

### LOS ANGELES BASIN GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

September 24 (Thursday)

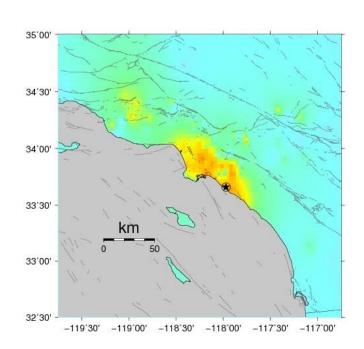
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# What's Shaking LA? New Insight from the 1933 Long Beach Earthquake

#### **Abstract**

The 1933 ML6.3 Long Beach Earthquake occurred on the Newport-Inglewood fault near the Huntington Beach-Newport Beach City boundary, extending to the northwest for a distance of about 16 km. Only limited instrumental data are available for this important earthquake; however, a detailed assessment of damage and other effects provides a detailed view of shaking throughout the greater Los Angeles area. Dr. Hough will discuss how these data can be used to better understand how shaking varies across the region due to local geological structure. She will also discuss the potential interplay between oil exploration and 20th century earthquakes in southern California and elsewhere.



#### Speaker's Biography

Susan Hough, Ph.D. is a research geophysicist who has worked with the US Geological Survey in Pasadena, California, since 1992. Her main areas of scientific interest include earthquake

ground motions, triggered earthquakes, induced earthquakes, historical earthquakes, and seismic hazard. She is also interested in science communication, and the development technical capacity in developing countries including Haiti, Nepal, and Burma. She received an BA degree with honors in geophysics from UC Berkeley in 1982 and a PhD in Earth Sciences from Scripps Institution Oceanography in 1988. She has co-authored over 120 peer-reviewed articles, and five books for non-specialist audiences. She has served as an associate editor and editor in chief of several leading technical journals, has served on the Board of Directors of the Seismological Society of America and was elected Fellow of the American Geophysical Union in 2009.

Meeting Time, Place, Cost and Reservations

#### **Time:**

### Thursday, September 24, 2015

#### **Meeting Agenda**

Lunch Served: 11:30 AM to 12:00PM Announcements: 11:45 AM to 12:00 PM Guest Speaker: 12:00 PM to 12:45 PM Questions/Close: 12:45 PM to 1:00 PM

#### **Place:**

The Grand at Willow Street Conference Center located at 4101 East Willow Street, Long Beach, CA. (562-426-0555). Take Lakewood Boulevard south from the San Diego Freeway (405), turn west onto Willow Street and turn right onto Grand Avenue at the sign for the Center. Park free in the garage structure.

#### **Cost:**

Lunch and Speaker: \$25.00 with reservations

\$30.00 without reservations

Retired: \$20.00 Student: \$5.00

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meeting to receive discount price noted above. As always walk-ins are welcome.

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