

Press release

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Chris Pollard Joins DNV Columbus

Columbus, OH USA: DNV Columbus is pleased to welcome Chris Pollard, principal consultant, to our staff. Pollard is based out of the Houston office and will be assisting with in-line inspection support services, as well as sales and marketing.

“I would like to help further establish DNV Columbus as a household word in the field of pipeline integrity and pipeline risk management,” explained Pollard.

Along with a bachelor’s degree from Eastern Illinois University, Pollard has 32 years of experience, including working for Tuboscope Pipeline Services, British Gas (PII), CPIG and Baker Hughes Pipeline Management Group. In his previous roles Pollard has been active in global sales, sales management and marketing, as well as product line management for MFL technology.

In addition to his vast pipeline experience, Pollard spent six years with the Illinois Army National Guard, two years active duty in the U.S. Army where he served as an Army Ranger and was honourably discharged as a 1st Lieutenant, Infantry. He has also spent 25 years competing as an endurance athlete, primarily in long distance running, swimming and cycling.

“We are excited to add Chris to our staff and look forward to the contributions his experience can bring,” stated John T. Schmidt, director Asset Risk Management, Houston.

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