or login at www.tsop.org/mbrsonly and select 'Online payments'.
- Checks**
(Cheques)
Preferred payment method for US members. Make payable to **TSOP**.
- Money orders**
(Bank or Postal)
Make payable to **TSOP**. Funds must be drawn on a US bank account. Available from banks and post offices in many countries for a small fee.
- Direct transfer**
(Wire / Bank transfer / EFT)
Contact TSOP Treasurer (M. Avery) for instructions.
- Cash**
Sending cash by mail is not advised but accepted if received. **Note:** TSOP assumes no responsibility for cash lost in mail.

TSOP Treasurer's contact information:

TSOP Treasurer (Mike Avery)
64A Rankin Dr
Lower Sackville, NS, Canada
B4C 3A6

Phone: 902-864-0172
Email: tsop.mavery@gmail.com

Dues pricing structure and newsletter costs

In order to reduce costs and therefore keep membership dues as low as possible we have introduced a dual rate dues system. For members who agree to download their quarterly newsletter from the TSOP website [www.tsop.org] the rate will remain at the \$25/yr (or \$100/5yrs) level but for those members who want a printed newsletter mailed to them we are raising the dues to \$30/yr (or \$120/5 yrs). There is a similar \$5 differential for Student and Institutional categories. Creating the two dues rates allows us to take advantage of lower printing and mailing costs realized when members use the download method while also providing other members with the option of receiving a printed copy by post. Also, see article in the September 2007 TSOP newsletter, Vol. 24, No.3.

Display Name: TSOP would like to provide members with the opportunity to set the format of their name as they would like it to appear on correspondence with the Society. Traditionally, TSOP has used the Firstname Familyname format on address labels. Some members may prefer or have a tradition of using another format. So please print your full name as you would like it to appear on an address label from TSOP on the Display Name line. We ask you to also enter your First, Middle, and Last / Family names on the line to the left of the Display name. This version will be used for organizing the TSOP membership database.