JOIN US FOR THIS SPECIAL AADE AND SPE JOINT MEETING ON MONDAY, MAY 21 IN LAFAYETTE:

Marcel Robichaux, General Manager of Upstream Capability Drilling & Completions - Assurance with Chevron, will present on WellSafe – Chevron’s Well Control Assurance Program.

RSVP TODAY FOR OUR MAY 21 AADE GENERAL MEETING

Join us May 21 in Lafayette for a joint AADE/SPE meeting to hear "WellSafe – Chevron’s Well Control Assurance Program" presented by Marcel Robichaux, General Manager of Upstream Capability Drilling & Completions - Assurance with Chevron.

Don’t miss this month’s presentation and Q&A session!

Please reserve your seat today!

Reservations made before Friday, May 18 are $20, and walk-ins will be $25.

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If you plan to pay with your Petroleum Club account, please select Pay at Door.
PLEASE NOTE: Those who would like to request a continuing education certification, please let us know online and we'll have one for you at the meeting.

DATE/TIME/PLACE

Registration begins at 11 a.m. May 21, 2018, at the Petroleum Club of Lafayette. We start serving at 11:30 a.m.

SPEAKER

Marcel Robichaux, General Manager of Upstream Capability Drilling & Completions - Assurance with Chevron

TOPIC

WellSafe – Chevron’s Well Control Assurance Program

RESERVATIONS ENCOURAGED

ABOUT THE SPEAKER

Marcel Robichaux
General Manager, Assurance Drilling & Completions, Chevron

Marcel Robichaux is a native of South Louisiana. He has 43 years in the oil industry with a Petroleum Technology degree from Nicholls State University in 1993, which he earned while in Aberdeen (UK).
For the past 12 1/2 years, he was Deepwater, Exploration & Projects, GM Drilling & Completions in Houston responsible for all of Chevron’s Drilling & Completions activities in the DW GOM.

Marcel started his career with Barrios Well Service in 1974. He began his major company experience with Shell Oil in the Gulf of Mexico from 1975-1979 with platform rig operations on the “Cognac Platform”. He moved on to Conoco in late 1979, starting in the GOM, then spent 10 1/2 years in the UK-North Sea as Drilling Superintendent covering Southern and Northern basins. He had a short stopover in Casper, Wyoming, as Drilling Manager.

He moved to Lafayette, Louisiana, as Drilling Superintendent, then Drilling Manager/Project Resource for the Conoco/Reading & Bates Joint Venture team that designed and built two 5th generation drill ships with operations primarily in the Gulf of Mexico (1998-2004).

He joined Chevron in 2004 as the DWEP Operations Manager, shortly afterward, became General Manager of Drilling & Completions, DWEP based in Houston.
Thanks to All Who Participated in This Year's F5 Bon Temps

The AADE Lafayette Chapter F5 Bon Temps event was be held Thursday, April 26 in Lafayette at Blackham Coliseum. Congrats to this year's F5 Bon Temps winners! Thanks to all who participated!

>> This year's winners

>> F5 Bon Temps Photo's

>> F5 Bon Temps Team Photo's

>> F5 Bon Temps Winners Photo's

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COMMITTEE POSITIONS

If you would like to serve on any AADE Committee or know of someone interested in volunteering, please let us know.
Mark Smithard, COO of Cantium, offered a look at the company and its future efforts at the April AADE General Meeting held at the Petroleum Club in Lafayette. Smithard shared that Cantium plans to be the most active company on the shelf and that a key part of their growth is due to efficiency. This was a well-attended and insightful discussion from this new oil and gas player.

Special thanks to Smithard and the Cantium team for agreeing to come speak to the AADE Lafayette Chapter!

Following the meeting, Mark Smithard, center, stands with, from left, Alden Sonnier, AADE steering committee member; Rick Voth, AADE committee member; Bob Pearl with Cantium; and Kristy Bonner, AADE president.

AADE Committee Chairs
Arrangements: Kristy Bonner, Foster Marketing
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Knowledge Box: Sid Breaux, Breaux Engineering
Mentoring Program: Jude Boudreaux, Offshore Energy Services, Inc.
Programs: Jerred Clark, PetroQuest & Alden Sonnier, FDF (Francis Drilling Fluids)
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Director Emeritus: Jamie Crosby, retired; Doug Keller; and Al Wambsgans, DC International
Lafayette and National Director Emeritus: Andre Arceneaux
ULL Fluids Lab: Bruce Jordan, Stokes & Spiehler

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If you'd like to place an ad and support AADE’s ongoing efforts, please email us.

The following ad sizes and rates are for inclusion in all nine AADE Lafayette Driller issues for the session.

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- Skyscraper (160 x 600 pixels) $300
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- President: Kristy Bonner, Foster Marketing
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- Steering Committee Chairman: Al Wambsgans, DC International
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- Bruce Jordan, Stokes & Spiehler
- Alden Sonnier, FDF (Francis Drilling Fluids)
- Jeffery Svendson, Advanced Logistics, LLC

AADE LAFAYETTE CHAPTER MEETING SCHEDULE

AADE Lafayette Chapter General Meetings are held the third Monday of each month through May in the Ballroom at the Petroleum Club in Lafayette, unless
May 21

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IN COST-CUTTING TIMES, WE'RE A BARGAIN: Where else can you get so much for just $25? In these tough economic times, the low cost of membership for what you get is a win-win. AADE has kept its annual dues low to ensure its members can continue to participate. Your AADE membership is worth continuing!

The American Association of Drilling Engineers offers a forum for the exchange of information among its members, student members and others in the industry. AADE chapters host monthly general membership luncheons where programs are presented by knowledgeable industry leaders on key topics in the oil and gas industry and drilling sector. Annual membership in the AADE Lafayette Chapter is $25 per person.

THANK YOU TO OUR LOYAL MEMBERS FOR YOUR ONGOING SUPPORT OF THE AADE LAFAYETTE CHAPTER!

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