

BROWNWATER UNIVERSITY

AGENDA

Oct 30 – Nov 1, 2018

203 Deerwood Glen Drive, Houston, Texas 77536

DAY ONE - Wed, October 30

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| 0830 – 0835 | Safety Briefing | |
| 0835 – 0900 | Welcome and Introductions | <i>Capt Oditt, Jim Stark</i> |
| 0900 – 0945 | Waterways Overview | <i>USCG TBD, Jim Stark, Chris Frabotta</i> |
| 0945 – 1015 | The Business of Towing | |
| 1015 – 1030 | Break | |
| 1030 – 1130 | Stakeholder Partnerships - <i>Panel Discussion</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>American Waterways Operators</i>• <i>Gulf Intracoastal Canal Association</i>• <i>Lone Star Harbor Safety Committee</i> | <i>Mark Wright Jim Stark JJ Plunkett</i> |
| 1130 – 1230 | Lunch | |
| 1230 – 1400 | Equipment and Personnel | <i>Capt Dane Morgan</i> |
| 1400 – 1415 | Break | |
| 1415 – 1530 | Operations | <i>Capt Zach McGavitt</i> |
| 1530 – 1615 | The Role of Harbor Tugs | <i>Capt Russell Gibson</i> |
| 1615 – 1630 | Day One Afternoon Debriefing | |



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DAY TWO – Wed, October 31



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| 0830 – 0835 | Morning Debriefing | Jim Stark |
| 0835 – 0900 | Role of Ship Pilots | Capt Greg Brown |
| 0900 – 1100 | Navigation Safety - <i>Panel Discussion</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Houston Traffic</i>• <i>Aids to Navigation/AtoN Knockdowns</i>• <i>Practices and Reporting Policies</i>• <i>U.S. Coast Guard Investigations</i>• <i>Barge Inspections</i> | USCG Sector Reps TBD |
| 1100 – 1115 | Break | |
| 1115 – 1230 | Ship/Barge Interactions on the Waterway - <i>Panel Discussion</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>VTS Port Arthur Perspective</i>• <i>Brownwater Perspective</i>• <i>Bluewater Perspective</i>• <i>Coast Guard Interaction/VTS Houston Galveston</i> | Scott Whalen Capt Dane Morgan Capt Greg Brown Steve Nerheim |
| 1230 – 1315 | Lunch | |
| 1315 - 1415 | Sharing the Waterway Blue – Brownwater Review | Capt Greg Brown |
| 1415– 1430 | Break | |
| 1430 – 1500 | Mariner Guide to Navigating the Houston-Galveston Waterways | JJ Plunkett |
| 1500 - 1530 | Closing Remarks Certificate Presentation | |

DAY THREE – Thurs, Nov 1

0830-1200 TOWING VESSEL SIMULATOR SESSION

Location TBD

