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EDITH NEWTON WILSON, PhD, FGS

With thirty years of experience in the oil and gas business and five years as a renewable energy consultant, my philosophy is to look forward and search for solutions to the problems of tomorrow today. As a community, we stand at an inflection point – the technology, tools, and funds to change the world are at our fingertips. Providing affordable, reliable, and sustainable energy for all is possible through the actions of a group of dedicated and talented people working together.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Rock Whisperer LLC

President and CEO founded in 2011

- Consults with tech start-ups, small businesses, and mining enterprises on projects that enable reliable, affordable, and sustainable energy; provides clients with resource assessment, communications, marketing, and advocacy
- Connects and engages emerging professionals with opportunities to work on global energy solutions

Thriving Earth Exchange

Community Science Fellow

2018-2022

• Brings mapping skills, strategic assessment, and project management to communities at risk from climate change; works in collaboration with public and private partners to create positive outcomes (*pro-bono*)

Peacework

Risk Manager 2017-2018

 Served as health, safety and logistics resource for students and faculty from the University of Arkansas during a three-week service-learning project on a sustainable poultry farm in northern Mozambique

University of Tulsa

Research Associate, Department of Geosciences

2008-2014

Supported student team projects and served on masters and PhD thesis committees

TallGrass Energy, L.L.C.

CEO and Geologist

2008-2011

- Co-founded, built, and sold multimillion-dollar oil and gas operating company
- Conducted and managed geoscience and engineering aspects of projects
- Served as focal point for legal, financial, administrative and partner conversations

Samson Resources

Senior Geological Advisor and Technical Manager of Geology

2003-2008

- Generated, evaluated and successfully drilled unconventional plays in North America
- Introduced corporate geologic systems in a shared software and data environment
- Served on peer review, interviewing and new-hire development teams

ConocoPhillips (Bartlesville)

Manager, Global Leadership Development

2002-2003

 Managed a multi-location team which designed, developed and implemented corporate leadership training programs for supervisors and new hires

Phillips Petroleum Company (Bartlesville)

Exploration Director, Global New Ventures

2000-2002

- Served on the Exploration Council, Geoscience Employee Development Committee, and ConocoPhillips Upstream Technology Transition Team
- Led a team of geoscientists in identifying strategic opportunities, including a successful bid in the Saudi Arabia Gas Initiative of 2001, managed projects, staff, budget and portfolio analysis

EDITH NEWTON WILSON, PhD

BP (Houston)

Commercial Team Leader, Trinidad Exploration Business Unit

1999-2000

Evaluated exploration opportunities and negotiated exploration, joint operating and rig contracts

Amoco Production Company (Houston)

Planning Director and New Ventures Geologist

1989-1999

- Supported merger integration teams with financial analysis and provided strategic planning, budget and portfolio management for midstream gas projects in Brazil, Trinidad and Venezuela
- · Coordinated joint project with Sonangol in Angola, in collaboration with the Ministry of Energy
- Generated, evaluated and executed exploration and assessment projects in Europe, the Middle East, Africa and South America

Anaconda Minerals Company (Missoula)

Prospecting Geologist, Coeur D'Alene silver district

1982-1983

EDUCATION

- The Johns Hopkins University, PhD, 1988; MA, 1986
- Dartmouth College, BA cum laude, 1982

Executive Development

- Phillips Petroleum, 2001, and Amoco Production Company, 1998
- Southern Methodist University; Finance Seminar, Cox School of Business, 1997
- Rice University; Management Program, Office of Executive Development, 1995

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Proficient with office productivity software, GIS desktop and online mapping, and mail tools
- Experienced with external communication including press releases, newsletters, and social media
- Capable to create compelling website and presentation content, including graphs, text, and imagery

AFFILIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

- Board of Directors for MapWorks Tulsa
- Founding Member of the Bob Dylan Center
- Fellow of the Geological Society of London
- Fellow of the Society of Economic Geologists
- Founding Member of the Tulsa Renewable Business Alliance
- Chair of the AAPG ad hoc Climate Change Committee, 2018-2019
- Honorary Member of the University of Arkansas Geosciences Advisory Board
- Commissioner on the Mayor's Commission on the Status of Women, 2013 2017
- Dartmouth Educational Association and Alumni Interviews
- Arts and Humanities Council of Tulsa, Past President
- Tulsa Global Alliance, Citizen Diplomat
- Oklahoma Medical Reserve Corps

INTERNATIONAL

- Traveled to Angola, Austria, Bahrain, Brazil, Canada, Colombia, El Salvador, France, Germany, Guatemala, Italy, Mexico, Mozambique, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, South Africa, Spain, Switzerland, Tanzania, Trinidad and Tobago, United Kingdom, Venezuela
- · Conversant in French, Italian and Portuguese with rudimentary Spanish

PERSONAL

- · Born in Macon, Georgia
- Summited Mount Kilimanjaro, Tanzania, Africa; 19,341 feet; January 25, 2004