



2021 MARINE BOARD VIRTUAL SPRING MEETING PRESENTATIONS

June 17-18, 2021

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Thursday, June 17, 2021

10:30 AM Marine Board Call to Order, Welcome, and Introductions

Focus Session: Emerging Challenges in the Maritime Domain

10:45 AM – 12:15 PM Panel 1

Moderator: Rear Admiral James A. Watson (USCG-Ret.), Marine Board Member

Format - 8 minute briefs – 5 minute periods following each for clarifying questions ([See Panelist Bios](#))

- [Mr. Michael D. Emerson](#), Director, Marine Transportation Systems, U.S. Coast Guard (USCG)
- [Dr. Jeffrey L. Payne](#), Director, Office for Coastal Management, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)
- [Dr. Walter Cruickshank](#), Deputy Director, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM)
- [Ms. Stacy Noem](#), Chief of the Office of Offshore Regulatory Programs (OORP), Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement (BSEE)
- [Ms. Stacey M. Zee](#), Office of Commercial Space Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)

1:00 PM – 2:15 PM Panel 2

Moderator: Dr. Craig Philip, Marine Board Vice Chair

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- [Mr. Thomas P. Smith](#), Chief, Operations and Regulatory, HQ, US Army Corps of Engineers
- [Dr. Katrina Kemp](#) (UK - MCA) - Smart Ships and Automation Policy Officer, UK – Maritime and Coast Guard Agency
- [Ms. Julia Livermore](#), Supervising Biologist, Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management (DEM)
- [Rear Admiral Michael Rodriguez](#) - Former Superintendent, Texas A&M Maritime Academy, Former Deputy Maritime Administrator, MARAD

Friday, June 18, 2021

10:00 AM – 11:45 AM

Marine Board Sponsor Liaison Updates

Format - 8 minute briefs – 5 minute periods following each for clarifying questions ([See Sponsor Liaison Bios](#))

- [CDR Laura Springer](#), U.S. Coast Guard
- [Mr. Kevin Knight](#), U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- [Dr. Thomas Fu](#), Office of Naval Research, U.S. Navy
- [Ms. Heather Gilbert](#), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
- [Mr. John Cushing](#), Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement
- [Mr. Todd Ripley](#), Maritime Administration
- [Mr. Michael Dean](#), Supervisor of Salvage and Diving, U.S. Navy