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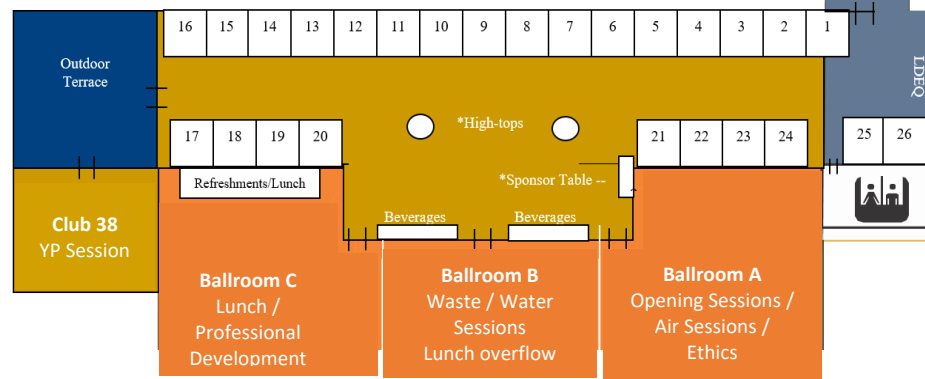


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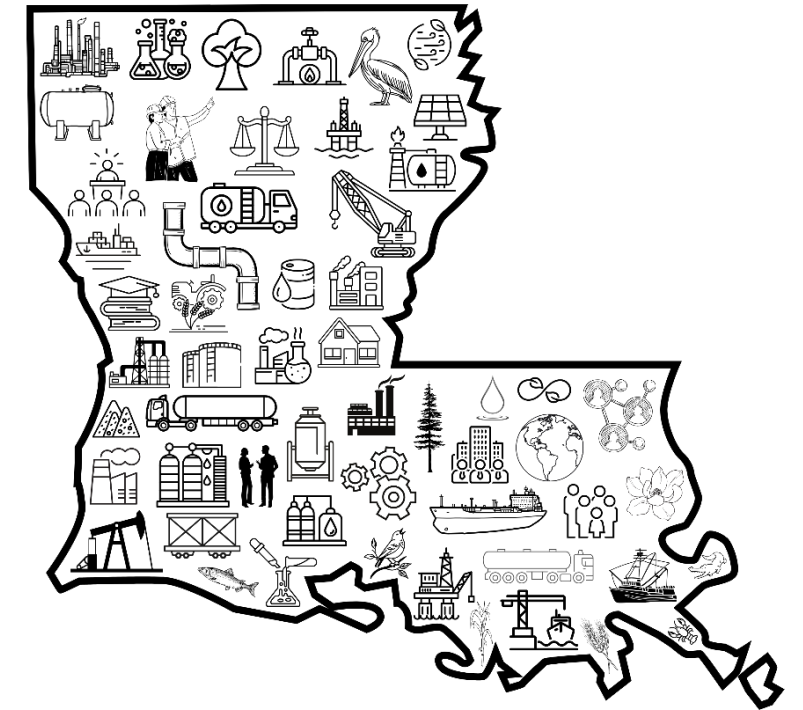
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2025 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

IN COLLABORATION WITH THE SOUTHWEST LOUISIANA CHAPTER

FINAL PROGRAM October 29-30, 2025



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Wednesday October 29, 2025 *designates an abstract presentation

7:30	Breakfast - <i>Sponsored by A&B Labs</i>	
	Opening Session – Ballroom A Session Chair: Jennifer Tullier, <i>Spirit Environmental</i>	
8:30	Keynote: EPA Deputy Administrator David Fotouhi	
9:00	A Look Ahead – What’s Next on the Environmental Regulatory Front and How Louisiana Could Be Impacted Tokesha Collins-Wright, <i>Louisiana Chemical Association</i>	
9:30	Settle it on the Field - LA vs. TX ERC Programs* Kyle Brzymialkiewicz, <i>Anew Climate</i>	
10:00	Break - <i>Sponsored by ALS USA Environmental</i>	
	Air – Ballroom A Session Chair: Corey Gautreaux, <i>PPM Consultants</i>	Waste – Ballroom B Session Chair: Michael Waguespack, <i>Project Consulting Services</i>
10:30	HON Rule & POTUS Action – Navigating CAA Sec 112* Karen Blakemore, <i>C-K Associates</i>	Navigating Key 2024-2025 Louisiana Hazardous Waste* Lara McAlister, <i>Edge</i>
11:00	Tips & Tactics for HON Flare Management Plans* Phil Kerr and Anna Bearden, <i>C-K Associates</i>	LDEQ Regulatory Update – Hazardous Waste Daniel Cheatham and Jennifer Williams, <i>LDEQ</i>
11:30	The Continuing Evolution of Fenceline Monitoring* Steven Ramsey, <i>Edge</i>	The Dirt on Reuse Marty Perilloux, <i>LDEQ</i>
12:00	Lunch - <i>Sponsored by: Energy Overwatch, Kean Miller, TEADIT</i>	
	Air – Ballroom A Session Chair: John King, <i>Breazeale, Sachse & Wilson</i>	Waste – Ballroom B Session Chair: Michael Waguespack, <i>Project Consulting Services</i>
1:30	AI for Daily Environmental Professional Tasks* Grant Johnson, <i>Tricord Consulting</i>	PFAS: Incident Response to Disposal* Emily von Qualen and Clare Bienvenu, <i>Liskow and Lewis</i>
2:00	Current Status of Condensable Particulate Matter* Arijit Pakrasi, <i>Edge</i>	Management of PFAS-Containing AFFF – Status* William Gary Smith, <i>Ramboll</i>
2:30	Latest PM2.5 NAAQS Updates and Challenges* Molly Vaziri, <i>All4 Inc.</i>	PFAS Litigation Jody Fortunato, <i>Cossich Sumich Parsiola & Taylor, LLC</i>
3:00	Break - <i>Sponsored by Element and E3 Environmental</i> Headshot Photography - <i>Sponsored by Eagle Environmental</i>	
	Air – Ballroom A Session Chair: Ashley Viator, <i>LDEQ</i>	Waste – Ballroom B Session Chair: Douglas Melancon, <i>ExxonMobil Baton Rouge Complex</i>
3:30	IT Responses in 2025-Do's and Don'ts* Robert Berg and Bryant Bremer, <i>C-K Associates and Kean Miller</i>	PFAS in Biosolids: Regulations and Testing Methods* Michelle Onofrio, <i>ALS Global</i>
4:00	Under Pressure - Judicial Review of Permits* Lauren Rucinski and Bryant Bremer, <i>Kean Miller</i>	Unlocking the Value of Effective Tonnage* Peyton Finical, <i>Sasquatch Waste</i>
4:30	Conference Social - <i>Sponsored exclusively by PACE</i> Club 38: Drink tickets to be distributed by a PACE.	

Thursday, October 30, 2025

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7:30	Breakfast - <i>Sponsored by Landau Associates, Inc. and Spectrum Environmental Solutions</i>		
	Opening Session – Ballroom A Session Chair: Elizabeth Smith, <i>PPM Consultants</i>		APPROVED! 10 hours CLE credit, including 1 hour of Professionalism
8:30	LDEQ Agency Updates LDEQ Secretary Burdette		
9:00	LDEQ Air Permitting Updates Bryan Johnston, <i>LDEQ</i>		
9:30	A Letter to My Younger Self Karen Brignac, <i>Brignac Environmental Consulting</i>		
10:00	Break - <i>Sponsored by Spectrum Environmental Solutions</i>		
	Air – Ballroom A Session Chair: John King, <i>Breazeale, Sachse & Wilson</i>	Waste/Water – Ballroom B Session Chair: Michael Waguespack, <i>Project Consulting Services</i>	Young Professionals – Club 38 Session Chair: Courtney Tolbert, <i>LDEQ</i>
10:30	Reconsideration of NSPS OOOOb/c for Flaring* Yousheng Zeng & Jon Morris, <i>Providence Photonics</i>	Environmental Sampling & Analyses: Do’s and Don’ts Importance of Proper Waste Characterization – Overview of TCLP & RCI Tests Carlyle Bourgeois, <i>Element</i> Renewable Natural Gas Testing Ron Martino, <i>ALS Global</i> TO-15 VOC Sampling & Analyses Mariah Peronto, <i>PACE</i>	Louisiana Air Permitting 101* Reagan Berry, <i>C-K Associates</i>
11:00	BWON and QQQ: Complying with NDE Design Standards* Dawn Neal & Stephanie Meranda, <i>Tricord</i> Rodney Roth, <i>RFS Compliance Solutions</i>		Stack Testing 101: Fundamentals of Stack Testing* Andrew Kendall, <i>Montrose Environmental</i>
11:30		Water Regulatory Updates* Andrew Hebert, <i>All4 Inc.</i>	Applications of AI for Environmental Professionals* Bryan Smith, <i>Pivotal Environmental</i>
12:00	Lunch - <i>Sponsored by TEADIT</i>		
	Air – Ballroom A Session Chair: Beth Hitt, <i>Pace</i>	Water – Ballroom B Session Chair: Michael Waguespack, <i>Project Consulting Services</i>	Professional Development – Ballroom C Session Chair: Allyson Morales, <i>TotalEnergies Petrochemicals & Refining USA, Inc.</i>
1:30	Navigating Regulatory Changes for Incidents & Emergencies* Bryn LeBlanc, <i>Ramboll</i>	LDEQ Water Permits: Industrial & Municipal LPDES Permits Melissa Carley & William Baudouin, <i>LDEQ</i>	Recharge Before You Burn Out: Practical Strategies for Well-Being Gloria McConnell, <i>Success Labs</i>
2:00	Managing Regulatory Priorities and Actions* El-Afifi, <i>All4 Inc.</i>	General LPDES Permits Melissa Reboul & Sean Lou, <i>LDEQ</i>	Time Mastery: Organizational Skills for Busy Professionals Gloria McConnell, <i>Success Labs</i>
2:30	How to Pick the Right EMS for Your Facility* Deb Hart, <i>Tricord</i>	WOTUS Permitting in a Post-Sackett World* Claire Odenweller, <i>C-K Associates</i>	Signal Strength: Communication Basics Gloria McConnell, <i>Success Labs</i>
3:00	Enforcement: The Neverending Saga Courtney Tolbert, <i>LDEQ</i>	Overview of Potable Water for Industrial Users* David Hawley, <i>C-K Associates</i> Steven Joubert and Caryn Benjamin, <i>LA Dept of Health</i>	Ambition Meets Coachability: The Career Edge Gloria McConnell, <i>Success Labs</i>
	Ethics – Ballroom A	ANNOUNCEMENTS:	
3:30	Ethical Engineering: Recognizing Cognitive Biases* Robynn Andracsek, <i>Providence Engineering</i> <i>CLE Approved - 1 hour of Professionalism</i>	<p>There is not an option to text your questions for presenters this year. To receive Continuing Legal Education (CLE) credits please complete the scantron and return it to the registration desk.</p> <p>An email with additional information on how to register for Professional Development Hours (PDH) will be sent to all registered attendees the week following the conference.</p> <p>Our goal is to have all presentations posted online within 2 weeks. An email will be sent to all registered attendees once the presentations have been posted.</p>	
4:30	Conference Unwind - <i>Sponsored by CleanAir Engineering</i> Poolside (Sportsbook in the event of rain)		