

September 2018

Lafayette **DRILLER**



2018-2019 SESSION KICKS OFF WITH GULFSLOPE ENERGY PRESENTATION

GULFSLOPE ENERGY TO PRESENT AT AADE SEPT. 17 MEETING IN LAFAYTTE

Join us **Sept. 17** in Lafayette for the first AADE General Meeting of the 2018-2019 session to hear ***"GulfSlope: Drilling Deep, Subsalt on the Shelf."*** This presentation gives an overview of GulfSlope Energy and its efforts in the subsalt trend, which will be presented by **Bob Meize**, Vice President, Operations for GulfSlope Energy.

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

Please reserve your seat today!

Reservations made before noon Friday, Sept.14 are \$20, and walk-ins will be \$25.

RESERVE YOUR SEAT TODAY! CLICK HERE!

If you plan to pay with your Petroleum Club account, please select Pay at Door.

You may also reserve your seat by **email** or call 337-266-8211.

PLEASE NOTE: Those who would like to request a continuing education certification, please sign up online.

Add event to calendar



DATE/TIME/PLACE

Registration begins at 11 a.m. Sept. 17, 2018, at the Petroleum Club of Lafayette.
We start serving at 11:30 a.m.

SPEAKER

Bob Meize, Vice President, Operations for GulfSlope Energy

TOPIC

GulfSlope: Drilling Deep, Subsalt on the Shelf - The presentation gives an overview of GulfSlope Energy and its efforts in the subsalt trend.

RESERVATIONS ENCOURAGED

ABOUT THE SPEAKER

Bob Meize, Vice President, Operations for GulfSlope Energy

Bob Meize joined GulfSlope Energy in January 2018 as Vice President, Operations. Previously, he ran QV Consulting, LLC providing dedicated technical support for GulfSlope Energy.

From 2007 to 2016, he held several management positions for Chevron and SandRidge Energy. In 1994, he joined Anadarko Petroleum Corporation leading significant improvements in subsalt and deepwater drilling performance.



His career started with ARCO Oil & Gas Company after graduating with a Bachelor of Science in Petroleum Engineering from New Mexico Tech in 1978 and received a Master of Business Administration from Oklahoma City University in 1988.

An author of numerous technical papers and presentations, he served as one of SPE's Distinguished Lecturers for 2005-2006. He is a member of SPE, IADC and AADE

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COMMITTEE POSITIONS

If you would like to serve on an AADE committee or know of someone interested in volunteering, please let us know.

Interested in serving on an AADE COMMITTEE

ARE YOU AN AADE LAFAYTTE CHAPTER MEMBER?

*Don't Forget to Renew Your Membership ... If you Renew Now, Your
Memberships will be Good Through December 2019!*

WE'RE A BARGAIN: Where else can you get so much for just \$25? As our costs have gone up, we have remained committed to keeping our monthly meeting costs down. By supporting AADE through your paid membership, you are helping us make it possible to continue to bring in engaging and informative industry speakers while keeping your cost to attend and enjoy lunch at a lower cost.

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.

Your AADE membership helps you stay informed, connected to a strong network of professionals, provides continuing education and offers an opportunity to expand your current list of clients. Come join us!

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

Join or Renew Your AADE Lafayette Chapter Membership

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 specified due to holidays and other industry events. Registration opens at 11 a.m.

- **September 17**
- October 15
- November 19
- December 17
- January 21
- February 18
- March 18
- April 15
- May 20

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ROBICHAUX SPEAKS AT JOINT AADE, SPE EVENT

Our final AADE Lafayette Chapter General Meeting of the 2017-2018 Session was a huge success!

An advertisement for Advanced Logistics. The background is a blue-tinted image of an offshore oil rig. The text at the top reads "Industry leader in providing real-time MARINE & LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT INFORMATION". Below this is the Advanced Logistics logo, which consists of the letters "AL" in blue with a yellow swoosh, and the words "Advanced Logistics" in blue. At the bottom, a white box contains the website "www.al-llc.com" and the phone number "337-232-4699".

Thanks to Marcel Robichaux, General Manager of Upstream Capability Drilling & Completions - Assurance with Chevron, for presenting in May at a special joint AADE/SPE event in Lafayette, Louisiana. Marcel offered an insightful presentation on WellSafe, Chevron's Well Control Assurance Program, to a packed ballroom.

Marcel Robichaux of Chevron, center, stands with SPE President David Boucher, left, and AADE President Kristy Bonner following the event.



MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARDS

The AADE Lafayette Chapter



PLACE YOUR AD IN THE LAFAYETTE DRILLER!

The AADE Lafayette Chapter publishes a monthly newsletter called the **Lafayette Driller** to share news and information about upcoming events with its membership. *The enewsletter goes out monthly and your ad will also be included in meeting reminders as a bonus!*

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.

- Leaderboard (728 x 90 pixels) \$400
- Skyscraper (160 x 600 pixels) \$300
- Medium rectangle (300 x 250 pixels) \$200
- Small rectangle/business card (300 x 150 pixels) \$100
- Logo button (150 x 150 pixels) \$100

recently presented Derrick Daigle of Halliburton with a Meritorious Service Award to recognize his ongoing contributions to the AADE organization. Derrick is currently a Steering Committee member, Finance Committee member and serves on the Universities/Scholarships Committee. He is a two-term past president and is actively involved in many university efforts including UL scholarships, lab projects and other educational efforts, all while working directly with the AADE Student Chapter in multiple capacities. Congratulations to Derrick on this much deserved honor!

Derrick Daigle, center, is shown with AADE Steering Committee member Rick Farmer, left, and AADE Treasurer Sharon Moore.



The AADE Lafayette and New Orleans Chapters recently honored Alden Sonnier and Sharon Sonnier of Francis Drilling Fluids with Meritorious Service Awards to

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and longtime commitment to the AADE organization.

Their service provided to both Chapters has made a substantial contribution in multiple key capacities - from fundraising to membership and supporting organizational changes in light of the changing industry to spearheading new board member participation. Alden currently serves on the Lafayette Chapter board as a Steering Committee member, Finance Chair and Joint Industry Committee Chair. Alden is also a two-term past Lafayette Chapter President. Sharon has served in multiple capacities for both chapters guiding and supporting AADE events and efforts.



CALL FOR PAPERS: 2019 National Technical Conference & Exhibition

The National American Association of Drilling Engineers will host the "2019 Technical Conference & Exhibition - Elevating Data for Mile High Performance" covering improvements and innovations in drilling, completion, cementing and fracturing fluids. This conference will be of interest to major and independent operators, service

companies, drilling contractors and equipment and materials manufacturers.

Those interested in submitting a non-commercial technical paper and making a presentation are invited to submit a 250 word (maximum) abstract using the AADE template.

The conference will be held at the Hilton Denver City Center, Denver, CO on April 9-10, 2019.

Click here for details.

Abstract Deadline is September 30, 2018.

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