MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN

The 2013 regulatory and legislative landscapes remain murky but the offshore energy industry is ready to tackle the unique challenges that limit Outer Continental Shelf access. NOIA's upcoming Annual Meeting in Washington provides an opportunity for member companies to hear from leading policymakers and chart the path forward.



Our committee meetings offer a chance to drill down

into the details of specific aspects of our work, and the speaker sessions provide interaction with the members of Congress and the Administration whose decisions have a very direct impact on energy, jobs and the United States economy.

Offshore access continues to be a top agenda item, with added insight from legislators and their staffs who are in the continuing battle to maximize U.S. energy potential in new areas of the OCS. Offshore safety remains a primary focus as industry builds bridges with the Federal Government. Speakers from the Administration will forecast where offshore safety is moving and identify common ground.

With a new Congress comes the opportunity for increased impact. The offshore energy industry offers tremendous promise during these times of economic uncertainty. As the country continues to ask where the jobs are, NOIA and our industry will let them know, they're offshore.

In this context, NOIA will convene its 2013 Annual Meeting April 17-19 in Washington, DC. I encourage you to attend this important and timely meeting. See you in April.

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BILL E. CHILES President & CEO Bristow Group, Inc. Houston, TX 2012-2013 NOIA Chairman

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17:

12:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Registration Ballroom Foyer

I:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Hospitality Suite Lincoln Room

1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. PAC Advisory Committee Speaker: John Rogers Deputy Policy Director National Republican Congressional Committee Jefferson Room

2:00 p.m. – 2:50 p.m. G&G Task Force Roosevelt Room

3:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Executive Committee The Boardroom

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Welcoming Reception Salons 1&2

THURSDAY, APRIL 18:

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Hospitality Suite Lincoln Room

8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Breakfast Speaker: Congressman Doc Hastings (R-WA) Salon 2

9:40 a.m. – 10:20 a.m. General Session sponsored by the Government Affairs Committee Speaker: Senator Mary Landrieu (D-LA) Salon 1

10:30 a.m. – 11:20 a.m. General Session Speaker: Senator Richard Lugar (R-IN) Former Two-time Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee Salon 3

II:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Public Affairs & Education Committee
Speaker: Stephan Marino
Digital Media Expert
CEO, AgencyQ
Salon 1

12:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Lunch Speaker: Tommy Beaudreau Acting ASLM, DOI Director BOEM Salon 2

2:10 p.m. – 2:50 p.m. Technology Policy Committee Salon 1

3:00 p.m. – 3:50 p.m. Offshore Renewables Task Force Speaker: Maureen "Mo" Bornholdt Renewable Energy Programs Manager BOEM Plaza 1

4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Board of Directors & Membership Committee *Salon 3*

6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Reception Salon Foyer 7:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Annual Banquet Entertainment: Greg Schwem Standup Comedian & Nationally Syndicated Humor Columnist "Comedy With a Byte" Salons 1&2

FRIDAY, APRIL 19: 7:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Hospitality Suite Lincoln Room

8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Breakfast Speaker: Laura Ingraham Radio Host, Bestselling Author & Political Commentator "The Challenge of Governing a Country Divided" Salon 2

9:40 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. General Session Speaker: Zachary Karabell Economic Analyst, Political Historian & Award Winning Author "What Lies Ahead: Trends, Risk & Opportunities" Salon 1

10:40 a.m. – 11:40 a.m. "Decommissioning, Idle Iron, Rigs to Reefs, What's the Path Forward?" Moderator: **Randall Luthi** NOIA Panel: Charles R. Barbee, Chief of Environmental Enforcement Division BSEE **Dave Welch** President & CEO Stone Energy **Drew Hunger** Decommissioning Manager - Culf Coast **Apache Corporation** Kevin O'Donovan Principal, O'Donovan Strategies Salon 3

II:50 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Health, Safety, Security & Environment Committee Speaker: James Watson Director, BSEE Salon 1

I2:30 p.m. – I:30 p.m. Buffet Lunch Salon 2 Committee meetings and general sessions are open to all meeting attendees with the exception of the Executive Committee Meeting.

ABOUT THE SPEAKERS

LAURA INGRAHAM RADIO HOST, NEW YORK TIMES BEST-SELLING AUTHOR & POLITICAL ANALYST

Laura Ingraham is the most listened-to woman in political talk radio in the United States. The Laura Ingraham Show is heard on hundreds of stations nationwide and has been addicting legions of listeners since its launch in 2001.



Always smart and entertaining, Ingraham is also a regular Fox News contributor and the principal substitute host on The O'Reilly Factor. She is the #1 New York Times bestselling author of five books: The Hillary Trap, Shut Up & Sing, Power to the People, The Obama Diaries, and Of Thee I Zing: America's Cultural Decline from Muffin Tops to Body Shots.

In the late 1980s, Ingraham worked as a speechwriter in the Ronald Reagan administration for the Domestic Policy Advisor. She also briefly served as editor of The Prospect, the magazine issued by Concerned Alumni of Princeton. After law school, in 1991, she served as a law clerk for Judge Ralph K. Winter, Jr., of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, in New York and subsequently clerked for U.S. Supreme Court Justice Clarence Thomas. She then worked as an attorney at the New York-based law firm Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom.

Ingraham has had two stints as a cable television host. In the late 1990s, she became a CBS commentator and hosted the MSNBC program Watch It! She is also an avid supporter of our troops and a variety of military organizations.

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MAUREEN "MO" BORNHOLDT PROGRAM MANAGER, OFFICE OF RENEWABLE ENERGY PROGRAMS, BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT, DOI

The passage of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 created new responsibilities for the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM) including the lead Federal agency leasing authority for renewable energy and alternate uses on the Outer Continental Shelf. In August 2005,

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Maureen Bornholdt was selected to serve as the Program Manager to create the Department of the Interior's Offshore Renewable Energy Program.

Ms. Bornholdt has over 32 years of Federal service and extensive experience in environmental regulation and compliance having worked offshore oil and gas issues for the Department of the Interior since 1983. Prior to her selection as Program Manager, she managed the Bureau's Marine Minerals Program, a program focused on making available suitable sand deposits in Federal waters for wetlands protection and beach nourishment projects. Ms. Bornholdt has served as the Bureau's technical expert on Coastal Zone Management and National Environmental Policy Acts and as the program analyst covering offshore environmental and regulatory issues for the Assistant Secretary for Land and Minerals Management.

Ms. Bornholdt earned a Bachelor of Science in Public Administration from George Mason University in Virginia. In May 2009 she was awarded the Department of the Interior's Meritorious Service Award, the second highest honorary recognition granted to Department employees, for an important contribution to science or management, a notable career, superior service in administration or in the execution of duties, or initiative in devising new and improved work methods, and procedures.



THE HONORABLE DOC HASTINGS UNITED STATES CONGRESSMAN (R-WA) CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE

Doc Hastings was first elected to the U.S. House of Representatives in 1994 to serve Washington's 4th Congressional District. He brought with him solid legislative experience and a strong work ethic.

After graduating from Pasco High School, Hastings studied business administration at Columbia Basin College and at Central Washington University. Later, while running his family's small business, Columbia Basin Paper and Supply, Hastings established himself as a leader in the local business community.

At the start of the 112th Congress, Hastings was selected by his colleagues to serve as the Chairman of the House Committee on Natural Resources. The Natural Resources Committee has jurisdiction over most federal land use and water policies, including national forests, national parks and monuments, wilderness areas, national scenic areas, Indian reservations, BLM lands and the Outer Continental Shelf.

The Committee has a major role in producing more American-made energy, with control over hydropower, and oil and gas reserves on public lands and waters. Specifically, Hastings' priorities include increasing American energy production, ensuring U.S. offshore drilling is the safest in the world, guaranteeing access to public lands for recreation and job creation, effective management of our nation's oceans, and fighting for water rights in the West. Under his leadership, the Committee is dedicated to pursuing policies that both strengthen our economy and protect our nation's treasured lands, oceans and wildlife.

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THE HONORABLE RICHARD D. LUGAR DISTINGUISHED FORMER SENATOR, SENIOR STATESMAN & AUTHORITY ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Dick Lugar is an unwavering advocate of U.S. leadership in the world, strong national security, free-trade and economic growth. This fifth generation Hoosier was the longest serving Member of Congress in Indiana history and, until 2011, the most senior Republican Senator.



He was the Republican leader of the Foreign Relations Committee and a former member and chairman of the Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee. He was first elected to the U.S. Senate in 1976 and served six terms winning, four consecutive terms in a row by a two-thirds majority.

Senator Lugar has promoted policies that spur economic growth, cut taxes, lead to job creation, eliminate wasteful government spending and reduce bureaucratic red tape for American businesses.

Combining his experiences on the Foreign Relations and Agriculture Committees and recognizing that energy security impacts every aspect of life in the United States, from the cars we drive and how much we pay at the gas pump to our vulnerability to foreign terrorism and our relationships with other countries, Senator Lugar launched the Lugar Energy Initiative.

Senator Lugar manages his family's 604 acre Marion County corn, soybean and tree farm. Before entering public life, he helped manage the family's food machinery manufacturing business in Indianapolis with his brother, Tom.



ZACHARY KARABELL ECONOMIC ANALYST, POLITICAL HISTORIAN AND AWARD WINNING AUTHOR

Designated a "Global Leader for Tomorrow" by the World Economic Forum, Zachary Karabell is bringing a profound and refreshingly optimistic outlook to a

world economy in crisis. As the President of River Twice Research, where he analyzes economic and political trends, Karabell challenges common assumptions ranging from global economics to the future of American innovation and growth to environmental sustainability. With a prolific, award winning writing career, an illustrious background on Wall Street and a Ph.D. from Harvard, Karabell brings a unique perspective to the discussion of globalization, the domestic and world economy, the greening of business and the shape of things to come.

Karabell goes beyond data points to explore the complex and multifaceted shifts in our world economy. Having run a small company and invested in the financial markets, Karabell is uniquely positioned to explain these issues in an engaging and entertaining way, using humorous anecdotes, uplifting perspective and sparkling wit to connect with audiences and explain how these issues will affect them in laymen terms. From the rise of China and the increasing cost of energy and raw materials to the challenge of unemployment, uncertainty in Europe and the emergence of new players on the global economic stage, Karabell will leave audiences well-informed, educated and better prepared for their futures.

In October 2012 he joined OTR Global as a Senior Strategist, releasing a bimonthly commentary on the most pressing macro issues. He is also a Senior Advisor for Business for Social Responsibility, which advises Global 1000 corporations on how to integrate sustainability into their business practices.

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ENTERTAINMENT

SPOUSE PROGRAM

GREG SCHWEM CORPORATE COMEDIAN, EMCEE, AND SYNDICATED HUMOR COLUMNIST

The Chicago Tribune has proclaimed Greg Schwem "king of the hill" in the growing world of corporate comedy. Schwem "plucks chords of hysteria that resonate with all readers" as a writer for "Humor Hotel," the syndicated weekly humor column distributed by Tribune Media, according to company's website.



His impressive client list includes such corporate heavyweights as McDonald's, Microsoft, Motorola, IBM, Verizon Wireless, United Airlines and Cisco Systems. For a laugh at today's fast-paced business world, look no further than Greg Schwem and "Comedy With a Byte."

A graduate of Northwestern University's prestigious Medill School of Journalism, Schwem never envisioned a career in comedy. Instead, he settled in Florida, becoming an award-winning reporter for NBC-owned WPTV in West Palm Beach.

The comedy bug bit Schwem hard and he returned to his hometown of Chicago, where he honed his act in nightclubs. When he began inserting material about business and technology into his act, audience members approached him and said, "You really should come down to my office and tell those jokes." Behold! "Comedy With a Byte" was born.

Schwem is the author of Text Me If You're Breathing: Observations, Frustrations and Life Lessons From a Low-Tech Dad. And yes, those are his kids on the book's cover.

NOIA is pleased to offer the following activities for the spouses and guests of NOIA members in attendance at the Annual Meeting. As always, spouses and guests are also welcome to participate in any of the open sessions of the NOIA Annual Meeting schedule. Please do not forget to indicate your selection of activities on the Meeting Registration Form in this brochure or on the online registration form at www.NOIA.org. If you have any questions, please contact Ann Chapman at (202) 347-6900 or ann@noia.org.

THURSDAY, APRIL 18 NEWSEUM VIP Tour 10:00 a.m. – 2:15 p.m.

Standing between the U.S. Capitol and the White House on Pennsylvania Avenue and featuring dramatic vistas of Washington, the Newseum provides millions of visitors with a deeper understanding of the unique and critical role the First Amendment plays in the nation's history, its present and its future. The Newseum's 15 major galleries and 15 theaters will immerse you in the world's greatest news stories. This exclusive tour will be led by the museum's exhibits, broadcasting and technology staff. You will get an overview of the museum's collections and exhibits, including the history of print and broadcast news, Pulitzer Prize–winning photographs, the Berlin Wall and the global sweep of today's news.

After the tour you will lunch at Fiola the hottest new restaurant in DC where knowing someone to get a reservation is everything. Fiola is Chef Fabio Trabocchi's first owned restaurant, a modern upscale Trattoria. Trabocchi uses the freshest ingredients to produce an unforgettable taste.

Bon Appétit named Fiola one of America's "Best New Restaurants" in 2012 and the Chef was nominated for a James Beard Award.

Note: You will depart the hotel at 10:00 a.m. and return at 2:15 p.m. The tour is \$175.00 per person. Reservations are required.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 19 A Tea Party in Style! 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

You will be invited to tea service at Lord & Taylor and an insightful presentation on how to look your best with guest speaker Carl Ray, make-up artist.

Carl's craft has been well received by his clients, which include celebrities, actors, musicians, models, authors, politicians, and dignitaries; however he is truly in demand with Washington clientele who know that his touch will make them look and feel their best for special occasions.

Carl's work has appeared in magazines and periodicals including the Wall Street Journal, Better Homes & Garden, More, The New Yorker, Michigan Ave., Ebony, Glamour, Allure, Town & Country, Elle, Health, Washingtonian, Capital File, Bride & Groom, Bride, The Knot, Parents Magazine, People Magazine, Ladies' Home Journal and Engaged Magazine.

Carl's work has also been seen on the catwalk for Donna Karan, Escada, Gucci, Carolina Herrera, Dolce & Gabbana, Yeohlee, the Vera Wang Fashion Show

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and more recently, the 2012 Reem Acra Bridal Show.

Carl will share his perspectives on style and image and incorporating the top trends for spring for all skin types.

Some of Carl's most noted clients include: First Lady Michelle Obama, House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi, Natalie Portman, Claire Danes, Justice Sonia Sotomayor, Justice Elena Kagan, Sir Paul McCartney, Stella McCartney, Alanis Morrisette, Christina Millian, Melinda Gates, Mira Sorvino, Paula Abdul, Roseanne Arquette, Bo Derek, Theresa Heinz Kerry, Tipper Gore, Ethel & Joan Kennedy, Mrs. Nelson Rockefeller, Duchess of York Sarah Ferguson, Queen Noor and Princess Hussein.

Note: You will depart the hotel at 9:30 a.m. and return at 12:00 p.m. The event is \$145.00 per person. Reservations are required.

HOTEL ADDRESS & CONTACT INFORMATION

The Ritz-Carlton 1150 22nd Street, NW Washington, DC 20037 (202) 835-0500 (Tel) (202) 835-1588 (Fax)

ATTIRE

Business attire is appropriate for all Annual Meeting events, meals and receptions.

SINGLE EVENT REGISTRATION

If your schedule permits you to attend only select meal functions such as the Thursday lunch or the Annual Banquet, please contact Ann Chapman to obtain a registration form for individual events.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

NOIA Annual Meeting Registration does not include hotel accommodations. Please make your hotel reservations directly with The Ritz-Carlton.

Hotel Reservations must be made by March 25, 2013.

LOGISTICAL DETAILS

BY PHONE: To reserve a room by phone, please call the Ritz-Carlton Washington, DC reservations line at (800) 558-9994. Be sure to say you will be attending the NOIA Annual Meeting to get NOIA pricing.

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ONLINE: Visit the NOIA homepage at www.noia.org and click on the hotel reservation link.

If you would like to upgrade to club level or a suite, please contact Aaron Leong at (202) 947-5557.

MEETING REGISTRATION FORM

TO REGISTER: Visit the NOIA website online at www.noia.org or complete and send this form with payment by March 25 to Ann Chapman, NOIA, 1120 G Street, N.W., Suite 900, Washington, DC 20005 • Phone: (202) 347-6900 • Fax: (202) 347-8650

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PLEASE NOTE:

Cancellations prior to March 25 — full refund Between March 25 and April 7 — 50% refund After April 7 or "No Show"— no refund

Credit card cancellations are subject to a \$100.00 processing fee.

SPOUSE PROGRAM

To participate in a spouse tour, please check the boxes below and send tour fees along with registration fees. Reservations for spouse tours can also be made by calling the NOIA office at (202) 347-6900.

Please indicate the tours you wish to take: NEWSEUM VIP TOUR - Thursday, April 18 (\$175 charge; reservations required)

TRENDS & STYLE TIPS FOR THE SPRING- Friday, April 19 (\$145 charge; reservations required)