

### PROFESSIONAL LANDMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF NEW ORLEANS

# PROUDLY ANNOUNCES ITS ANNUAL EXECUTIVE NIGHT

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2014 ~ 5:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M.

SPEAKER: DON G. BRIGGS
President
Louisiana Oil & Gas Association ("LOGA"), Baton Rouge, Louisiana

#### **TOPIC:**

Current Issues Affecting Oil and Gas Industry

# NEW ORLEANS HILTON RIVERSIDE & TOWERS

Courtyard Assembly, Versailles and Napoleon Ballrooms Poydras Street at the Mississippi River, New Orleans, Louisiana

TICKETS: \$70.00 PLANO Members \$85.00 Non-PLANO Members Open to all industry associations and oil and gas industry executives.

## Program Format

Opening Reception – 5:30 p.m. – 6:15 p.m.
Presentation of Colors
Speaker – 6:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Buffet & Cocktails - 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Tickets must be purchased on or prior to Friday, February 14, 2014, to ensure industry executives' names are included in the program.

Tickets WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE at the door.

Special PLANO room rates available at the
New Orleans Hilton Riverside & Towers, #2 Poydras Street, New Orleans, LA (Group Code PEN),
call 504-584-3939 (9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.) or 1-800-HILTONS,
Hilton (per night) - Single Rate \$189, Double Rate \$189, Triple Rate \$219, Quad Rate \$249,
Royal Sonesta (per night) Deluxe Rooms - Single Rate \$219, Double Rate \$219.

PLEASE MAKE ROOM RESERVATIONS by JANUARY 31, 2014. Purchase of tickets, please contact lmorgan@hjainc.com, or margaretcameron@charter.net

PLANO Holding South Louisiana Exploration Symposium
Jefferson Ballroom, 3rd Floor, New Orleans Hilton Riverside & Towers
Thursday, February 27, 2014, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Purchase of an Executive Night ticket will enable you to view offerings at the symposium.

Each year, for the last sixty years, the Professional Landmen's Association of New Orleans ("PLANO") has sponsored its Executive Night to honor the oil and gas executives who have contributed so much to our industry. In the past, many exploration companies had offices in New Orleans and it was easy for PLANO members, executives, and exploration managers to attend the function. Now a large percentage of PLANO members and most company executives reside in Houston. Consequently, it is difficult for many of our members and their company executives to travel to New Orleans to attend Executive Night. It is the objective of PLANO to expand the activities surrounding our function to provide a program of interest to encourage PLANO members, executives, and exploration managers to come to New Orleans for Executive Night.

The last five year cycle has not been kind to exploration in the shallow water Gulf of Mexico and South Louisiana. Low natural gas prices, Macondo, and the exodus of exploration companies to the deep water Gulf of Mexico and the resource plays, have substantially reduced the seismic crews and drilling rigs active in the region. Nevertheless, despite the decreased activity, there have been several substantial discoveries during the last five years and a high percentage of the wells that were drilled were successful. It is the objective of PLANO to bring attention to these exploration successes in order to encourage exploration companies back into the region, and to give companies and individuals still active in exploration a convenient and economical forum to market their ideas.

In the effort to accomplish these two objectives, PLANO, NOGS, and SIPES are hosting an Exploration Symposium to be held in conjunction with PLANO's 2014 Executive Night on February 27, 2014. Companies marketing exploration projects are invited to exhibit their prospects in the Jefferson Ballroom of the Hilton Riverside Hotel (adjacent to the Versailles and Napoleon Ballrooms which will host the PLANO Executive Night). To the extent available, other booths will be available to companies offering seismic, land, engineering, and other services to South Louisiana and the shallow water Gulf of Mexico. The exhibit hours will be from 9:00 am to 4 pm, and the Executive Night program will follow. The costs of a booth will be \$450 which will include two tickets to Executive Night and two tickets to the luncheon. Mr. Carlo Christina, President and Co-Founder of C & R Exploration Co., will speak at the luncheon and discuss recent highlights in South Louisiana exploration.

A ticket to Executive Night also provides access to the Exploration Symposium. Tickets to the luncheon can be purchased for \$50 for anyone not attending a booth.

If you have any South Louisiana or shallow water OCS prospects or supply support services, please consider exhibiting. Otherwise, consider purchasing tickets for Executive Night for yourself, any landmen in your company, and any executives or explorationists who would be interested in attending the Symposium and Executive Night.