

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

BRADFORD A. DEWITT

- GENERAL** Forty years experience encompassing both technical and operational aspects of petroleum production, concentrated in primary and secondary recovery enhancement and well completion techniques. Comprehensive working knowledge of field-wide production equipment and processes. Extensive experience in oil and gas property valuations. Registered Professional Petroleum Engineer, California.
- HIGHLIGHTS**
- 1989 - Present PETROtech Resources Company, Inc.
President: Make economic and reserve evaluations of oil and gas properties for acquisition, sale, estates, SEC, etc. Involved in evaluations leading to multi-million dollar acquisitions. Design, permit, and evaluate secondary recovery projects. Design, permit, and oversee maintenance and testing of Class I, II, and V injection wells. Oversee well remedial and drilling activities. Interface with government agencies. Operate oil producing properties for third parties.
- Represent about 50 independent operators in ad valorem property tax matters. Annually review performance, make performance projections, and file on several hundred properties in nearly every oil and gas producing county in California.
- 2011 – 2019 Occidental Petroleum Corp/California Resources Corp
Director Tax: Responsible for all aspects of ad valorem property tax matters throughout California with annual payments of approximately \$80 million. Coordinated compliance relative all required inter-departmental information ranging from operations to reserves determinations.
- 1996 – 2018 Summit Energy, LLC
Partner: Small, independent oil producer established in 1996. Located in the Fruitvale oil field, Kern County, California.
- 1981 - 1989
1988 - 1989 Bechtel Petroleum Operations, Inc.- Elk Hills Oil Field
Reservoir Engineer: Various performance analyses of Stevens Zone pools undergoing primary and secondary production. Recommended remedial and infill drilling opportunities to maximize primary and secondary recovery. Evaluate performance of waterflood and gas injection projects to identify and recommend additional production potential. Liaison for subcontract engineering, geologic, and petrophysical consultants. Assisted in developing Reservoir Management Plans.
- 1983 - 1987
Production Engineer: Responsible for optimizing performance of production/injection wells in waterflood project area (approximately 10,000 BOPD). Reviewed individual well histories, identified and proposed solutions to problem wells, and supervised field personnel in remedial workovers. Designed, AFE'd, and supervised field personnel during installation of all types of artificial lift for deep wells (rod pump, gas lift, electric submersible, and hydraulic lift systems). Wrote technical specifications and quality control standards for cased hole logging subcontracts.
- 1981 - 1982
Production Operator: Operated and maintained various surface production facilities (e.g., flowing/pumping wells, tank settings, L.A.C.T. and dehydration units, water injection/disposal systems, gas processing systems, chemical treatments). Gauge individual wells and account for shipped production (100,000 + BOPD). Downhole trouble-shoot low or non-producing wells and write pulling rig requests. Schedule/prioritize well testing and well pulling.

EDUCATION

M.S. - Petroleum Engineering, 1986, University of Southern California. Emphasis in Enhanced Oil Recovery. Research project in waterflood recovery prediction methods. B.A. - Public Administration, 1980, University of California, Los Angeles.

Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response Training (29 CFR Part 1910.120).

Technical Schools - Principles of Rod Pumping. Reservoir Geology (OGCI). Packer Completion Analysis. Gas Lift Design. Orifice Flow Measurement. Oilfield Microbiology. Technology of Artificial Lift (University of Tulsa, 3 weeks). API Profit Series (50 hours). Waterflooding (Smith & Cobb). Artificial Lift Analysis (NABLA). Open/Cased Hole Logging. Perforating. Primary and Secondary Well Cementing. WSPA Property Tax Educational Forum. Thermal Recovery Engineering. Well Abandonment. Oil & Gas Economics and Uncertainty (SPE). Production Forecasting for Unconventional Reservoirs (SPEE). Liquid Rich Shales (SPE). Evaluation of Resource Plays (SPEE). Evaluation of Unconventional Reservoirs (SPEE). Estimating Developed Reserves in Unconventional Reservoirs (SPEE). SPE Petroleum Engineering Certification Program.

**PROFESSIONAL
LICENSE**

Registered Engineer, License No. P1804, California

**PROFESSIONAL
MEMBERSHIPS**

Society of Petroleum Engineers
Society of Petroleum Evaluation Engineers
International Board of Directors (past)
Chairman, California Chapter
California Independent Petroleum Association
Board of Directors
Chairman, Property Tax Committee
Western States Petroleum Association
Property Tax Committee
Kern Community College District, Westside Energy Training & Education Center
Board of Directors
California State University, Bakersfield
Industrial Advisory Board for Accreditation Board for Engineering & Technology
California Taxpayers Association
Board of Directors (past)
Kern County Taxpayers Association
Chairman (past)
Board of Directors
Conservation Committee of California Oil and Gas Producers
District 4 Committee