



TROUBLE-FREE DRILLING

Through an alliance agreement with Drillbert Engineering Inc., the Well Control School is offering the Trouble-Free Drilling Course. This 3-day course will help the participants understand how to avoid down hole problems while drilling. The course is built around the book "Trouble-Free Drilling" by John Mitchell, and is supported by impressive macromedia "Flash" animations. This course summarizes the physics behind down hole problems and presents logical mitigation practices.

Learning Objectives:

1. Why the emphasis on drilling optimization needs to be on problem avoidance
2. The mechanics of hole cleaning, wellbore instability, and differential sticking
3. Communication and problem solving skills as they pertain to hole problems
4. Mitigation practices for minimizing stuck pipe costs. In particular:
 - When to expect certain down hole problems
 - How to prevent these down hole problems
 - How to recognize when the problems are beginning to occur
 - The pre-determined first actions to take at the onset of a problem
 - Freeing procedures if the pipe should become stuck

Target Audience:

- Derrickmen, Drillers, Tool Pushers, Drilling Supervisors, and Drilling Engineers with field experience.

Course Duration: 3 days

REGISTRATION / INFORMATION

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