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Alaska LNG Project

Steve is currently working as the Senior Project Manager for the Alaska LNG project with representatives from BP, ConocoPhillips, and TransCanada to progress an LNG project that can help develop Alaska's natural gas resources.

Steve began his career with Mobil in 1985 and held various engineering and operations positions in the US before moving to Venezuela as Operations Manager to start-up the Cerro Negro project in 1997. Steve relocated to Africa in 1999, working in various project, operating and technical leadership roles in Equatorial Guinea and Angola as well as advisory roles in Nigeria, Chad and as General Manager for Cameroon.

In 2007, Steve was named Vice-President of Production for ExxonMobil Qatar Inc. While in Qatar, Steve worked with the RasGas and QatarGas joint ventures, which included start-up operations of the world's largest LNG facilities and as General Manager of the one of the world's largest gas treating complexes.

Steve holds a Bachelor of Science from Stanford University and a Masters in Business Administration from Southern Methodist University.