

AGENDA · GICA 111th Annual Seminar

August 10-12, 2016 - New Orleans, LA

Westin Canal Place, New Orleans

All Events in Grand Ballroom, 12th Floor (unless otherwise specified)

Wednesday, August 10

- 8:00-12:00 **Golf Tournament** – LAKEWOOD Golf Club – Algiers, LA
- 2:00 -6:00 **Registration Desk Open** – 12th Floor Westin Canal Place
- 3:30-5:30 **GICA Board of Directors' Meeting**
- 6:00-7:30 **Welcome Reception** (Open Bar and Heavy Hors d'oeuvres) – Plimsoll Club, 11th Floor

Thursday, August 11

- 7:30 **Full American Breakfast Buffet - Registration Desk Open**
- First General Session**, GICA President, Mario Munoz, Turn Services, Presiding
- 8:00-8:15 **Opening Remarks** – Mario Munoz, Jim Stark, GICA Executive Director
- 8:15-9:00 **KEYNOTE ADDRESS** – U.S. SENATOR ROGER WICKER of Mississippi introduced by Rob Sadler, Golding Barge
- 9:15-10:15 **Industry Washington Perspective** – WCI and AWO - Mike Toohey, WCI, Tom Marian, AWO
- 9:30 **Spouses meet in Lobby on 11th floor - Depart for Mardi Gras World and Lunch Outing**
- 10:15–10:30 **Break**
- Second General Session** - Moderator: Garry McMahan, Port of Houston Authority and GICA Board Member
- 10:30-11:00 **Brownwater / Bluewater – Report on Coordination Efforts** – Capt. Sean Arbogast, VP Houston Pilots
- 11:00-12:00 **USACE District Operations Chiefs' Panel and New District Commanders' Introductions**
Mike Park / COL Clancy, New Orleans, Joe Hrametz / COL Zetterstrom, Galveston, Wynne Fuller, Mobile
- 12:00-1:30 **Luncheon – Speaker - RADM David Callahan – Commander, Eighth Coast Guard District** – Magnolia III Ballroom, 3rd floor
- Third General Session** – Moderator: Patrick Morton, Ingram Barge and GICA Board Member
- 1:30-3:00 **GIWW Shippers' Panel** - Mike Fewell, Dow, Lawrence Lavoie, Ascend, Brian McLarnon, Shell, Steve Rudder, Philips 66
- 3:00-3:15 **Break**
- Fourth General Session** – Moderator: David Abney, ACBL and GICA Board Member
- 3:15-4:00 **GIWW Operators' Panel** – Capt Thomas McDermott, Canal Barge, Capt Jerry Duvall, ACBL, Capt Zach McGavitt, Kirby
- 4:00-5:00 **USCG Commanders' Panel** – CAPT Joe Snowden, Mobile, CAPT Wayne Arguin, New Orleans, CAPT Blake Welborn, Morgan City, CDR Jalyn Stineman, Corpus Christi, LCDR Navin Griffin, Hous/Galv
- 6:00-7:30 **Evening Reception** (Open Bar) – Plimsoll Club, 11th Floor

Friday, August 12

- 8:00-8:30 **Full American Breakfast Buffet**
- 8:30-9:00 **GICA Membership Business Meeting** – Board of Director - President, Mario Munoz Presiding
- 9:00-9:05 **VIDEO ADDRESS** – U.S. CONGRESSMAN CHARLES BOUSTANY of Louisiana
- 9:05-9:35 **USACE Waterways Statistics Reporting and Updates** – Tom Podany, USACE IWR, New Orleans
- 10:00-12:00 **IHNC Lock Field Trip – Busses depart and return to Westin**
- 12:00 **Adjourn – Safe Travels!**