

## **MEETING BETWEEN NED UNIVERSITY, NTNU & SINDH PETROLEUM**

A virtual meeting was conducted between Department of Petroleum Engineering at NED University of Engineering and Technology, NTNU: Norwegian University of Science and Technology and Sindh Petroleum Limited on 19<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at 11 am.

The meeting was attended by Honorable Vice Chancellor NED University Prof. Dr. Sarosh Hashmat Lodi, CEO Sindh Petroleum Limited Engr. Asim Murtaza Khan, Chairman Petroleum Engineering Department Dr. Javed Haneef, Ex-Chairman Petroleum Engineering Department Prof. Dr. Abid Murtaza Khan, and Associate Professor NTNU Egil Tjøland.

The main purpose of the meeting is to re-activate the linkages between Department of Petroleum Engineering at NED University of Engineering and Technology and NTNU: Norwegian University of Science and Technology.

All participants share their valuable views and inform about the industry challenges like unconventional reservoir, flow assurance and drilling engineering. Participants express their consensus over the initiation of these researches under the umbrella of Norwegian Center of Excellence in Petroleum Studies (NCEPS). However, Honorable Vice Chancellor NED University Prof. Dr. Sarosh Hashmat Lodi advises that there should be a formal mechanism to initiate such linkages. The point was seconded by Associate Professor NTNU Egil Tjøland and finally it was decided that both universities will first handle this matter administratively at their own ideas, and come up with concrete solution in next meeting.

