

Program
66th Mineral Law Institute
Thursday, March 14, 2019

7:30 – 8:50 a.m.

Continental Breakfast

Sponsored by Gordon, Arata, McCollam,
Duplantis & Eagan, LLC

8:50 – 9:00 a.m.

Introductory Remarks

Professor Keith B. Hall
Director, MLI Law Institute
LSU Law Center

9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

Recent Developments

Seth E. Bagwell
Carver, Darden, Koretzky, Tessier, Finn,
Blossman & Areaux, LLC
New Orleans, LA

10:10 – 11:05 a.m.

**Gulf Coast Energy Outlook 2019:
Production, Trade and
Infrastructure Trends**

David E. Dismukes, Ph.D
Professor, Executive Director, and
Director of Policy Analysis
Center for Energy Studies
Louisiana State University
Baton Rouge, LA

11:15 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.

OCS Update

Marcella Colbert Burke
Deputy Solicitor, Division of Energy &
Natural Resources
Acting Senior Counsel to the Assistant
Secretary for Land and Mineral
Management
U. S. Department of the Interior
Washington, D.C.

12:10 – 1:15 p.m.

Lunch

Sponsored by Baker, Donelson, Bearman,
Caldwell & Berkowitz, PC

1:15 – 2:15 p.m.

Professionalism

Barry H. Grodsky
(President of the Louisiana State Bar
Association)
Taggart Morton, LLC
New Orleans, LA

2:25 – 3:25 p.m.

Legal Ethics

Greg Smith
Professional Ethics Professorship of Law
G. Frank & Winston Purvis Professor of
Law
LSU Law Center
Baton Rouge, LA

3:35 - 4:05 p.m.

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Beverly Kahl
Office of Mineral Resources
Geology, Engineering & Lands Division
Louisiana Department of Natural
Resources
Baton Rouge, LA

4:05 – 5:00 p.m.

**Indemnity Provisions and Oilfield
Anti-Indemnity Acts: A Primer,
and Louisiana/Texas Comparison**

William W. Pugh, III
Liskow & Lewis, APLC
Houston, TX

5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Reception

Sponsored by Liskow & Lewis, APLC

2:05 – 3:00 p.m.

Mineral Leases

Kelly E. Ransom
Kelly Hart & Pitre
New Orleans, LA

3:10 – 4:05 p.m.

Louisiana Oil Well Lien Act

Benjamin W. Kadden
Lugenbuhl, Wheaton, Peck, Rankin &
Hubbard
New Orleans, LA

4:05 – 5:00 p.m.

Paying Lease Proceeds

Kyle P. Polozola
Kean Miller LLP
Lafayette, LA