



## **Province's Oil and Gas Industry Being Discussed in Africa**

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Advancements being made in this province's oil and gas industry are being profiled at a major conference in South Africa this week. The [Centre for Marine Compressed Natural Gas](#) in St. John's is the world's first research and development corporation for large-scale marine transportation of compressed natural gas.

The Centre's Managing Director, Michael Hanrahan, is in Cape Town, South Africa this week as a guest speaker at Energy Tech Africa, the oil and gas conference for that continent. Hanrahan says it is quite exciting that the skills and the technologies being developed in Newfoundland Labrador are being sought around the world. Hanrahan says marine compressed natural gas is one of the newest frontiers in the upstream energy sector. He says the economic challenge is how to safely transport and market marine CNG on a regional or international basis.