

New PETEX Houston Training Center

In August, PETEX will move to a new state-of-the-art training center at 4702 North Sam Houston Parkway West at Bammel Business Park. The 13,165-square-foot facility will feature three classrooms, hands-on equipment, and spacious parking, all conveniently located in North Houston, four miles West of I-45. The space will also include two indoor labs, a webinar room, break area, and offices to house training staff. PETEX is leaving its current location on the Lone Star College campus where it has been since 1978.

“This is going to be one of the nicest training facilities of its kind. It’s exactly what PETEX needs to showcase its world-class schools and keep up with industry demand for quality oil and gas training programs,” says PETEX Director John Hoopingartner. “The location of the new facility is perfect for our clients’ comfort and convenience.

It’s easy to find, there’s plenty of parking, and there are many amenities nearby—plus, the facility will be fully equipped to deliver the kind of training our clients have come to expect.”



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September 12–16
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- **Advanced Petroleum Measurement**
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- **Mass Measurement of Hydrocarbon Fluids**
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PETEX Online Tool Identifies Competency Gaps, Maps Solutions

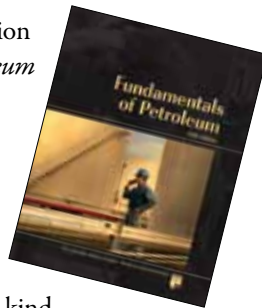
Do you need help sharpening your workforce's skills to maximize safety and performance? PETEX has an easy answer with a unique e-tool based on the skills and competencies Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities (KSAs) matrix established by the International Association of Drilling Contractors (IADC). The new PETEX Skills Analysis Tool (SAT) lets users easily self-assess skills and competencies needed for drilling-sector jobs by identifying knowledge gaps and recommending possible training solutions.

Recommendations include PETEX solutions supplemented by options provided by PETEX training partners that specialize in areas outside PETEX's scope.

To learn more, visit www.utexas.edu/ce/petex/digital/sat or contact Zahid Yoosufani, Online Training Solutions Manager, at zahidy@austin.utexas.edu.

Learn About the *Fundamentals of Petroleum*

PETEX launched the fifth edition of the *Fundamentals of Petroleum* book and e-book in January 2011. Its easy-to-read text and full-color images take readers on a full-scale journey with the people and practices that help bring energy to consumers' doorsteps. The most comprehensive manual of its kind targeting the broad spectrum of workers involved in today's petroleum industry, the new edition is divided in five parts with an index for usability. You can also earn CEUs. Glossary terms are provided in the new edition of *A Dictionary for the Oil and Gas Industry*, 2nd Edition.



New Offerings: (with CEUs)

Fundamentals of Petroleum Online Assessment

Contains 15 tests with 500 questions related to content in the book. The assessment tracks scores and includes 500 alternate questions as a retake option.

E-learning Course

Coming soon is an entire *Fundamentals of Petroleum* online course comprised of interactive e-learning modules so students can receive instruction conveniently streamed via Internet to your computer.

The PETEX SAT:

- Helps identify gaps in necessary job skills and recommends relevant, readily available training solutions.
- Creates a map of training gaps that supervisors can review, adjust, and approve.
- Suggests the appropriate solutions—publications, e-books, classroom training, e-learning, training videos, webinars, and online assessments—to close identified knowledge gaps.

Custom Training Delivered When and Where Needed

Do you need specialized training that meets your exact needs and timing? PETEX can help. Throughout the year, PETEX delivers custom training solutions to clients both regionally and internationally. Here is a snapshot of some custom training that PETEX has recently provided.

- Custom versions of **Petroleum Fundamentals** (Plano, Texas; Miami, Florida; and Mexico City, Mexico)
- **The Changing Nature of the Oil and Gas Industry** (Houston, Texas)
- **Midstream Natural Gas Measurement** (Texas, Colorado, and Oklahoma)
- **Natural Gas Plant—Fundamentals of Operation** (New Mexico and Colorado)
- **Expert Witness training in Natural Gas Measurement and Crude Oil Measurement** (Houston, Texas)
- **Production Technology—Surface** (West Texas Training Center and Wyoming)
- **Volume and Chemical Liquid Petroleum Measurement** (Houston, Texas)

For more information on custom training options, visit www.utexas.edu/ce/petex/forms/onsite-training/; email petexhtc@www.utexas.edu, or call 281-443-7144.