

'98 IADC Annual Mtg explores markets, technology

THE 1998 IADC ANNUAL Meeting was designed to combine an insightful business and technical program with great entertainment and social opportunities. Registration opens the morning of Wednesday, 23 Sept. (Wednesday refreshments sponsored by **Tesco Drilling Technology**). At noon, an Offshore Division business meeting will convene. The meeting, scheduled to run until 2 pm, will discuss ISM Code guidance, IADC's response to the **Comité Maritime International** initiative for an international convention on offshore activities, US Customs entry and clearance requirements and other issues as needed.

WELL CONTROL GUIDELINES

At 2:30 pm, **Morrison Plaisance, Diamond Offshore**, will introduce the landmark **IADC/Offshore Operators Committee Deep Water Well Control Guidelines**. Mr Plaisance is chairman of the IADC/OOC Deep Water Well Control Task Force.

SEMP PANEL

At 3:45 pm, **US Minerals Management Service** Associate Director for Offshore Minerals Management **Carolita U Kallaur** will be the featured speaker at a panel entitled "Safety and Environmental Management Programs: Where We Are Headed". The viewpoint of drilling and operating companies will be presented by panelists who include **Peter Velez**, Manager-Regulatory Affairs, **Shell Offshore**, and **Robert Croyle**, Executive Vice President **Rowan Companies**. The panel, moderated by **Rodney Eads**, Senior Vice President-Worldwide Operations, **Diamond Offshore Drilling**, concludes at 5 pm.

A welcoming reception co-sponsored by **Security DBS** and IADC will be held that evening from 6-8 pm.

On Thursday, registration opens at 7 am, with the day's refreshments sponsored by **Halliburton Energy Services**.

REED TOOL CENSUS

The day's business program kicks off at 8 am with the **Reed Tool Co** Breakfast and the premiere of the 1998 Reed Rig Census and Contractor Survey by Reed Tool President Roy Caldwell. Following Mr Caldwell's presentation, executives from operating and land and offshore drilling companies will offer their per-

Schedule of Events

Wednesday, 23 Sept

- 09.00-18.00 Registration
 - ◆ Coffee sponsored by Tesco Drilling Technology
- 12.30-14.00 Offshore Division Executive Session
 - ◆ ISM Code guidance
 - ◆ CMI/Offshore Mobile Craft Convention
 - ◆ US Customs Issues
 - ◆ Key issues affecting the marine drilling industry
- 14.00-14.30 Coffee Service
 - ◆ Sponsored by Tesco Drilling Technology
- 14.30-15.30 Introduction of the IADC/OOC Deep Water Well Control Guidelines
 - ◆ Moderator: Paul King, Transocean Offshore; VP-IADC Offshore Division
 - ◆ Featured Speaker: Morrison Plaisance, Diamond Offshore; Chairman, IADC/OOC Deepwater Well Control Task Force
- 15.30-15.45 Coffee Service
 - ◆ Sponsored by Tesco Drilling Technology
- 15.45-17.00 Offshore Division Meeting
 - "Safety & Environmental Management Programs: Where We Are Headed"
 - ◆ Moderator: Rodney Eads, Diamond Offshore
 - ◆ Featured Speaker: Carolita Kallaur, Associate Director-Offshore Minerals Management, US Minerals Management Service
- 18.00-20.30 Welcoming Reception
 - ◆ Co-sponsored by Security DBS and IADC

Thursday, 24 Sept

- 07.00 Registration
- 08.00-10.00 Reed Tool Breakfast
 - ◆ Presentation of IADC Service Awards: IADC President Dr Lee Hunt
 - 1998 Reed Rig Census Panel
 - ◆ Roy Caldwell, Reed Tool Co
 - ◆ Morgan L Jones, Phillips Production Co
 - ◆ Jean-Marie Brodin, Schlumberger Sedco Forex
 - ◆ Eugene M Isenberg, Nabors Industries
- 0.945-10.00 Coffee Service
 - ◆ Sponsored by Halliburton Energy Services
- 10.30-11.30 "Rigging the Game: New Drilling Equipment for the New Era"
 - ◆ Alan Orr, Helmerich & Payne IDC
 - ◆ Robert P Dunn, Mallard Drilling-A Parker Company
 - ◆ Bruno Pini, Saipem
- 11.30-12.00 "The Greening Globe: Emerging Trends in World Environmental Regulation"
 - ◆ Jay Wagner, Petroconsultants (UK)
- 12.15-13.45 Hughes Christensen Luncheon
 - Joint Luncheon with the New Orleans Chapter of API
 - ◆ Andrew Ingliss, BP Exploration: "A Step Change for Safety"
- 14.00-15.30 Panel: The New Paradigms for Deepwater Development
 - ◆ Moderator: Gerard Godde, Pride/Foramer; IADC Regional VP-Europe

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- ◆ R A Pattarozzi, Shell Deepwater Development Inc & Shell Deepwater Production Inc
 - ◆ Roger W Jenkins, Texaco Exploration & Production Inc
 - ◆ Jon Marshall, Global Marine Inc
 - ◆ Andrew Bakonyi, R&B Falcon International
- 15.30-16.00 Coffee Service
- ◆ Sponsored by Halliburton Energy Services
- 16.00-17.30 IADC Board of Directors Meeting
- 18.00-22.00 Annual Meeting Reception and Dinner Cruise

Friday, 25 Sept

- 07.30 Registration
- ◆ Coffee sponsored by Arthur Andersen LLP
- 08.00-09.00 Dixieland Breakfast Buffet
- ◆ Sponsored by Grant Prideco
- 09.00-11.00 "The Horizons of Drilling Technology"
- ◆ Moderator: Ray Peterson, Peterson Drilling; 1998 IADC Chairman
 - ◆ Robert M Tessari, Tesco Drilling Corp
 - ◆ Dag Oluf Nessa, Smedvig Offshore
 - ◆ Dr R B Stewart, Shell International
 - ◆ Jack Caldwell, Schlumberger Geco-Prakla
- 11.00-11.30 Coffee Service
- ◆ Sponsored by Arthur Andersen LLP
- 11.30-13.00 "International Financial and Market Outlook"
- ◆ Moderator: Bernie W Stewart, R&B Falcon (US); 1998 IADC Vice Chairman
 - ◆ Tom Marsh, Offshore Data Services
 - ◆ Richard Spears, Spears & Associates
 - ◆ Robert D Wagner Jr, M2 Capital Partners
 - ◆ Jack Ekstrom, Arthur Andersen LLP
- Session will include distribution of the 1998 IADC/Simmons & Co Drillers Survey, with comments by Mr Stewart
- 13.00 Closing Remarks and Adjournment
- ◆ Ray Peterson, Peterson Drilling; 1998 IADC Chairman

spectives on the census, survey and overall rig supply/demand picture. Speakers will be:

- **Morgan L Jones**, Drilling Manager Worldwide Drilling and Production, **Phillips Petroleum**;
- **Jean-Marie Brodin**, President, **Schlumberger Sedco Forex**;
- **Eugene M Isenberg**, Chairman, **Nabors Industries**.

During the breakfast, IADC President **Dr Lee Hunt** will present a Distinguished Service Award to Diamond Offshore's Moe Plaisance for his leadership in the development of the IADC/OOC Deep Water Well Control Guidelines. Dr Hunt will also recognize with Career Service Awards 2 other industry stalwarts—**Don Adams** of Halliburton and **Frank Mensik** of Reed Tool. IADC appreciates

Messrs Adams and Mensik for their long and strong support.

RIG TECHNOLOGY

At 10:30 am, 3 speakers will discuss advances in land and barge drilling rigs. IADC Chairman **Ray Peterson**, President, **Peterson Drilling Co**, will moderate. Panelists are:

- **Alan Orr**, Vice President and Chief Engineer, **Helmerich & Payne International Drilling Co**: "New Concepts for Land Rig Design";
- **Robert P Dunn**, President, **Mallard Drilling-A Parker Company**: "The World's Largest Barge Rig: A Landmark for Caspian Development";
- **Bruno Pini**, Project Manager-Slim Hole Drilling, Drilling Engineering Department, **Saipem**: "G-125: An Innova-

tive Hydraulic Drilling Rig for Marginal Field Development: Field Experiences”.

THE ENVIRONMENT

The next presentation, at 11:30 am, will explore the fast and furious changes in global environmental regulation. **Jay Wagner**, Senior Environmental Consultant, **Petroconsultants (UK)**, an expert speaker who participated along with IADC at the recent Global Environmental Conference in Noordwijk, Netherlands, will highlight regulatory directions from an E&P perspective in a presentation entitled “The Greening Globe: Emerging Trends in World Environmental Regulation”

BP PRESIDENT SPEAKS

At the **Hughes Christensen**-sponsored luncheon, featured speaker **Andrew Ingliss**, President of **BP Exploration**, will discuss “A Step Change for Safety”.

DEEP WATER CHALLENGES

Then, from 2-3:30 pm, a contractor-operator panel moderated by IADC Regional Vice President-Europe **Gerard Godde**, Managing Director, **Forasol/Foramer**,

will share their thoughts on the outlook and challenges of deep water drilling. Panelists are:

- **Richard Pattarozzi**, President/CEO, **Shell Deepwater Development and Shell Deepwater Production**;
- **Roger W Jenkins**, Team Leader for Deep Water Drilling, **Texaco Exploration & Production**;
- **Jon Marshall**, Executive Vice President/COO, **Global Marine Inc**;
- **Andrew Bakonyi**, President, **R&B Falcon International**.

The IADC Board of Directors Meeting will be held from 4-5:30 pm.

The evening’s entertainment is a very special event appropriate to the New Orleans milieu. Attendees and their guests will meet in the hotel in casual dress for cocktails sponsored by **Caterpillar**, then enjoy a 6-block Mardi Gras-style “march”, led by a Dixieland band to the river front, where a boat laden with the night’s buffet fare awaits. Music will be provided throughout the evening. The parade and table arrangements are sponsored by **Schlumberger Oilfield Services**. The musical entertainment

will be provided courtesy of **Smith International**.

Registration opens at 7:30 am Friday, with refreshments sponsored by **Arthur Andersen**.

HORIZONS OF TECHNOLOGY

The first general session, “The Horizons of Drilling Technology”, begins at 9 am. Moderated by IADC Chairman Peterson, presentations are:

- **Bob Tessari**, President, **Tesco Corp**: “Drilling with Casing”;
- **Dag Oluf Nessa**, Project Coordinator-Underbalanced Drilling, **Smedvig**: “Offshore Underbalanced Drilling: Current and Future Developments”;
- **Dr Bruce Stewart**, Advisor, Coordinator-Expandable Systems and Zonal Isolation Team, **Shell International E&P**: “Expandable Wellbore Tubulars”;
- **Jack Caldwell**, Manager, Reservoir Solutions, **Schlumberger Geco-Prakla, North & South America**: “4-D Seismic: The Next Level of Exploration”.

BOOM OR BUST?

At 11:30 am, the second general session, “International Financial and Market Outlook” begins, moderated by IADC Vice Chairman **Bernie W Stewart**, President of **R&B Falcon Drilling (US)**. Speakers are:

- **Tom Marsh**, Editorial Director, **Offshore Data Services**: “Offshore Rig Market Outlook: Boom or Bust?”
- **Richard Spears**, Vice President, **Spears & Associates**: “The Barrel’s Full: It’s the Price That’s Half Empty”;
- **Robert D Wagner Jr**, Partner, **M2 Capital Partners LLC**: “Current Financial Outlook for the Oilfield Service Industry”;
- **Jack Ekstrom**, Senior Manager-Energy Services Practice, **Arthur Andersen**: “World Oil Trends: Review and Outlook”.

The session also includes distribution of the **1998 IADC/Simmons & Company Drillers Survey**, with remarks by IADC Vice Chairman **Bernie W Stewart**.

The 1998 IADC Annual Meeting adjourns at 1 pm, following closing remarks by Mr Peterson. ■