

COURSE OVERVIEW DE0160
ESP Application Engineering

Course Title

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Course Date/Venue

Session 1: March 29-April 02, 2026/Meeting Plus 9, City Centre Rotana, Doha Qatar

Session 2: September 13-17, 2026/Meeting Plus 9, City Centre Rotana, Doha Qatar



Course Reference

DE0160

Course Duration/Credits

Five days/3.0 CEUs/30 PDHs

Course Description



This practical and highly-interactive course includes real-life case studies where participants will be engaged in a series of interactive small groups and class workshops.



This course is designed to provide participants with a comprehensive overview of ESP application engineering. It covers the artificial lift principles; the various artificial lift methods used in the petroleum industry; the electrical submersible pumps (ESP) advantages and other artificial lift methods; selecting the correct artificial lift system; the importance of well productivity to pump performance; the wellbore, reservoir and performance of artificial lift; the ESP systems, operations, head generation, impeller types and its characteristics; the ESP components; and the equipment and accessories that make up the ESP system.



During this interactive course, participants will learn the basic sizing principles for ESP artificial lift design and diagnosis; the ESP design procedure and sensitivity analysis; the steps to correctly size an electrical submersible pump; the concept of variable speed controllers; the process of pumping high GOR wells and viscous fluid; the economic analysis principles for project evaluation; the effects of artificial lift and ESP on project economics; the method of prediction, analysis and diagnosis of ESP performance application; the gas handling theory and practice; and the ESP technology, systems in combination with Smart wells, the effect of sand, blocking at intake and sand handling.



Course Objectives

Upon the successful completion of this course, each participant will be able to:-

- Apply and gain an in-depth knowledge on ESP application engineering
- Introduce artificial lift principles and have a good background on the various artificial lift methods used in the petroleum industry
- Identify electrical submersible pumps (ESP) advantages, its comparison with the other artificial lift methods and determine the criteria for selecting the correct artificial lift system
- Discuss the importance of well productivity to pump performance and review wellbore, reservoir and performance of artificial lift
- Recognize ESP systems and review ESP operations, head generation, impeller types and its characteristics
- Identify ESP components including their functions and determine the equipment and accessories that make up the ESP system
- Review the basic sizing principles for ESP artificial lift design and diagnosis and describe ESP design procedure and sensitivity analysis
- Carryout proper steps to correctly size an electrical submersible pump and discuss the concept of variable speed controllers including its techniques for designing
- Demonstrate the process of pumping high GOR wells and pumping viscous fluid and discuss their effects on the performance of ESP
- Review and improve economic analysis principles for project evaluation and discover the effects of artificial lift and ESP on project economics
- Practice the method of prediction, analysis and diagnosis of ESP performance application by giving practical examples and exercises
- Apply gas handling theory and practice by determining its properties, methods and effects
- Discover ESP technology including coiled tubing, ESP systems in combination with Smart wells, the effect of sand, blocking at intake and sand handling

Exclusive Smart Training Kit - H-STK®



*Participants of this course will receive the exclusive “Haward Smart Training Kit” (H-STK®). The H-STK® consists of a comprehensive set of technical content which includes **electronic version** of the course materials conveniently saved in a **Tablet PC**.*

Who Should Attend

This course provides an overview of all significant aspects and considerations of ESP application engineering for engineers, technologists and other technical staff with direct responsibility for electric submersible pumping (ESP) & artificial lift systems design and troubleshooting including maximizing production and minimizing operating costs.

Course Certificate(s)

Internationally recognized certificates will be issued to all participants of the course who completed a minimum of 80% of the total tuition hours.

Certificate Accreditations

Certificates are accredited by the following international accreditation organizations: -

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British Accreditation Council (BAC)

Haward Technology is accredited by the **British Accreditation Council** for **Independent Further and Higher Education** as an **International Centre**. BAC is the British accrediting body responsible for setting standards within independent further and higher education sector in the UK and overseas. As a BAC-accredited international centre, Haward Technology meets all of the international higher education criteria and standards set by BAC.
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The International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET - USA)

Haward Technology is an Authorized Training Provider by the International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), 2201 Cooperative Way, Suite 600, Herndon, VA 20171, USA. In obtaining this authority, Haward Technology has demonstrated that it complies with the **ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard** which is widely recognized as the standard of good practice internationally. As a result of our Authorized Provider membership status, Haward Technology is authorized to offer IACET CEUs for its programs that qualify under the **ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard**.

Haward Technology's courses meet the professional certification and continuing education requirements for participants seeking **Continuing Education Units (CEUs)** in accordance with the rules & regulations of the International Accreditors for Continuing Education & Training (IACET). IACET is an international authority that evaluates programs according to strict, research-based criteria and guidelines. The CEU is an internationally accepted uniform unit of measurement in qualified courses of continuing education.

Haward Technology Middle East will award **3.0 CEUs** (Continuing Education Units) or **30 PDHs** (Professional Development Hours) for participants who completed the total tuition hours of this program. One CEU is equivalent to ten Professional Development Hours (PDHs) or ten contact hours of the participation in and completion of Haward Technology programs. A permanent record of a participant's involvement and awarding of CEU will be maintained by Haward Technology. Haward Technology will provide a copy of the participant's CEU and PDH Transcript of Records upon request.

Course Fee

US\$ 8,500 per Delegate. This rate includes H-STK® (Haward Smart Training Kit), buffet lunch, coffee/tea on arrival, morning & afternoon of each day.

Accommodation

Accommodation is not included in the course fees. However, any accommodation required can be arranged at the time of booking.

Course Instructor(s)

This course will be conducted by the following instructor(s). However, we have the right to change the course instructor(s) prior to the course date and inform participants accordingly:



Mr. Hossam Mansour is a **Senior Drilling & Petroleum Engineer** with almost **25 years** of **Offshore & Onshore** experience within the **Refinery, Petroleum and Oil & Gas** industries. His expertise covers the areas of **Drill-String Design, Failure Prevention & Optimization, Advanced Drilling Practices, ESP Application Engineering, Horizontal & Directional Drilling (Planning, Techniques & Procedures), Horizontal & Multilateral Drilling, Directional & Horizontal Drilling Techniques & Procedures, Directional Drilling, Horizontal & Multilateral Drilling, Advanced Drilling Technology, Drilling & Workover Operations, Offshore Drilling & Testing, Drilling & Completion Fluids, Extended Reach Drilling (ERD), Cementing Operations, Cementing Equipment, Cement Slurry Volumes, Casing, Directional & Horizontal Well (Planning, Techniques & Procedures), Horizontal & Multilateral Wells, Horizontal Well Control, Horizontal & Multilateral Wells (Analysis & Design), Directional, Horizontal Well Performance & Optimization, Geological & Engineering Aspects of Horizontal Wells, Sucker Rod Pumping System, SRP Maintenance, Rod Pumping Optimization, Rod Lift Method, Beam Pump, Well Production Control & Management, Rigging, Tubular Handling, HPHT, Well Stimulation, Well Cleaning, Well Testing Analysis & Design, Well Control, Well Reconciliation, Drilling Water Wells Design & Operations, Coiled Tubing Perforating Operations, Gas Lift Operations, ESP Design & Operation, Tubing, Well Heads, Drill Stem Test (DST) Operations, Offshore Drilling and Drill String. Further, he is also a well-versed in **Workover Rigs, Open & Cased Hole Logging, Wire Line Perforations, FRAC Design & Operations, Log Interpretation, Stuck Pipe Prevention, Fishing Operations, Tools & BHA Design and Rig & Rigless Completion Operations.** He is currently the **Operations General Manager of IPR Energy Group-International Oilfield Services**, where-in he is managing, planning, directing and coordinating the operations of companies and responsible for formulating policies, managing daily operations and planning the use of materials.**

During his career life, Mr. Mansour held significant positions such as the **Operations General Manager, Drilling Engineering Manager, Drilling Superintendent, Drilling & Workover Superintendent, Senior Drilling Supervisor, Drilling & Workover Supervisor, Night Drilling Supervisor, Land Rig Drilling Supervisor, Senior Drilling Engineer, Senior Drilling Consultant, Trainer/Instructor and Cement Operator** for numerous international companies like the **Saudi ARAMCO, PetroSannan-JV NaftoGaz, PetroShahd, ENAP Siptrol, NAFTOGAZ, Romanna, Apache, Khalda Petroleum Company, RWE Dea AG Co., SUCO (Suez Oil Company) and Halliburton.**

Mr. Mansour has a **Bachelor's** degree in **Petroleum Engineering** with the major in **Drilling, Production & Reservoir.** Further, he is a **Certified Instructor/Trainer** and a **Certified Internal Verifier/Assessor/Trainer** by the **Institute of Leadership & Management (ILM).** Moreover, he is a member of the **Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE)** and has delivered innumerable technical courses, related sciences and studies, seminars, workshops and conferences worldwide.

Training Methodology

All our Courses are including **Hands-on Practical Sessions** using equipment, State-of-the-Art Simulators, Drawings, Case Studies, Videos and Exercises. The courses include the following training methodologies as a percentage of the total tuition hours:-

- 30% Lectures
- 20% Practical Workshops & Work Presentations
- 30% Hands-on Practical Exercises & Case Studies
- 20% Simulators (Hardware & Software) & Videos

In an unlikely event, the course instructor may modify the above training methodology before or during the course for technical reasons.

Course Program

The following program is planned for this course. However, the course director(s) may modify this program before or during the course for technical reasons with no prior notice to participants. Nevertheless, the course objectives will always be met:

Day 1

0730 – 0800	Registration & Coffee
0800 – 0815	Welcome & Introductions
0815 – 0830	PRE-TEST
0830 – 0930	Introduction to Artificial Lift Principles Brief Introduction to the Various Artificial Lift Methods Used in the Petroleum Industry • Advantages & Disadvantages of the Main Artificial Lift Methods & Analysis of which Method has Merit to which Applications
0930 – 0945	Break
0945 – 1045	ESP Advantages & Comparison with other AL Methods Focus on ESP Artificial Lift Systems & How they Compare in Performance & Efficiency to other Artificial Lift Methods, Mainly to Gas Lift & Progressive Cavity Pumps (PCP) Systems
1045 – 1200	Criteria for Selecting the Correct Artificial Lift System The Criteria Behind Decision Making & Proper Selection of the Artificial Lift System in the Oil & Gas Projects
1200 – 1215	Break
1215 – 1315	Well Productivity A Brief Introduction of the Concepts of PI & IPR are Discussed along with the Importance of Correctly Matching Well Productivity to Pump Performance
1315 – 1420	Wellbore, Reservoir & Performance Review Pressure Loss in the Wellbore • Calculation of Density & other Fluid Properties • Inflow & Outflow • Impact of Changing Well Conditions & Need for Artificial Lift
1420 - 1430	Recap Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow
1430	Lunch & End of Day One



Day 2

0730 – 0900	ESP Systems Overview & Operation <i>Review of Principles of ESP Operation, Head Generation, Impeller Types & Characteristics • Impact on Well & Reservoir of ESP Operation • Use of Nodal™ Analysis in ESP Applications</i>
0900 – 1030	ESP Components <i>Introduction to the Equipment & Accessories that Make Up the Electric Submersible Pumping System • The Main Components of the ESP & Their Use & Function</i>
1030 – 1045	Break
1045 – 1200	Sizing Principles of ESP's <i>Introduction to Basic Sizing Principles for ESP Artificial Lift Design & Diagnosis • ESP Design Procedure & Sensitivity Analysis • Mechanical & Electrical Considerations</i>
1200 – 1300	Pump Sizing <i>The Steps to Correctly Size an Electric Submersible Pump Example Problem • Participants Will Use a Similar Example to Size an ESP</i>
1300 – 1315	Break
1315 – 1420	Variable Speed Controllers <i>The Effects of Speed Changes on the ESP • The Techniques for Designing Variable Speed Pumping Systems • The Student Will Work Through an Example Problem & then Solve a Problem Using a Variable Speed Controller</i>
1420 - 1430	Recap <i>Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow</i>
1430	Lunch & End of Day Two

Day 3

0730 – 0930	Pumping High GOR Wells <i>The Effects of Gas on the Performance of ESP • Determine the Amount of Free Gas Present at the Pump Intake • The Probability of Gas Interference</i>
0930 – 0945	Break
0945 – 1100	Pumping High GOR Wells (cont'd) <i>Appropriate Measures to Prevent Gas Locking • Problems Sizing Equipment for Gassy Wells</i>
1100 – 1215	Pumping Viscous Fluid <i>Effects of Viscosity on the Performance of Submersible Pumps</i>
1215 – 1230	Break
1230 – 1420	Pumping Viscous Fluid (cont'd) <i>Example Problem in an Application of a Field with Heavy Oil Properties to Predict Pump & Motor Performance</i>
1420 - 1430	Recap <i>Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow</i>
1430	Lunch & End of Day Three



Day 4

0730 – 0930	Introduction to Economic Analysis The Economic Principles for Project Evaluation are Presented SUCH as Net Present Value, Internal Rate of Return, etc. • Evaluation of Projects & Decision Making Examples to Implement Artificial Lift Methods in Field Development
0930 – 0945	Break
0945 – 1100	Effects of Artificial Lift & ESP on Project Economics Data Analysis & Interpretation Examples • Optimization of ESP Applications to Improve Project Economics
1100 – 1215	Practical Workshop Class Exercise on the Prediction of ESP Performance Under Varying Well & Reservoir Conditions
1215 – 1230	Break
1230 – 1420	Practical Workshop (cont'd) Analysis & Diagnosis of Real Field Examples from Participants • Presentations & Concluding Remarks from Teams
1420 - 1430	Recap Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow
1430	Lunch & End of Day Four

Day 5:

0730 – 0930	Gas Handling Theory & Practice Gassy Oils Properties (Effect of Bubble Point, GOR, Pressure, Composition etc.) • Gas Effects in Pump (Changing Volume, Effect on Pump Performance) & Wellbore
0930 – 0945	Break
0945 – 1100	Gas Handling Theory & Practice (cont'd) Gas Handling Methods (Separation, Processing) & Review of New Technologies
1100 – 1215	Latest Advances on ESP Technology Coiled Tubing Deployed ESP • Distinction Between CT External & Internal Cable Applications
1215 – 1230	Break
1230 – 1330	Latest Advances on ESP Technology (cont'd) ESP Systems in Combination with Smart Wells • Effect of Sand (Wear), Blocking at Intake • Sand Handling
1330 – 1345	Open Forum
1345 - 1400	Course Conclusion Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Course Topics that were Covered During the Course
1400 – 1415	POST-TEST
1415 – 1430	Presentation of Course Certificates
1430	Lunch & End of Course

Practical Sessions

This practical and highly-interactive course includes real-life case studies and exercises:-



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