

# RESERVES: GEOLOGY, SEC REPORTING & SMOG

## A 1-day Program Up to 8 hours of CPE Credit are awarded

### Who Should Attend - employees of:

- Upstream energy companies in all office functional areas
- Government hydrocarbon regulatory agencies
- Companies that evaluate prospective oil and gas formations
- Banks & investors who finance oil and gas ventures and projects
- Energy Industry organizations
- Auditors oil & gas ventures and Reserves Reports
- Oil & Gas investors & fund managers

#### Prerequisites:

- Have a basic understanding of oil and gas terminology and energy industry processes and procedures
   or -
- Have attended a fundamentals of oil and gas program such as PDI's "Intro to Upstream"

Advance Preparation: None Program Level: Intermediate

Delivery Method: Group Live, Group Internet Based

Field of Study: Specialized Knowledge

#### Upon Completion of this Program Participants will be able to:

- Identify & explain the physical processes that cause conditions for hydrocarbons to form
- Identify & explain the roles of various rock types in the formation and location of oil & gas
- Communicate better with G&G and Engineering employees with whom they work
- Determine and evaluate risks & rewards of conventional & unconventional development
- Relate the technical topics to accounting and financial considerations
- Be able to better interpret reserve & SMOG reporting
- Identify best practices

#### **Key Topics Covered:**

- Petroleum Generation, Migration, Traps, Reservoirs-Source Rocks
- Rocks, Minerals and the Cause for Reservoir Variation effects on Petroleum Reserves
- Differences between the US basins that affect operations, reserves and the bottom line
- Basic Geology and Geophysics roles in finding and producing oil Reserves
- Modern tools used to locate potential oil and gas bearing formations
- Determining and Forecasting Exploration Reserves pre-Drilling
- Technical Challenges regarding Conventional vs. Unconventional Field Development
- Operational Implications
- Lead in to Business Implications

#### Day 2:

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- Key components to a reserve report and whose rules we follow
- 3p vs 1p
- Use of Specialists versus internal engineers
- Why don't all E&P companies use an external reserve engineer?
- Where to find reserve information
- 10-K, investor presentation, bank runs, deal cases, SEC, NYMEX, PRMS, loss-why so many different versions?
- Examination of reserve report letters and what they tell us Prepared by vs Audited
- Best practices for interaction with Reserve Engineers auditor & company perspectives
- Data transfer to the reserve engineers
- Estimates & decline curves- best ways to ask about them
- Booking PUDS-what can, should & did get booked.
- Review of PUD comment letters
- How reserves impact accounting calculations and disclosures
- Detailed examination of the SMOG calculation, ways to analyze the data in the preparation phase and review of peer companies.

#### Registration Instructions:

Visit us online at <u>PDX Calendar</u>. Click on register now next to any class and it will take you to a secure site where you can register and pay safely with a credit card. For other registration//payment options, please contact Tami Russell at <u>tamara.russell@unt.edu</u>. For questions about quality programs offered onsite and adapted for your company, contact Jim Hoffman at 214.763.9644 or via email james.hoffman2@unt.edu for more details.

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