



“Market Unease and The Big Easy –
Contracting and Investing in Energy Despite Global Volatility”
Loews Hotel, New Orleans, Louisiana, USA | April 29 – May 1, 2009

CONFERENCE PROGRAM*

Wednesday, April 29, 2009

5:00-6:30 pm	Early Registration	Parish Hall
7:00-9:00 pm	Welcome Reception	Piazza d'Italia

Thursday, April 30, 2009

7:30-8:30 am	Breakfast & Registration	Parish Hall
8:30-8:45 am	Conference Welcome William Pugh, Shareholder, Liskow and Lewis, <i>Conference Co-chair</i> Deborah Resley, Senior Consultant, Decision Strategies, <i>Conference Co-chair</i>	Louisiana Ballroom
8:45-9:00 am	Opening Remarks and Introduction Pat Allison, Outgoing President, AIPN Karen Krug, Incoming President, AIPN	
9:00-9:30 am	Opening Keynote Address, “Creating Value in Uncertain Times” Karl Kurz, Chief Operating Officer, Anadarko	
9:30-10:15 am	Panel Discussion, “Availability of Capital: Finding Financing in a Tight Market” Allen Brooks, Managing Director, Parks Paton Hoepfl & Brown Additional panelists to be confirmed	
10:15-10:45 am	Morning Coffee Break	
10:45-11:15 am	“Financing and Other Strategies in this Volatile Market – An Independent Company’s Perspective” Iain McKendrick, CEO, Ithaca Energy	
11:15-12:00 pm	“Natural Gas Pricing in an Uncertain World” James T. Jensen, Jensen & Associates	
12:00-1:30 pm	Networking Luncheon	Parish Hall

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CONCURRENT SESSIONS: Commercial Issues

Louisiana Ballroom

- 1:30-3:00 pm **Panel Discussion, "Valuation"**
Irena Agalliu, Managing Consultant, IHS Energy
Rawdon J.H. Seager, Gaffney, Cline & Associates, Inc.
Chris Moore, Managing Director, Moyes & Co.
Charles Yost, President, Merlin Associates
- 3:00-3:30 pm **Afternoon Coffee Break**
- 3:30-5:00 pm **Panel Discussion, "Transactional Trends"**
Michelle Foss, Chief Energy Economist and Head, CEE, Center for Energy Economics, University of Texas
Adrian Goodisman, Managing Director, Scotia Waterous
Patrick Leach, Senior Consultant, Decision Strategies, Inc.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS: Legal Issues

Felician Room

- 1:30-2:30 pm **"Contracting Major Projects in a Volatile Market: Risk Allocation, Insurance Issues and Practical Realities"**
William Pugh, Shareholder, Liskow & Lewis, *Panel Moderator*
Stacey Earley, Director of Marketing, Contracts and Services, Transocean
Scott Greer, Partner, King & Spalding LLP
Alexander J. Oddy, Partner, Herbert Smith LLP
Steven Otilar, Partner, Baker & McKenzie
Scott Randall, Business Manager-Risk Management Services, Lloyd's Register North America, Inc.
- 2:30-3:00 pm **"MAC Clauses and Other Approaches to Limiting Risk Between Operators"**
Susan Farmer, Partner, Fulbright & Jaworski
- 3:00-3:30 pm **Afternoon Coffee Break**
- 3:30-4:00 pm **"The Changing Nature of Contract Stabilization Clauses Between Operators and Host Government"**
David Asmus, Partner, Baker Botts LLP
- 4:00-5:00 pm **"Investment Treaties, Dispute Resolution & Arbitration"**
Tim Martin, CEO, *adr.governance.inc*, *Panel Moderator*
Hervé Chagnoux, Vice President New Ventures & Assessment, TOTAL
Jason Doughty, Managing Counsel - Arbitration and International Litigation, ConocoPhillips
Elisabeth Eljuri, Partner, Macleod Dixon
Alex Yanos, Partner, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP
- 6:00-7:00 pm **AIPN Gala Reception** National World War II Museum
- 7:00-10:00 pm **AIPN Gala Dinner** National World War II Museum

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Friday May 1, 2009

- 7:30-8:30 am **Breakfast** Parish Hall
- 8:30-9:15 am **“The Impact of Angola's new Oil and Gas Law Studies Program on the Nation's Petroleum Industry and Legal Profession”** Louisiana Ballroom
Carlos Feijó, Partner, Feijó and Araújo/Academic Director, Oil and Gas Law (LLM) Program (Agostinho Neto University)
Norman Nadorff, Senior Counsel, BP Angola/Academic Advisor, Oil and Gas Law (LLM) Program (Agostinho Neto University)
- 9:15-9:45 am **“AIPN Model Contracts to Mitigate Risks in Gas Project Investments”**
Gas Transportation Agreement: Ariel Kaufman, V.P. Norway & Netherlands, TOTAL S.A.
LNG Sales Agreement: Harry Sullivan, Senior Counsel – International, ConocoPhillips
- 9:45-10:15 am **Morning Coffee Break**
- 10:15-11:15 am **“The Continuing Evolution of the NOC”**
Ken Culotta, Partner, King & Spalding LLP, *Panel Moderator*
West Africa: Soji Awogbade, Partner, Aelex
FSU: Jennifer Josefson, Partner, White & Case LLP
Brazil: Jose Moraes, Petrobras
Mexico: Rogelio Lopez-Velarde, Partner, Lopez Velarde, Heftye y Soria, S.C.
- 11:15-11:45 am **Close of Conference**
Karen Krug, Incoming President, AIPN
Pablo Alliani, Vice President of Conferences, AIPN
Rick Goenner, International Conference Global Coordinator, AIPN
Garry Howe, Model Contract Workshop Co-chair, AIPN

The conference will close with an update on upcoming AIPN conferences, model contracts and education initiatives.
- 1:30-5:30 pm **Golf Tournament** TPC Louisiana Golf Course
Bus will leave the Loews Hotel at 12:00 pm

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