

AGENDA Northeast Mine Safety & Health Conference

Monday, April 3, 2017

Registration and Exhibit Set-up - (McKinley Room/Foyer)	10:00am – Noon
Opening Luncheon (McKinley Room)	Noon – 1pm
Keynote Speaker – Marvin Lichtenfels , Deputy Administrator for Metal Non-Metal.	1pm – 1:30 pm
BREAK IN EXHIBIT HALL	1:30 pm – 1:45 pm
GENERAL SESSION (Hayes Room)	1:45pm – 2:45pm
Contractor Management in Mining Archie Gillies – Fairborn Cement	
GENERAL SESSION (Hayes Room)	2:45pm – 3:45pm
MSHA Enforcement and Commission Decisions Nick Scala, MSHA Practice Group at Conn Maciel Carey LLP	
BREAK IN EXHIBIT HALL	3:45 pm – 4pm
GENERAL SESSION (Hayes Room)	4 pm – 5:00 pm
Managing a Successful Industrial Hygiene Program Denny Ertel, SOMA	
RECEPTION WITH EXHIBITORS (McKinley Room)	5pm – 6:30pm

Tuesday, April 4, 2017

Continental Breakfast/Registration - (McKinley Room)	8am – 9am
GENERAL SESSION (Hayes Room)	9am – 10:30am
Interference Online: The Perils of Social Media Section, 105C of the Mine Act Arthur Wolfson, Esq. – Jackson Kelly, PLLC	
BREAK IN EXHIBIT HALL	10:30 am – 10:45 am
GENERAL SESSION (Hayes Room)	10:45am - Noon
Contractors on Mine Properties Paul Cook, MSHA Educational Field Small Mines Services	
LUNCHEON (McKinley Room)	Noon – 1pm
GENERAL SESSION (Hayes Room)	1pm – 2pm
How to Approach Workplace Exam Post Sunbelt Decision / Review of MSHA's proposed Exam Rule Michael Peelish, Law Offices of Adele L. Abrams PC	
GENERAL SESSION (Hayes Room)	2pm – 3pm
Accident Response & Crisis Management Patrick Dennison, Jackson Kelly, PLLC	
BREAK IN EXHIBIT HALL	3pm – 3:15pm
GENERAL SESSION (Hayes Room)	3:15 pm – 4pm
The Blunt Facts: What Employers Need to Know About Marijuana Mark Shaw, Esq.& Melissa Ebel, Esq.,- Eastman & Smith Ltd.	
GENERAL SESSION	4 pm – 5pm
Working Place Examinations: Where are We Now and Where are We Going? Adam Schwendeman, Esq. – Jackson Kelly, PLLC	
RECEPTION IN HOSPITALITY ROOM	5pm – 6:30pm

Wednesday, April 5th

Continental Breakfast/Registration - (McKinley Room) 8 am – 9am

GENERAL SESSION (Hayes Room) 9am – 10am

Mine Surface Structures – Identifying Unsafe Conditions & Avoiding Failures

Terence M. Taylor, MSHA Pittsburgh Tech Support – Mine Waste & Geotechnical Engineering Div.

GENERAL SESSION (Hayes Room) 10am – 11am

Safety Tools and the Right Tool for the Job

Tim Statzer - Flexco

GENERAL SESSION (Hayes Room) 11am - Noon

Ground Control at MNM Surface Mines

Eric Gottheld, MSHA Pittsburg Tech Support – Mine Waste & Geotechnical Engineering Div.