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**SUMMARY**

Project Management Professional (PMP / PMI), Mechanical Engineer for Construction (MSc) with over 30 years of progressive engineering, project and program management experience in the energy sector (oil, gas, machinery manufacturing etc.), totalling more than 50 projects (worth over US$1bn), working throughout Europe and Asia (in both EPC and PMC positions).

Skilled in international CAPEX project management, engineering (feasibility study, FEED, R & D), procurement, (re-)construction, commissioning, contract administration, budget control, strategy / business development, and consulting.

**KEY ACHIEVEMENTS**

* Developed a conceptual project of the Alpine macro-region’s energy policy investing US$1bn p.a. EU
* Developed a nationwide programme to modernize Ukraine’s underground gas storages (UGSs) UA

and integrate them into the European Union’s gas markets and hubs

* Performed technical-and-environmental due diligence of 6 regional gas distribution companies UA
* Participated in establishing the representative office of the leading Ukrainian Oil&Gas company IQ

(Naftogaz) in Iraq, collaborated in project management of US$400m in Iraq’s Oil&Gas sector,

advised on the reconstruction of Iraq’s Oil&Gas industry via FDI of US$1.7bn

* Performed technical due diligence of a credit agreement for $30m between Naftogaz and UA

a foreign commercial bank, won the 2002 Deal of the Year award (the *Trade Finance Magazine*)

* Developed the reform options – for the Ukrainian gas transit network’s operation system – UA

to be grounded on the joint strategic interests of Ukraine and of the EU

* Advised on Ukraine’s Energy Strategy 2030 and coordinated its elaborating in Oil&Gas UA
* Concluded a partnership agreement for Naftogaz with the major Polish Oil&Gas company PL

in regard to middle-stream projects in both Ukraine and Poland

* Signed a maintenance cooperation memorandum for Naftogaz with the major Kazakh gas KZ

operator regarding its main gas assets (pipelines, compressor stations, and UGSs)

* Supplied equipment / materials and commissioning support for 53 gas fuel stations in Ukraine UA
* Executed engineering design (detailed engineering / working drawings) and construction RU

supervision of 9 compressor stations in Russia

* Was a representative of Ukraine to the International Gas Union and to the UNECE Gas Centre

**EXPERIENCE**

**Project Manager / Oil&Gas-Energy Consultant, Ivano-Frankivsk, UA Mar 2007 - Present**

* (Re-)Construction (industrial, infrastructure, buildings)
* Oil and gas project development / consulting (up-, mid-, downstream)
* Energy strategies and project management development (companies, countries, macro-regions)

**Oil&Gas Consultant, U.S. Department of States, Baghdad, IQ May 2005 – Jun 2006**

* As a consultant of the Iraq Reconstruction Management Office (IRMO), collaboration in project management and consulting on development of Iraq’s Oil&Gas industry

**Special Oil&Gas Expert, Naftogaz of Ukraine NJSC,** [**www.naftogaz.com**](http://www.naftogaz.com)**, Kyiv, UA May 2005 – Feb 2007**

* As a key expert of Naftogaz’s Representative Office in Iraq, advising on Oil&Gas cooperation

**Chief Oil&Gas Expert of International Activities, Naftogaz of Ukraine NJSC, Kyiv, UA May 2002 – Apr 2005**

* Development of new international Oil&Gas activities and improvement of existing ones
* Performing technical due diligence in the frame of the 1st credit agreement of Naftogaz with a foreign commercial bank (WestLB AG), won the 2002 Deal of the Year award (the *Trade Finance Magazine*)
* As a technical expert of the EU-Ukraine Joint Expert Working Group (under the INOGATE programme), undertaking the preliminary assessments of the current value, remaining life and rehabilitation cost of the Ukrainian gas transportation system, development and preliminary assessment of the reform scenarios to be grounded on the current and future joint strategic interests of Ukraine and of the EU
* As a representative to the International Gas Union (Working Committee for Natural Gas Transmission), carrying out surveys of the development of third party access and network codes in Ukraine (technical, operational and economic issues)

**Dep. Head of Prospective Development Dept., Naftogaz of Ukraine NJSC, Kyiv, UA Feb 2001 – May 2002**

* Coordination of elaborating Oil&Gas part of the Energy Strategy of Ukraine for the Period till 2030
* Development of terms of reference on Concept of Naftogaz’s Foreign Economic Activity
* Collaboration in initiating and managing Naftogaz’s activities abroad, e.g.:

– Iraq (a representative office opened, the 1st Iraqi crude oil contract for Naftogaz made and executed),

– Poland (a partnership agreement with PGNiG SA concluded),

­– Kazakhstan (a cooperation memorandum with Intergas Central Asia JSC signed)

**Managing Director for Innovations, REVIS Private Company, IFRO LLC, Kyiv, UA May 1995 – Jan 2001**

* Machinery manufacturing and energy efficiency / saving

**Director and Founder, FEST Private Company, Kyiv, UA Feb 1992 – May 1995**

* Supply of equipment and materials for gas fuel stations, commissioning support

for facilities based in Ukraine

**Trader, Self-employed Entrepreneur, Kyiv, UA Oct 1988 – Feb 1992**

* Trading in industrial goods and commodities (incl. petrochemicals) in Ukraine

**Eng. Technician of Oil&Gas Rotary Drilling Rig, Lenaneftegazgeologia, Lensk, RU Feb 1986 – Oct 1988**

* Maintenance of the engines and other machinery at rigs in onshore Oil&Gas exploration

**Sr. Mechanical Engineer of Pipeline Facilities Dept., Ukrgazproekt PJSC, Kyiv, UA Aug 1981 – Feb 1986**

* Engineering design (detailed engineering / working drawings) and construction supervision

of gas pipeline facilities (compressor stations, etc.)

**ADDITIONAL SKILLS**

* Computer Literacy: Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Power Point, and MS Project), Primavera
* Language Competence: English (business proficiency), Russian (fluently), and Ukrainian (native)
* Driver's License: Class ‘B’

**EDUCATION / TRAINING**

**TenStep Ukraine,** [**https://tenstep.com.ua**](https://tenstep.com.ua)**, UA 2015**

* Major: Preparation for Project Management Professional (PMP)®Certification

**Ukrainian-Canadian SBEDIF Business Centre, Ivano-Frankivsk, UA 1996 – 1997**

* Major: Business English

**Ivano-Frankivsk National Technical University of Oil and Gas,** [**www.nung.edu.ua**](http://www.nung.edu.ua)**, UA 1976 – 1981**

* Degree: Mechanical Engineer (MSc)
* Major: Construction of oil and gas pipelines, gas storage facilities and oil tank farms

**REGISTRATIONS / CERTIFICATIONS**

* Certificate: Project Management Professional (PMP)®, PMI #1941757 2016 – 2019
* Member: Project Management Institute (PMI), [www.pmi.org](http://www.pmi.org), US 2016 – 2017
* Certificate of Honor: Naftogaz of Ukraine NJSC, UA 2004

**PUBLICATIONS / PATENTS**

* Author of a paper: *A Concept to Strengthen Energy Security of Ukraine* (in English) 2013
* Author of a study: *Threats to Energy Security of Ukraine and Appropriate Counteractive* Measures 2010
* Co-author of a Patent for Invention: *Method of Optimal Operation of Underground Natural Gas* 2009

*Storage Facilities in Depletion Elastic Water Drive Reservoirs*

* Lead author of a publication: *Alternative Base Gas Usage in Underground Natural Gas Storage* 2008

*Facilities of Ukraine* (the *Oil & Gas Industry* magazine)

* Editor of a monograph: *Underground Gas Storage* (in English) 2002

**MISCELLANEOUS**

* Notice Period: Negotiable
* Mobility: Flexible internationally
* Type of Position: Permanent / contract, full-time

**LEISURE TIME**

Family, self-education, hobbies (sport, art, tourism)

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