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IME Governor Earns Prestigious Fellow Status

The Institute of Makers of Explosives (IME) is pleased to announce that Mr. James Barker of IME member company Jet Research Company (JRC)/Halliburton has earned recognition as a Technology Fellow within JRC/Halliburton.

Through the Halliburton Technology Fellows Program, the highest-performing engineers and scientists earn the Fellows distinction based upon the high-profile work that they perform that elevates the technology profile of the company. According to JRC/Halliburton, the Fellows also mentor new professionals; conduct research and study the latest technology trends; aggressively market the company as a technology leader through presentations, conferences, and forums; and participate in the development of the company's technology strategy.

Mr. Barker was promoted to Fellow during a ceremony on December 11th, 2014, and he is currently one of only 13 Fellows in all of Technology for JRC/Halliburton. A Fellow is the highest position within technology for all of Halliburton.

Mr. Barker is a member of IME's Board of Governors, Steering Committee, and Government Affairs Committee, among other contributions that he makes to IME.

The mission of IME is to promote safety and security and the protection of employees, users, the public and the environment and encourage the adoption of uniform rules and regulations in the manufacture, transportation, storage, handling, use and disposal of explosive materials. IME is honored to highlight this example of the technical expertise that underpins IME's leadership in advancing the safety and security of commercial explosives. More information about IME and its safety and security standards can be found at www.IME.org.