



# AARON

MAKING A DIFFERENCE...  
RIGHT AWAY

## GEOLOGIST

### LOCATION

Houston, Texas



### DEPARTMENT

Guyana Exploration

### EDUCATION

M.S., Geology,  
University of Idaho

B.S., Geology  
Southern Utah University

### STARTED AT HESS

2015

### WHY DID YOU DECIDE TO JOIN HESS?

Hess is the rare blend of a small to medium size company with a wide variety of projects. Its size allows me the potential to be on a first name basis with senior management, while giving me the opportunity to work on diverse projects.

### HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOUR EXPERIENCE IN THE HESS FOUNDATION PROGRAM?

My experience has been one of constant learning and professional growth. In just two years, I've gained experience in three different basins while working in the Bakken, Gulf of Mexico Exploration, and Guyana Exploration asset teams. The program has pushed me out of my comfort zone just enough to maximize my growth in a wide range of skill sets.

### WHAT ADVICE WOULD YOU GIVE THOSE ENTERING THE HESS FOUNDATION PROGRAM?

To be flexible and keep an open-mind to learning any and all skill sets.

### WHAT DO YOU LIKE MOST ABOUT HESS' CULTURE?

My favorite aspects of the Hess culture are the diversity of people that work here and the network of young professionals. Most of the enterprise is located in one building, which provides valuable access to your fellow employees.

### WHAT ARE YOU CURRENTLY WORKING ON?

I am currently working on the exploration and appraisal of the Stabroek Block, offshore Guyana.

### WHAT IS THE GREATEST TAKE-AWAY FROM THE HESS FOUNDATION PROGRAM?

My greatest take-away from the Foundation Program has been the exposure to the broad scope of the oil business and the geology that drives it.