



CSUR's AB & BC MONTNEY TECHNICAL SESSION – Feb 20/2020

CSUR's 2020 Montney Day was held on February 20th and was once again a popular event! The event, which was sold out in advance, provided the attendees the opportunity to listen to numerous speakers on a wide variety of topics related to the Montney. The workshop was specifically designed to provide both a macro update on the importance of the play as well as the many non-technical & technical issues required to advance this resource play.

The day began with a series of talks on the impact of the Montney for the nascent LNG industry. The talks highlighted the significant potential that exists for Canada in the Global LNG market, but also the substantial struggles within Canada that the producers and the industry continue to try and overcome. Canada appears to have significant advantages over other LNG suppliers in practically every aspect but continues to face challenges in getting projects to the finish line. Obviously, the timing of this session was appropriate considering the recent political unrest involving the Coastal Gas Link pipeline.

The remainder of the day focused on key non-technical and technical facets of the Montney play. From pre-project community engagement & planning to ongoing research projects to important completion & reservoir studies / work, the speakers captivated the attendees with their specialized knowledge, approach and experiences in working this play. Notwithstanding the requirement for non-technical & regulatory work, it was very evident that technology is critical (and will continue to be) in advancing this play, especially given the current economic conditions.

The feedback both at the event and via the post-event survey indicated that the attendees enjoyed the scope and variety of topics covered during the day.

