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Phil Martin is CEO of New Century Exploration LLC, an active Eagle Ford operator backed by private equity firm Talara Capital Management. After earning B.S. and M.S. degrees from LSU and UL Phil began his career at Union Texas Petroleum and has been an Independent Oil & Gas Operator for over 30 years.

Phil has led many oil and gas development programs and has made been in the forefront of developing technology for unconventional resources. The entire New Century team has advanced expertise and experience in the Eagle Ford Shale and were the first to introduce generation 2 fracking to the Eastern Eagle Ford basin.

Phil has presented to various industry groups regarding oil and gas exploration, development, and economics. He is a member of various professional organizations including Houston Producers Forum, Houston Energy Finance Group, ADAM Houston, IPAA, TIPRO, the LSU Foundation and others. He is involved with various community and charitable organization and serves on the boards of the Pearl Fincher Museum of Fine Arts and the Centrum Art League and the Community Advisory Board of Lone Star College.