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Egbert U. Imomoh

Egbert Imomoh was born in Northern Nigeria. After graduating from secondary school, he planned to work in a brewery. Luckily, Shell offered a pre-scholarship job followed by an engineering scholarship I. After training in the Netherlands, he joined Shell in 1968 as a petroleum engineer in Nigeria. He then embarked on a thirty-seven-year career with the company, eventually transitioning from technical positions to management. Imomoh rose to the position of deputy managing director of Shell Petroleum Development Company of Nigeria, a position he held for five years until February 2002, when he retired. After that, he worked with Shell International in London as a senior corporate adviser

Imomoh joined SPE in 1973 and was a founding member of the section in Nigeria. He was chairman of the SPE Nigeria Council in 1986 and was named a Distinguished Member of the society in 1999. He served as the first regional director for Africa on the SPE Board of Directors between 2000 and 2003. Imomoh chaired the board committee on educational and professional activities between 2002 and 2003. He also served as Chairman of the SPE Nigeria Council Board of Trustees. In 2013, he became the first African to serve as SPE president. Imomoh has been honored by SPE with the Distinguished Member and Honorary awards.

He has also been honored by the Nigerian Government with the award of Commander of the Niger (CON) and by the Pope with the Knighthood of Saint Gregory. (KSG)

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