



Biography

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- Mr Kavanagh is Group Technology Director, for Wood Group's Subsea companies and has 24 years industry experience.
- He holds a Primary Degree in Civil Engineering and a Masters Degree in Offshore Engineering, both from University College Cork, Ireland, and a degree in Economics from the London School of Economics.
- His early career was in vessel and offshore technology, working for the ship hydrodynamics group of Lloyds Register in London. He later worked as project manager and then General Manager of MCS in Galway, specialising in riser and mooring design and technology.
- He established MCS's Houston office in 1999 and was responsible as president for the growth of MCS's business in the US.
- He has been responsible for several of MCS's technology projects associated with risers , flexible pipes and integrity management and has authored over 20 papers in subsea, riser and integrity management technology.
- In 2009, he moved to new position as Technology Director of Wood Group's Subsea companies.
- He has participated in several industry work groups, including the joint API/ISO task groups responsible for developing new codes of practice for Flexible Pipes, Floating Production Risers and Drilling Risers. He is also a member of the executive committee of ASME's Petroleum Division.