

Hephae Energy Technology Appoints Andy Bruce as President

Appointment accelerates commercial deployment of ultra high temperature geothermal drilling technology.

HOUSTON, TX, UNITED STATES, February 24, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Hephae Energy Technology, a leading developer of ultra high temperature robotics that enables next-generation geothermal energy development, announces the appointment of Andy Bruce as President.

With over three decades in the global energy industry, Andy offers extensive leadership across downhole drilling technologies and energy service organizations. He has served in senior roles at Scout, Nabors Drilling Solutions, Balmoral Group, Trelleborg, and Navigate Energy Services. In spearheading significant merger and acquisition initiatives, he has directed cross-functional teams spanning finance, human resources, IT, contracts, and software development.

"Hephae is tackling one of the most critical challenges in scaling superhot rock geothermal, with the need for reliable drilling and directional control in extreme temperature environments," said Andy Bruce. "I'm excited to continuing building momentum for Hephae at this pivotal stage and help translate Hephae's breakthrough technology into commercial impact on a global scale."

Hephae's technologies are purpose-built to operate beyond the thermal limits of conventional downhole tools, enabling access to deeper and hotter rock to enable scalable, firm power. The appointment of Bruce reflects the company's continued transition from advanced development into commercial deployment and global growth.

"Andy's experience scaling energy technologies and leading organizations through commercialization makes him a strong addition to our leadership team," said Steve Krase, CEO of Hephae. "His appointment reinforces Hephae's focus on execution as we move towards field deployment and market adoption." Bruce will work across Hephae's global footprint, supporting engineering, manufacturing, strategic partnerships, and customer engagement as the company advances toward first-of-a-kind deployments in next-generation geothermal projects.

About Hephae Energy Technology

Hephae Energy Technology is a next-generation geothermal technology company developing ultra high temperature drilling and downhole systems designed to enable scalable, reliable energy for everyone, everywhere. By overcoming the temperature and reliability limits of

conventional drilling tools, Hephae is unlocking access to deeper and hotter rock to support the future of firm, sustainable energy.

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