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OTC Asia Names Distinguished Achievement Award Recipients

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (20 January 2020) – The Offshore Technology Conference Asia (OTC Asia) Distinguished Achievement Awards, modelled after the prestigious awards at the Offshore Technology Conference's (OTC), recognises major technological, humanitarian, environmental, and leadership contributions to the industry. The award recipients for the OTC Asia Distinguished Achievement awards will be recognised at OTC Asia 2020 on Wednesday, 25 March in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

OTC Asia will recognise Kevin Owens for individual achievement, Woodside Energy's Greater Enfield Project for institutional achievement, Dato' Mohamad Idris Mansor with the Heritage award, and Phongsthorn Thavisin and Weilin Zhu with special citations.

OTC Asia Distinguished Achievement Award for Individuals

Kevin Owens will be honoured with the Distinguished Achievement Award for Individuals for his outstanding, significant and unique achievements, and extensive contributions to the industry throughout his 37-year career spanning six continents and nine countries. He has shown remarkable leadership across operational excellence, ensuring personal and process safety, reliability, maintenance, production, and financial results.

Owens also led efforts to safely and reliably start up five new LNG Trains, two domestic market gas installations and the world's largest CO2 sequestration project located in Australia.

OTC Asia Distinguished Achievement Award for Companies, Organisations and Institutions

Woodside Energy will be presented the OTC Asia Distinguished Achievement Award for Companies, Organisations and Institutions in recognition of their trailblazing Greater Enfield Project.

The Greater Enfield project is Australia's largest oilfield development currently in operation. The project also currently holds the world record for longest horizontal subsea water injection well and the world's first pipeline buoyant crossing of a seabed canyon.

With over 1.7 million work hours on the Mobile Offshore Drilling Unit, offshore installation vessels and pipelay vessel with zero lost work cases, its success and achievements are well-deserved.

Heritage Award

OTC Asia has recognised Dato' Mohamad Idris Mansor with the prestigious Heritage Award for his incredible achievements. Specifically in establishing and growing PETRONAS Carigali, the E&P operation arm of PETRONAS, and his tremendous impact on the oil and gas industry in Malaysia and the region. Dato' Idris has been instrumental in advancing the energy industry through his guidance, leadership and volunteerism with the Society of Petroleum Engineers.

Special Citations

OTC Asia will recognise Phongsthorn Thavisin with a Special Citation for his outstanding leadership and volunteerism within the industry, as well as, his lifelong commitment to reshaping Thailand's energy industry through technological innovations and operational success.

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OTC Asia will also acknowledge Zhu Weilin with a Special Citation for his significant contribution to the China offshore industry, as one of its pioneers; as an explorer, developer, visionary leader and scholar; as well as for his outstanding knowledge of regional geology and petroleum systems.

For more information about OTC Asia 2020, and to register to attend these special events, please visit <http://2020.otcasia.org>.

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About OTC

Founded in 1969, OTC's flagship conference is held annually in Houston. OTC has expanded technically and globally with the Arctic Technology Conference, OTC Brasil and OTC Asia. OTC events are brought to you by organisations that cover all aspects of the offshore energy industry.

About OTC Asia 2020

The Offshore Technology Conference Asia (OTC Asia) is where energy professionals meet to exchange ideas and opinions to advance scientific and technical knowledge for offshore resources and environmental matters.

OTC Asia 2020 will take place from 24 – 27 March 2020 at the Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

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