

2009 Offshore Safe Lifting Conference

July 14–15, 2009
Hilton Houston North
Houston, Texas

Conference Program

Tuesday, July 14, 2009	<i>*Each session will begin with an example of an incident or near-miss.</i>
7:30 am – 8:30 am	Registration and Exhibit Viewing Continental Breakfast – <i>Sponsored by Anadarko</i>
8:30 am – 8:40 am	Welcome and Opening Remarks Speaker: Phil Smith, Shell Exploration & Production Planning Committee Co-Chair
8:40 am – 9:20 am	Keynote 1st Keynote: CDR Patrick W. Clark Commandant (CG-5222) Chief, Vessel & Facility Operation Standards, USCG 2nd Keynote: Mike Saucier Regional Supervisor of Field Operations Gulf of Mexico, MMS <i>Followed by 10 minutes Q & A</i>
9:20 am – 10:10 am	Lifting Standards Moderator: Roland Goodman, API Phil Smith, Shell Exploration & Production Speakers: Randy Long, Stress Engineering – <i>“Current 2C Related Items and the Road Ahead”</i> Doug Morrow, Seatrax – <i>“European Standards – ISO Comparison”</i> Brandon Bollinger, Gulf Crane Services - 2D Update
10:10 am – 10:30 am	Refreshment Break – <i>Sponsored by Seatrax</i>
10:30 am – 10:50 am	MMS Industry Statistics & Data Overview Moderator: David Dykes, MMS Speaker: Joe Levine, MMS
10:50 am – 11:45 am	Lift Planning Moderators: Everett Tellez, ExxonMobil Bob Watson, Seatrax Speakers: Jake Reidenbach, BP John Conerly, GIS Brandon Verret, Energy Cranes

11:45 am – 1:00 pm	<p>Lunch and Exhibit Viewing</p> <p><i>Co-sponsored by OOC, Shell Exploration & Production</i></p>
1:00 pm – 2:15 pm	<p>Sling Type Applications: Wire Rope & Nylon Care and Storage, and Finding the Right Sling for the Job</p> <p>Co-Moderators: Don Jordan, BP Jeff Bishop, Bishop Lifting Products</p> <p>Speakers: George Gallup, Certex Scott St Germain, Slingmax Peter Cooke, Columbus McKinnon</p>
2:15 pm – 3:15 pm	<p>Material Handling with Other Lifting Devices & Field Manufactured Lifting Equipment</p> <p>Co-Moderators: Mitch Reed, Gulf Crane Services Jim McClellon, Shell Exploration & Production</p> <p>Speakers: David Duerr, 2DM Associates, ASME Code applicability Tom Cheatum, Versabar Oscar Richardson, LiftPull</p>
3:15 pm – 3:45 pm	<p>Mid-afternoon Refreshment Break – <i>Sponsored by Gulf Crane Services</i></p>
3:45 pm – 5:00 pm	<p>Marine Vessel Platform Interface – A Boat Captains Perspective</p> <p>Co-Moderators: Jacob Reidenbach, BP John Illeman, TOTAL</p> <p>Speakers: Dell Hains, Tidewater Billy Joe Pellegrin, Chouest Jim Riley, Graham Gulf</p>
5:00 pm – 6:30 pm	<p>Official Reception and Exhibit Viewing – <i>Sponsored by Check Six, Diamond Offshore Drilling, Inc.</i></p>
Wednesday, July 15, 2009	
7:30 am – 8:30 am	<p>Registration and Exhibit Viewing</p> <p>Continental Breakfast – <i>Sponsored by Patriot</i></p>
8:30 am – 8:40 am	<p>Overview of API's Offshore Access Advocacy Efforts</p> <p>Speaker: Tim Sampson, API <i>Overview of key API efforts in Washington D.C.</i></p>
8:40 am – 8:45 am	<p>Recap of Day 1</p> <p>Speaker: David Dykes, MMS Planning Committee Co-Chair</p>

8:45 am – 9:05 am	<p>Safe Lifting Data Workgroup Introduction</p> <p>Co-Presenters: Gregg Germer, ExxonMobil Bob Watson, Seatrax</p>
9:05 am – 10:10 am	<p>Lift Boats</p> <p>Co-Moderators: Robert Guidry, Chevron Brandon Bollinger, Gulf Crane Services</p> <p>Speakers: Jason Johnson, OMC / OCD Jack Ray, Hercules</p>
10:10 am – 10:40 am	<p>Mid-morning Refreshment Break – <i>Sponsored by Techcrane</i></p>
10:40 am – 11:50 am	<p>Industry Training and Simulator Technologies</p> <p>Moderators: Jake Reidenbach, BP Brian “Bru” Brurud, Check Six</p> <p>Speakers: Tina Briskin – <i>“Crane Related Training Update – Inspector, Operator and Rigger TPCP”</i></p> <p>Ross Bourg, Pride Dave Healey, OETIO Troy “Kron” Kehoe, Check Six</p>
11:50 am – 1:00 pm	<p>Lunch and Exhibit Viewing</p> <p><i>Sponsored by ExxonMobil, McMoRan</i></p>
1:00 pm – 2:15 pm	<p>Safe Lifting Studies & Initiatives</p> <p>Co-Moderators: A.J. Guiteau, Diamond Vic Maia, Southwest Wire Rope</p> <p>Speakers: Brian Maness, Diamond Yarko “JJ” Sos, Check Six, Inc</p>
2:15 pm – 2:30 pm	<p>Mid-afternoon Refreshment Break - <i>Sponsored by Cranesmart</i></p>
2:30 pm – 3:15 pm	<p>Regulators Panel</p> <p>Co-Moderators: Allen Verret, OOC John Pertgen, IADC</p> <p>Speakers: Ken Smith, USCG-CWO Steve Sutton, USCG Inspector David Dykes, MMS Tom Basey, MMS (MMS Inspector, Crane Blitz Learnings)</p>
3:15 pm – 3:45 pm	<p>Closing and Conference Wrap-Up</p> <p>Speaker: Phil Smith, Shell Exploration & Production Planning Committee Co-Chair</p>