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LOS ANGELES BASIN GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY

February 25th (Thursday) – 12:00 Noon

***This will be a virtual (on-line) meeting using
Gotomeeting. See below for instructions.***

Dennis Schmude

Understanding of Reef Growth Patterns of the Michigan Basin

Abstract

This presentation will be an overview of reef growth patterns in the Michigan Basin. Although we don't have pinnacle reefs in California, this talk should provide an interesting case study of a petroleum system and play type unfamiliar to many of our west coast geologists.

Speaker's Biography

Dennis Schmude founded Schmude Oil Company in 1983 and is based in Traverse City, Michigan. Dennis has focused on discovering oil and gas in the Niagaran Reefs. After six years, his career reached a turning point when his accumulated experience led him to see an undiscovered pattern in reef growth.

Using geological mapping and seismic data, Dennis has discovered nearly 100 reefs in the Michigan Basin. His first major discovery, in 1975, was the Washington 22-28 gas field with more than 10bcf of gas. It has now been converted into a gas storage field.

Dennis received his BSc in geology from Wayne State University. He was served the industry as a member of the Michigan Oil and Gas Association in various capacities and is associated with other professional organizations.

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Thursday, Feb. 25th, 2021

12:00-1:00

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