SARA ALI

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EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Austin

Bachelor of Science, Petroleum Engineering

May 2025

Overall GPA: 3.7

EXPERIENCE

Talos Energy – Reservoir Engineer Intern; Houston, Texas

June 2024 - August 2024

- Created a strategy to maximize value in the development of a prospect to determine which of three different host options was suitable
- Analyzed 11 analogue wells in OWL to ensure a better understanding of how they related to the prospect
- Utilized reservoir characterization, well design, production configuration, facility options cost and economic evaluation to complete the full evaluation cycle utilizing QUE\$TOR and PHDwin
- Met with Cardinal Slickline and Altec Gas Lift Solutions to discuss downhole retrieval methods used in the industry
- Prepared a presentation on the economic evaluation of the prospect and presented to the Asset Development Team of the company

CML Exploration, LLC – Petroleum Engineer Intern; Austin, Texas

May 2022 - August 2022

- Worked with engineers on optimizing pumping well BHAs with an expected production increase by 68 MBO, 212 MMCF, generating an expected \$4.4 million in revenue
- Met with vendors to learn about downhole tools for pumping wells and developed design procedures to mitigate gas interference
- Analyzed dynamometer cards for 83 South Texas wells to determine how to improve pump efficiency based on various parameters
- Reviewed production chemical usage and switched vendors to reduce costs by \$20K per month
- Digitized more than 50 workover reports for East Texas wells to ensure accuracy for future reference
- Created 25 cross sections using GVERSE GeoGraphix for a geological area of interest to analyze which formations were drilled
- Prepared a presentation on the history of the oil industry and economics and presented to the President of the company

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES

UT SPE – Active Member

Sept 2021- Present

- Participated in bi-weekly general meetings to hear from industry-leading companies
- Grew professional network by connecting with guest speakers from companies such as Chevron, Arena Energy and Hilcorp Energy
- Meet and connect with other students to expand knowledge of oil and gas exploration and development

Women in Engineering Program – *Active Member*

Aug 2021- Present

- Participated in weekly office hours to connect with peer coaches for mentorship and guidance
- Engaged in workshops to discuss the success and advancement of women in engineering
- Gained understanding of how to make decisions about academic and future career plans

Westlake High School Photography Club - Vice President

Jan 2019 - Nov 2019

- Scheduled rooms 3 days in advance for weekly meetings to ensure room availability
- Coordinated weekly meetings with President to ensure constant communication
- Recruited members by increasing awareness of the club leading to an additional 5 members

REFERENCES

Travis Wadman – Production Engineer – CML Exploration, LLC

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Computer Skills: MS Excel, Word, PowerPoint, Modisoft, Java, Python, QUE\$TOR, PHDwin

Other Skills: Time Management, Adaptability, Problem Solving

Languages: Fluent in Spanish and Urdu, Hindi, conversational in Gujarati

Interests: Sports, Video Games, Cooking, Reading

Work Eligibility: Eligible to work in the U.S. with no restrictions