

2008 HOUSTON MARINE INSURANCE SEMINAR

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Registration Fee includes Monday Lunch and Cocktail Hours on Sunday and Monday Evenings**

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PROGRAM

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2008

- 5:00 – 7:00 P.M. REGISTRATION –
Westin Galleria Hotel
- 6:00 – 8:00 P.M. COCKTAIL PARTY –
Registrants & Spouses/Dates

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2008

- 8:00 – 8:30 A.M. REGISTRATION DESK OPEN
- 8:30 – 8:45 A.M. OPENING REMARKS
- 8:45 – 9:30 A.M. Dan Glaser-Chairman and CEO, Marsh
“Challenging the Status Quo: Managing
Energy Industry Risks in a Volatile Global
Environment”
- 9:30 – 10:15 A.M. Deirdre Littlefield-Senior Vice President,
Starr Marine Agency
“Marine Insurance—Opportunities &
Threats”
- 10:15 – 10:30 A.M. COFFEE BREAK
- 10:30 – 11:15 A.M. Warren Marwedel-Marwedel Minichello &
Reeb, President-Maritime Law Association
“The Reciprocal Nature of the Doctrine of
Uberrimae Fidei”
- 11:15 – 12:00 P.M. Graham White-Deputy Chairman, Lloyd’s
“Changes in the London Market”
- 12:00 – 1:15 P.M. LUNCHEON
- 1:15 – 2:30 P.M. Reinsurance Panel Discussion:
“Reinsurance-Where do we go from here?”
Mark Berry-General Manager, XL Re
Europe
Scott Doerr-Senior Vice President,
Berkshire Hathaway
Scott Callahan-Executive Vice President,
Everest Re
Moderator-Steve Vivian, Managing
Director, Guy Carpenter & Company

2:30 - 3:15 P.M. Hal Watson-Locke Lord Bissell & Liddell
“Removal of Wreck in the 21st Century”

3:15 – 3:30 P.M. COFFEE BREAK

3:30 - 4:15 P.M. Andrew Draycott-Managing Director,
Newman, Martin and Buchan “The
London Broker-Past, Present, and
Future”

4:15 - 5:00 P.M. Robert Carvell-Vice President, McGriff,
Seibels and Williams
“Evolution of the Drill Floor”

5:00 – 6:30 P.M. COCKTAIL PARTY –
Registrants & Spouses/Dates

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2008

- 8:35 – 8:45 A.M. OPENING REMARKS
- 8:45 – 9:30 A.M. Don Kramer-Chairman and CEO, Ariel Re
“Bermuda’s Role in the Global
Reinsurance Marketplace”
- 9:30 – 10:15 A.M. Alan Crain-SVP and General Counsel,
Baker Hughes “The Rewards of Risk:
What’s Past is Prologue in the Tempest
of Marine Insurance”
- 10:15 – 10:30 A.M. COFFEE BREAK
- 10:30 – 11:15 A.M. Barbara Jennings-Director Offshore, The
Standard Steamship Owners P&I Assn
“The Interface between Construction All
Risks Insurance & Contractor’s Liability
Coverages”
- 11:15 – 12:00 P.M. Vince Morgan- Senior Associate,
Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman
“Ten Things about Texas Insurance Law
You Should Know”

Detach and Mail together with Remittance to: HOUSTON MARINE INSURANCE SEMINAR
 c/o KELLIE WHITTLEMAN
 NAVIGATORS INSURANCE SERVICES OF TEXAS, INC.
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Registrants will be included in the Prepared 2008 Attendee List for registration fees received prior to September 5, 2008. On-site registrations will be accepted. Supplemental Attendee List will be provided.

Registration Fee \$400.00. Paid in U.S. Dollars drawn on a U.S. Bank. Credit Cards Not Accepted.
 Cancellations must be received by September 5, 2008.

Make registration checks payable to Houston Marine Insurance Seminar. (Note: Marine Insurance Seminars, Inc. is a non-profit organization, IRS No. 76-0317354. Registration fees are not deductible as a charitable contribution but may qualify as a business expense).

I will attend the luncheon on Monday, September 22nd. Yes _____ No _____

Questions about Registration: Contact Kellie Whittleman (713-629-5480 or kwhittleman@navg.com) or John Jones (713-629-5480 or jjones@navg.com). **Questions about the Seminar:** Contact John Mizell (713-625-1021 or john.mizell@willis.com) or Jennifer Heitkamp (713-625-1006 or jennifer.heitkamp@willis.com).



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All rates are exclusive of tax. Every effort will be made to accommodate you in the hotel and bed type of your choice; however, reservations are taken on a first come, first served basis. If your first choice is not available, we will confirm your reservation at the other Westin Hotel. Both hotels are located in the Galleria entertainment complex, a short three minute walk between towers.

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The 2008 Houston Marine Insurance Seminar is scheduled for September 21, 22, & 23.

The 2007 Houston Marine Insurance Seminar was another success. Over the past ten years, the seminar, a non-profit organization, has given approximately \$1,100,000 in scholarships and library assistance to further education in Marine and Energy Insurance and Admiralty Law. Thank you for your past and continued support.

We will have another outstanding conference in 2008 with speakers addressing the state of our industry, current market developments and topical issues that will be of interest to all involved with marine and energy insurance, and maritime law. Please plan to attend these events and meet with the people who will shape the future of our business.

All seminar functions will be held at the Westin Galleria Hotel. If you desire accommodations, please communicate early with the Westin Galleria Hotel, 5060 West Alabama, Houston, Texas 77056. A block of rooms is being held for Seminar participants until September 1, 2008. The hotel has a website set up for the Seminar, so it is very easy to book rooms online at: (www.starwoodmeeting.com/book/hmi08).

Spouses or dates of registrants are invited as guests of the Houston Marine Insurance Seminar for cocktail parties scheduled for Sunday and Monday evenings. Admission to the cocktail parties requires either a registrant badge or a specific guest badge, which will be made available at the registration desk. No other official activities are planned.

Cancellations must be received by September 5, 2008. If we can be of any assistance, please contact us. We look forward to seeing you at the Seminar.

Sincerely,
John Mizell
Seminar Chairman

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