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## RESUME

### MAX D. MEFFORD

#### PERSONAL

Date of Birth:	January 18, 1951
Marital Status:	Married, three children
Passport:	US #130632226, Expires 01/2002
Languages:	English and some Spanish
Other:	Computer Literate

#### EDUCATION

BS, Industrial Arts and Geology; Southwestern Oklahoma State University; Weatherford, Oklahoma; 1973

#### QUALIFICATION SUMMARY

- Manager of the Well Construction Technology Center (WCTC) located at the University of Oklahoma.
- Expert Witness, Kuwait Oil Company vs. Stewart & Stevenson, Inc. Houston, Texas (1998-1999). Worked for Butler & Binion, Houston, Texas representing Stewart & Stevenson (defendant).
- Acquired grants and research contracts from the Department of Energy, service companies and major oil companies.
- Appointed to the Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE) International "Education and Accreditation Committee" (ABET) in 1999.
- Appointed to the Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE) International "Continuing Education Committee" in 1996.
- Conducted stimulation and cementing seminars in the United States and 11 foreign countries.
- Developed and maintained rapport with major, worldwide oil companies and service companies.
- Assisted in developing concept and content of World Wide Web Site for Halliburton Energy Institute.
- Interfaced with major oil companies on matters related to technology transfer and in conducting seminars related thereto.
- Established and maintained close working relationship with US Department of Energy, Gas Research Institute (Chicago).
- Assisted in development of Gas Storage Optimization Course endorsed by US

Department of Energy and Gas Research Institute.

- Introduced concept of joint publication of a book by Halliburton Energy Services and Texas A&M University.
- Accepted position with Halliburton in 1991 with industry training revenue of \$350,000 annually. When I resigned in 1996 the industry training revenue was in excess of 1.2 million annually.

## **EXPERIENCE**

2001 – Present

GSM, INC., Amarillo, Texas – Technical Sales Representative responsible for customer calls and coordination of services with customers.

1996 – 2001

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA – Manager, Well Construction Technology Center (WCTC). Operated under the Department of Petroleum and Geological Engineering.

- Supervise research performed for the oil & gas industry in fracturing, cementing, coiled tubing and drilling.
- Interface with the Department of Energy, Society of Petroleum Engineers and other professional organizations.
- Provide assistance to service companies, oil companies and drilling contractors in research projects.
- Manage a Coiled Tubing Consortium with a membership of 15 companies throughout the world.
- Conduct seminars in fracturing with Co2.
- The University of Oklahoma delegate serving on the board of directors of the “International Coiled Tubing Association” ICOTA.
- Responsible for budgeting and revenue for the Well Construction Technology Center.

1981 – 1996

### **HALLIBURTON ENERGY SERVICES**

1992 – 1996 Industry School Coordinator; Halliburton Energy Institute

- Coordinated technology transfer through training to external customers throughout the world.
- Collaborated in the development of Modern Production Practices Course.
- Developed and conducted seminars throughout the world in stimulation and cementing as well as in management.

1991 – 1992 Senior Instructor: Cementing, Stimulation – Halliburton Energy Institute.  
Taught engineers in training and operators for field operations.

1987 – 1991 Fracturing Operations Supervisor; Burns Flat, Oklahoma.

1985 – 1987 Fracturing Operator; Burns Flat, Oklahoma.

1983 – 1985 Cementing Operations Supervisor; Burns Flat, Oklahoma.

1981 – 1983 Cementer; Burns Flat, Oklahoma.

1976 – 1980

SELF-EMPLOYED FARMER AND RANCHER.

1973 – 1976

OKLAHOMA CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma – Classroom  
Teacher.

### **INDUSTRY SCHOOLS**

- Business Financial Training (1995)
- Effective Presentations (1991)
- Sales Skills (1993)
- Stimulation Design (1991)
- Modern Completion Practices (1992)
- Course Development (1994)
- Completed Numerous Other Professional Training Sessions