

NEWS ALERT



Cortec[®] Corporation Welcomes Back James E. Holden, P.E.!



Cortec[®] Corporation is excited to announce the return of James (Jim) Holden, Cortec's new Technical Director of Energy and Engineering! Jim is a licensed professional engineer with an extensive background in the energy field and design engineering. He has worked with aircraft engines, gas and steam turbines, and nuclear energy BWR plants (Boiling Water Reactor). Jim's career spans tours at GE, Alston Power, Dresser-Rand, Cortec[®], and Westinghouse Electric Company.

Jim's first introduction to Cortec[®] products was around the year 2000 when working at a gas fired power plant being built by GE. The centerline equipment had to be kept extremely clean, so for a year, Jim tested the effectiveness of corrosion inhibitors from major suppliers. "Cortec[®] product outperformed everyone," Jim recalls. This began a long history for Jim of using, recommending, and helping develop Cortec[®] VpCI[®] applications. Many of Cortec's current products and their manner of use stem back to Jim's integration of them at GE. He introduced Cortec[®] products to his subsequent employer and their distributors, eventually joining Cortec[®] himself as Technical Sales Manager in November of 2005. For the next five years Jim provided technical sales support to Cortec[®] while working to expand the presence of Cortec[®] products in the oil and gas markets.

In January of 2011, Jim took a five year detour into the nuclear energy field as a BWR Customer Account Manager. Since coming back to Cortec[®] in January 2016, he has been actively involved in developing cost effective comprehensive corrosion prevention solutions in the energy sector.

In addition to his professional engineer license and extensive experience working directly in the energy field, Jim holds a Bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering and a Master's in Business. He also has a Master Black Belt certification in Six Sigma Quality. Cortec[®] is extremely grateful to have his knowledge and expertise back on board.

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