



MARITIME LAW ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES

Joint Meeting of the Cybersecurity, Government Counsel, Marine Insurance, Marine Pollution and Maritime Crimes, Offshore Industries, and Regulation of Vessel Operations Committees

"Responding to a Marine Casualty Sea-L-E"

Saturday, November 6, 2021, 8:30 a.m. depart to 5:30 p.m. return (EST)
Massachusetts Maritime Academy
USTS KENNEDY

AGENDA

- I. 8:30 a.m.: Depart Boston for Massachusetts Maritime Academy (MMA)
- II. Welcome and Introductions: Committee Chairs
- III. 10:00 a.m.: Arrive MMA
- IV. MLA Committee Meetings:
 - a. Cybersecurity Committee:
 - i. Topic: How to Hack a Cargo Ship
 - ii. Presenter: Charles McCarthy, Esq.
 - b. Marine Insurance Committee:
 - i. Topic: Initial Casualty Response Actions from the P&I/Hull Correspondent Perspective
 - ii. Presenters: Jennifer Porter, Esq., Captain Steven Cunningham, Independent Maritime Consulting, and Captain Prentice Strong, Independent Maritime Consulting

- c. Marine Pollution and Maritime Crimes Committee:
 - i. Topic: Responding to a marine pollution event or a potential criminal marine pollution event (OPA90 and APPS)
 - ii. Presenter: Liam T. O’Connell, Esq., Farrell Smith O’Connell
- d. Offshore Industries Committee:
 - i. Topic: Responding to Catastrophic Casualties: Considerations when dealing with the USCG, NTSB and Press
 - ii. Presenters: William R. Bennett III, Esq., BLANKROME, and Thomas Wynne, Esq., Interlake Steamship Company
- e. Regulation of Vessel Operations Committee:
 - i. Topic: Collisions and Other Marine Casualties and USCG Notification Requirements
 - ii. Presenters: Thomas Muzyka, Esq. Clinton & Muzyka, Liam O’Connell, Esq., Farrell Smith O’Connell, Captain Steven Cunningham, Independent Maritime Consulting, and Captain Prentice Strong, Independent Maritime Consulting
- f. Government Counsel Committee:
 - i. Topic: US Government Investigations, its Interests and Privileges
 - ii. Presenter: LCDR Benjamin Robinson, Esq., USCG

V. Schedule:

- a. Attending MLA Members will be split into three groups for Saturday’s program.

	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Location
1000-1030	Marine Insurance I	Marine Insurance I	Marine Insurance I	<i>USTS KENNEDY</i>
1030-1100	Marine Insurance II	MPMC I	Cybersecurity	<i>USTS KENNEDY</i>
1100-1130	Cybersecurity	Marine Insurance II	MPMC I	<i>USTS KENNEDY</i>
1130-1200	MPMC I	Cybersecurity	Marine Insurance II	<i>USTS KENNEDY</i>
1200-1300	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	<i>Pande Hall</i>
1300-1330	Reg. of Vsl. Ops. I **	Offshore Industries	Gov’t. Counsel	<i>Bresnahan Hall</i>
1330-1400	Reg. of Vsl. Ops. I **	Offshore Industries	MPMC II/Reg. of Vsl. Ops. II	<i>Bresnahan Hall</i>
1400-1430	Gov’t Counsel	Reg. of Vsl. Ops. I **	Offshore Industries	<i>Bresnahan Hall</i>
1430-1500	MPMC II/Reg. of Vsl. Ops. II	Reg. of Vsl. Ops. I **	Offshore Industries	<i>Bresnahan Hall</i>
1500-1530	Offshore Industries	Gov’t. Counsel	Reg. of Vsl. Ops. I **	<i>Bresnahan Hall</i>
1530-1600	Offshore Industries	MPMC II/Reg. of Vsl. Ops. II	Reg. of Vsl. Ops. I **	<i>Bresnahan Hall</i>

- b. Note: Marine Pollution and Maritime Crimes “MPMC”
Regulation of Vessel Operations “Reg. of Vsl. Ops.”
** Maersk Ship Bridge Simulator Center
- c. See map of Massachusetts Maritime Academy below:



- VI. 4:00 p.m.: Depart MMA for Boston
- VII. Closing Remarks: Committee Chairs
- VIII. Discussion: Open/Committee Business
- IX. 5:30 p.m.: Adjournment/Arrive Boston

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