# **GEORGE BUNKER**

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# **HEALTH SAFETY & ENVIRONMENTAL (HSE) EXPERT**

REGULATORY COMPLIANCE • AUTOMATED SAFETY MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS • WATER / ENERGY SECTOR • INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS • PROCESS IMPROVEMENTS

### PROFILE

Passionate about developing and implementing HSE Management Systems, I bring over 30 years of leadership experience in the energy industry. Known for building world-class safety programs that prioritize productivity and safety, I have a strong reputation for creating systems that adhere to rigorous standards and regulations.

- Expertise in Safety Management System development, behavior-based safety (BBS), safety assessments, and audits.
- Extensive experience across US Land, Gulf of Mexico, Eastern Mediterranean, West Africa, China, Spain, and Namibia.
- Served as an HSE expert witness in workplace injury cases.
- Advanced knowledge in oil & gas upstream, midstream, and downstream operations.
- Certified ISO OHSMS 18001 and 9001 QMS auditor with solid expertise in ISO 14001 compliance.
- Developed and maintain an automated, interactive online safety and quality management system.
- Proficient in Microsoft Office Suite and various online and automated tools.

## EDUCATION

- Certified Safety and Health Official (CSHO) Petrochemical, Texas A&M University- Engineering Extension
- Many additional courses and certifications upon Request

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# **Integrated Water Services** | *March 2023 - Present* **VP**, **HSEQ**

- Developed and manage the Company's Health, Safety, Environmental, and Quality Management Systems.
- Created the company's online interactive safety management system.

# Validus Energy; Felix Energy; Felix Midstream; Felix Water; Recon Africa $\mid 2018-2023$ HSE Director / Managing Member

- Established and implemented fully automated and interactive safety management systems across Felix companies and Validus Energy.
- Managed HSE programs enterprise-wide, overseeing the acquisition process.
- Developed safety standards and an online safety solution for ReconAfrica in Namibia.
- Served as an expert witness in workplace injury trials.
- Successfully transitioned the company post-sale in 2022.

# **Blackeagle Energy Services** | 2015 – 2018

# **HSE Director**

Developed the Safety Management Plan and automated safety management system.

- Reduced incident rate from 1.51 to 0, achieving zero recordables from 2016 to 2018.
- Awarded the Distribution Contractors Association's Arthur T. Everham Safety Award for three consecutive years.

#### **Frontier Drilling** | *2012 – 2015*

#### **HSE Director**

- Planned, designed, and implemented the Frontier Drilling Management System.
- Reduced TRIR from 3.6 to 0.76.
- Recognized by Antero Resources and IMA Corp. as the 'Most Improved Contractor.'

#### J. Connor Consulting | 2012

#### **Director, SEMS Services**

• Introduced automated SEMS compliance processes for 22 offshore oil & gas operators post-Macondo.

#### **Fishbone Safety** | 2011 – 2012

#### **VP**, Business Development

• Spearheaded rapid expansion from local clients to international business across four continents.

#### **Noble Energy Inc.** | 2007 – 2011

### **Global EHS Manager (Drilling & Well Service)**

- Integral in developing a globally deployed contractor safety management program.
- Played a key role in acquiring the first post-Macondo moratorium deep water drilling permit.
- Serviced projects in-person on a global scale.

# **Shell Exploration and Production Company - SMS** | 2003 – 2007

#### **HSE Coach**

Delivered comprehensive HSE guidance across various operations, including construction and pipeline.

#### Caza Drilling; Decision Point & Associates | 2002 - 2003

#### **HSE Coach**

Oversaw safety meetings, JSAs, safety inspections, and BBS management on drilling rigs.

#### **Prior Experience**

- Motorman, Nabors Drilling
- Pipeline Safety Support, Gregory & Cook
- Gas Tanker Driver, Big West Oil (11 years)
- Owner/Operator of four restaurant concepts (12 years)

#### **References:**

• References available upon request.

# COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Co-created the "Empower Freedom" energy initiative, training energy workers to recognize and prevent human trafficking.
- Founded the Central Texas BBQ Roundup, a community event supporting homeless dogs and law enforcement.
- Co-founded the Texas BBQ Bash, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit raising funds for youth programs and emergency services.
- Founding Contributor of Energy Strong USA, advocating for the energy industry.
- Additional honors are available at www.georgebunker.net.