

21st Century Infrastructure: Opportunities and Hurdles for Renewable Energy Development

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8:30 am – 5:30 pm

American University Washington College of Law
4801 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, DC, 20016, Room 603

8:30 **Registration and Continental Breakfast**

9:00 **Introduction and Welcome**

Michael Zimmer, Thompson Hine LLP & co-chair ABA Renewable & Distributed Generation Resources Committee

David Hunter, Associate Professor of Law, American University Washington College of Law

9:30 **Electric Transmission Gaps and Bottlenecks: Issues and Potential Solutions**

Moderator: *William Snape*, Fellow in Environmental Law and Practitioner in Residence, Washington College of Law

Speakers: *Ted Boling*, Council on Environmental Quality
Stephen Zaminski, Executive Vice President and Managing Director, Starwood Energy Group Global
Craig Roach, Ph.D., President, Boston Pacific Company, Inc.

10:30 **Break**

10:45 **Generation Resources: Finding the Right Mix**

Moderator: *Girard Miller*, Partner, Fulbright & Jaworski, L.L.P.

Speakers: *Roger Feldman*, Andrews & Kurth LLP
Greg Wetstone, Director, Government Relations, Terra-Gen Power, LLC
Robert Hemphill, President & CEO, AES/SOLAR

- 12:00 **Lunch with Keynote Speaker:** *Jon Wellinghoff*, Chairman, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
Introduction by *Les Lo Baugh*, Partner, Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P.
- 2:00 **Private Investment and the Role of Government: The "Goldilocks" Conundrum**
Moderator: *Girard Miller*, Partner, Fulbright & Jaworski, L.L.P.
Speakers: *Todd Lee*, Morgan Stanley
Elliot Roseman, Vice President, ICF International
Patti Glaza, Executive Director/CEO, Clean Technology and Sustainable Industries
- 3:00 **Policies for the Transition to a Carbon-Constrained Economy**
Moderator: *Roger Stark*, Partner, Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP
Speakers: *Jim Presswood*, Federal Energy Policy Director, Natural Resources Defense Council
George Knapp, General Counsel, Wind Capital Group
Peter Fox-Penner, Principal and Chairman Emeritus, The Brattle Group
- 4:00 **Break**
- 4:15 **Financing Issues: Views from Wall Street to Sand Hill Road**
Moderator: *Roger Stark*, Partner, Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle LLP
Speakers: *Peter Flynn*, Principal, Bostonia Partners
Scott Livingston, Principal, Livingston Securities, LLC;
Jean-Luc Park, Calvert Funds
- 5:15 **Closing Remarks**
- 5:30 **Reception**

General Registration – no charge.

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