

Introduction to the I2M Web Portal

- I am Michael D. Campbell, Chief Geologist and Chief Hydrogeologist for the I2M Consulting Group in Houston, Texas. In 2009, with the able guidance of my son, M. David Campbell, P.G., we produced the I2M Web Portal. We needed to have a way of making our report drafts, technical papers, and other Internet products available to the members of our consulting group when we were in the field no matter where we were in the world on consulting assignments that had Internet connections, such as in Australia, Vietnam, Africa, and Europe. Let's have a brief look at I2M Consulting ... (more).
- Over the years we have built up the Web Portal to now contain a database of more than 10,500 records consisting of hyperlinks to industry and government reports, technical papers, and technical news releases all involving geoscience topics over 30 categories and now made available to the geoscience community in general for those geoscientists in industry, university, & government. Let's have a look... (more).
- The I2M Web Portal reflects our client research activities over the years and our research in support of the AAPG Energy Minerals Division's <u>Uranium (Nuclear & REE) Committee</u>, wherein I have served as the Chairman of that committee since my appointment in 2004. We now begin many projects by checking the Web Portal for what information we have about a subject before we check *Google*. Let's have a look ... (more).
- The I2M Web Portal is uploaded weekly with new reports, technical papers, technical news items after review by the I2M editors that meet focused criteria. These range from astrogeology to uranium with an emphasis on matters related to offworld, energy resources, climate issues, critical minerals and mining, hydrogeology, and associated environmental considerations. The flow of using the Portal involves: *What's New* >> then Select/Click on an Abstract Title, then after reading Abstract & interest remains, Click on Title to go to Hyperlink. Let's have a look ... (more).
- The I2M Web Portal is fully searchable via single word or short phrases within the record's title <u>and/or</u> abstract. Searches can be set to return results in chronological order, by relevance, or by name. Let's have a look ... (more).
- All record submissions are reviewed for possible bias according to our long-term monitoring of potential media bias regarding: energy issues involving anti-nuclear, anti-mining publications, anti-climate media coverage, etc. Abstracts and associated comments (indicated by [Bolding] are archived as a record of their presence should they be removed from the Internet by the originator. Let's have a look for guidance ... (more).
- The I2M Web Portal also features Field Alerts and Security Alerts. They are warnings of potentially dangerous conditions ... Let's have a look.
- The last point to make regarding the use of the I2M Web Portal is that the time you spend on reviewing the above articles and reports in the Portal may be allowed as credit for online Continuing Professional Education in many state professional geological licensing programs. Check your state's professional licensing board for guidance.
- To follow the I2M Consulting Projects ... (here). Should you have any questions or comments, let us know: mdc@i2mconsulting.com Feel free to send us candidate papers, articles, news items. Be sure to search title on Portal to make sure it is not already in the database. See <u>I2M News</u> ... (x).