



Reducing Risk and Improving Hydrocarbon Recovery Through Better Understanding of Well Operations

Brisbane Seminar

Date: Thursday, November 2nd, 2017

Time: 3:30 – 4:30 PM

Registration: Please register online at <https://fesaus.org/>

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Place: Shell/QGC
Berwyndale South room, 30th floor
275 George Street
Brisbane

Cost: **FESQ Members and Student Members free.**
FESQ will be sponsoring social drinks at Firefly after the event.

Presented by: Kevin Flynn, FlynnCore

Abstract:

In the current market, there is an increased focus on making cost and efficiency savings at the same time as improving recovery and chasing "every last barrel". A manager at Petrobras has recently said that, for one of their projects, a 1% improvement in total recovery has a similar impact to reducing capital expenditure by 5%. This is therefore an area with significant potential benefit.

The presentation will introduce the topic of "Improved Hydrocarbon Recovery", sometimes called "Formation Damage", and why operators worldwide see it as key in assisting with the qualification and selection of well operations, operational fluids, and hardware. The presentation will give an overview of the subject, including case studies and visualisations illustrating:

Financial impacts and potential benefits by improving hydrocarbon recovery

- Why operators see it as important - risk reduction & added value
- The types of study carried out
- Examples of study results and what the operator learned from them
- Future developments and applications

About the presenter:

Kevin is a Core Analyst at heart, with over 30 years industry experience, predominantly all in Special Core Analysis. He worked initially in the UK with Robertson Research before joining ACS Laboratories in 1994 as SCAL Manager. Since the late 90's Kevin has held a senior manager position (Regional Manager, General Manager) initially with ACS Labs before ACS joined the global Weatherford Labs group in 2008. Kevin is currently busy establishing his own core analysis consultancy FlynnCore.

Kevin is the Regional Director for the Society of Core Analysts and authored several technical papers on Special Core Analysis.

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