



**Larry Fulghum**, SPE, was named Area Manager of Montana/North Dakota Operations for Wood Group. Before this appointment, he worked as Regional Manager for a drill bit manufacturer for 10 years. Fulghum has 20 years of industry experience and expertise in customer relations.



**Steve Goff**, SPE, was named Vice President of Petroleum Engineering for MedcoEnergi US. Before this appointment, he was President of EPiC Energy Resources. Goff earned a BS degree in petroleum engineering from Mississippi State University.



**Derek Krivak**, SPE, was named President and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Stealth Ventures. Before this appointment, he was Chief Operating Officer of Stealth Ventures. Krivak was also Project Manager for the Unconventional Gas Research Group of the Alberta Research Council.

**Sjur B. Talstad**, SPE, will become CEO of AGR Petroleum Services in October. He is a Vice President for StatoilHydro in charge of the Sleipner fields in E&P Norway. Talstad earned an MS degree in petroleum technology and industrial economy from the Norwegian Institute of Technology.



**Wes J. Spincic**, SPE, was named Vice President, Well Operations and Intervention, for InterAct PMTI. Before this appointment, he was Vice President, Operations, for Maritech Resources, managing drilling, production, and decommissioning activities. Spincic has more than 30 years of exploration, drilling, and production experience.

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**Fred Kerwin Fox**, an SPE Legion of Honor member who invented and developed the spiral drill collar in 1961, died 21 June 2008. He entered the petroleum industry cleaning drill collars and other oil equipment for Halliburton, and eventually became an independent oil operator, Chairperson of Engineering

Enterprises, and Chief Executive Officer of Engineering Enterprises. He also served as general partner of New Ulm Gas, obtained 38 patents, and wrote articles for numerous publications.

Fox invented, developed, and marketed spiral drill collars, casing, and zip-life elevators. He was inducted into the 2007 Offshore Energy Center Hall of Fame and received the 2007 Pioneering Technologies Award for Drilling Technology for the spiral drill collar. The spiral drill collar prevents or mitigates the problem of differential pressure wall sticking of drill collars leading to stuck drill strings, a prevalent problem encountered in drilling deep, high pressure, and deviated wells.

Fox earned a BS degree in 1949 and an MS degree in 1951, both in petroleum engineering from the University of Texas at Austin. He was honored as a Distinguished Engineering Graduate in 1990.

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