Highlights:

- Crisis Management: Practical Advice for Oilfield Services Companies on How to Respond When the Unexpected Happens
- Issues and Opportunities in Markets Abroad
- Contact Issues in the Oilfield
- Oilfield Services Market Update
- Keynote Address: Kent Friedman, General Counsel and Chief Administrative Officer, Morae Legal LLC

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In this session the speakers will provide advice on how to respond when unexpected incidents threaten a company’s operations, with a particular focus on natural disasters and cyber threats.

- Jessica Mauro, Counsel – Global Commercial Transactions, Baker Hughes, a GE Company, Houston, Texas
- Steve Shappell, Chief Legal Officer, JLT Specialty Insurance Services Inc., Denver, Colorado

10:15 Break

10:45 International Oilfield Services Companies – Issues and Opportunities in Markets Abroad (1 hr)

Oilfield services companies, whether large, mid-size or small, frequently operate or sell products and services into jurisdictions outside the U.S. With increased commodity prices leading to more E&P activity, many oilfield service providers will find themselves debating whether to expand into ex-U.S. jurisdictions. Steve Otillar will discuss practical aspects of international expansions, including best practices and advice to avoid potential pitfalls.

- Steven P. Otillar, White & Case LLP, Houston, Texas

11:45 Keynote Address (0 hr)

- J. Kent Friedman, General Counsel and Chief Administrative Officer, Morae Legal LLC; Chairman of the Board, Harris County-Houston Sports Authority
1:30 Oilfield GCs: What Keeps them up at Night (1 hr)
The legal issues and challenges faced by in-house lawyers and other practitioners during a downturn can vary significantly from the issues that are top of mind during a recovery. This panel of experienced GCs will discuss the legal questions they and their companies are facing during this recovery and contrast that with the legal challenges they had to address during the downturn. The panelists will also discuss what they anticipate will be the challenges they could be dealing with in the near term as the recovery continues.

**Moderator:** Paige Bickley Navarro, Western Hemisphere Chief Counsel, Halliburton, Houston, Texas

**Panelists:**
- Daniel J. Churay, Executive Vice President Corporate Affairs, General Counsel & Corporate Secretary, MRC Global Inc., Houston, Texas
- Adam Law, Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Corporate Secretary, Select Energy Services, Inc., Houston, Texas
- William S. Moss III, Executive Vice President and General Counsel, Talos Energy LLC, Houston, Texas

2:30 Contract Issues in the Oilfield (1 hr)
This presentation will address issues commonly discussed in contract negotiations in the oilfield services sectors. The presenters will discuss these issues from the different perspectives of an attorney who routinely participates in the drafting and negotiation of these contracts, and of an attorney who advises clients when disputes arise concerning the interpretation of the contractual provisions and the parties’ rights under those provisions.

**Panelists:**
- Tynan Buthod, Baker Botts L.L.P., Houston, Texas
- Josh M. McMorrow, Vice President, Chief Commercial Counsel – Europe/Russia/Caspian, Global Head of Litigation, Weatherford, Baar, Switzerland
- Mark Mehnert, Associate General Counsel – North America, Baker Hughes, a GE company, Houston, Texas

3:30 Break

3:45 Ethics in the Workplace (1 hr ethics)

**Panelists:**
- Le Hammer, Senior Counsel – Compliance, EOG Resources, Houston, Texas
- Ed Sullivan, Oberti / Sullivan LLP, Houston, Texas
- Shira R. Yoshor, Greenberg Traurig, LLP, Houston, Texas

4:45 Adjourn
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