

MARITIME LAW ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES

Joint Meeting – Practice & Procedure and Fisheries Committees
Spring 2024 Meeting

Wednesday, May 1, 2024

10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Clyde & Co., Classroom 1

The Chrysler Building, 405 Lexington Avenue, New York, NY

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I. *Call to Order/Welcome/Introduction of Speakers*

Kirby Aarsheim, Practice & Procedure Committee Chair, Farrell, Smith, O'Connell, Aarsheim, & Aprans, LLP, Salem, MA

Sandy Welte, Fisheries Committee Chair, Welte & Welte PA, Camden, ME

II. *Administrative Law Goes to Sea: Making a Regulatory Challenge Against Fishery Regulation*

Presented by: Sam Blatchley, Eckland & Blando LLP, Boston, MA

III. *Armageddon? A review of Biological Abundances 20 years after the Deepwater Horizon Blowout*

**Presented by: Ralph Markarian Ph.D. and Dr. Jeff Wakefield
Natural Resource Damage Assessment and Toxicology SWCA Environmental
Consultants, Kennett Square, PA**

IV. *Valmont v. HSL Husum Shipping Ltd., 2024 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 2946 (S.D.Ga. Jan. 5, 2024)*

Presented by: Collin McRae, HunterMaclean, Savannah, GA

V. *Subcommittee on Maritime Liens Update*

Presented by: Michael Frevola, Holland & Knight LLP, New York, NY

VI. *Adjournment*