

## MONTY KEHL

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BUSINESS ADVISORY
MANAGING DIRECTOR

- Mr. Kehl is a managing director and has more than 20 years of financial advisory consulting experience. As a former licensed engineer, his professional experience provides the background for his focus on industrial and manufacturing concerns with a specialty in natural resources and energy. He has extensive experience assisting troubled companies and their creditors to identify and implement optimizing solutions and results. He also has significant valuation and planning experience.
- Mr. Kehl started his career as a petroleum engineer for the offshore U.S. Gulf coast division of ARCO Oil and Gas Company. He was responsible for a number of offshore fields off the coast of Venice, Louisiana. His duties included identification and design of "infill" drilling opportunities as well as reserve reporting. In addition, Mr. Kehl served as the valuation engineer for the company's deep water, offshore exploration efforts. Mr. Kehl lead budgeting efforts and performed the economic analyses for numerous capital projects.
- After completing his business degree, Mr. Kehl continued his career in the oil and gas industry through a number of financial and operations management positions with Maxus Energy/YPF S.A. Mr. Kehl served as Director of Engineering and Valuation with duties including public company reserve reporting as well as valuation of oil and gas acquisition and divesture opportunities. Mr. Kehl's final position with Maxus was serving as VP Exploitation for their Indonesian operations. As such, he was responsible for all aspects of an offshore producing field including drilling, operations management, facilities and reservoir management.
- After serving briefly as an officer for a manufacturing concern, Mr. Kehl began his advisory career. He has advised and served in interim management positions for companies and their creditors in numerous engagements, including a crude oil storage construction and operating concern, Midstates Petroleum Company, Inc., Androscoggin Energy LLC, Patriot Coal and Bigler LP (a chemical and processing facility). In the case of Androscoggin Energy, he produced an expert report proffered to the court for the value of several gas supply contracts held by this cogeneration facility.
  - Mr. Kehl led the engagement as debtor advisor to Midstates Petroleum Company and testified regarding the liquidation analysis prepared by Huron
  - Mr. Kehl recently led a team providing valuation services for a litigation matter involving an oil field services company.
  - Mr. Kehl has spoken on Setting Capital Structure at the Dallas Association of Financial Professionals Education Day. He is a frequent speaker at industry conferences, including ABI, AIRA and VALCON. He was named as a finalist of Turnarounds and Workouts' People to Watch: Business Professionals Making Their Mark for 2009.

## Education and Certification

- M.B.A., The Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania
- B.S. with Honors in Petroleum Eng, University of Wyoming Certified Insolvency and Restructuring Advisor
- Licensed Engineer, State of Louisiana (inactive) Certification in Distressed Business Valuation

## Professional Associations

- American Bankruptcy Association, member
- Association of Insolvency and Restructuring Advisors, member Turnaround Management Association, member
- Turnarounds and Workouts' People to Watch: Business Professionals
- Making Their Mark for 2009, finalist