

BROWNWATER UNIVERSITY

AGENDA

Oct 30 – Nov 1, 2018

203 Deerwood Glen Drive, Houston, Texas 77536

DAY ONE - Wed, October 30

0830 – 0835	Safety Briefing
0835 – 0900	Welcome and Introductions
0900 – 0945	Waterways Overview
0945 – 1015	The Business of Towing
1015 – 1030	<i>Break</i>
1030 – 1130	Stakeholder Partnerships - <i>Panel Discussion</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>American Waterways Operators</i>• <i>Gulf Intracoastal Canal Association</i>• <i>Lone Star Harbor Safety Committee</i>
1130 – 1230	<i>Lunch</i>
1230 – 1400	Equipment and Personnel
1400 – 1415	<i>Break</i>
1415 – 1530	Operations
1530 – 1615	The Role of Harbor Tugs
1615 – 1630	Day One Afternoon Debriefing



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DAY TWO – Wed, Oct 31



- 0830 – 0835 Morning Debriefing
- 0835 – 0900 Role of Ship Pilots
- 0900 – 1100 Navigation Safety - *Panel Discussion*
- *Houston Traffic*
 - *Aids to Navigation/AtoN Knockdowns*
 - *Practices and Reporting Policies*
 - *U.S. Coast Guard Investigations*
 - *Barge Inspections*
- 1100 – 1115 ***Break***
- 1115 – 1230 Ship/Barge Dynamics - *Panel Discussion*
- *VTS Port Arthur Perspective*
 - *Brownwater Perspective*
 - *Bluewater Perspective*
 - *Coast Guard Interaction/VTS Houston Galveston*
- 1230 – 1315 ***Lunch***
- 1315 - 1415 Sharing the Waterway Blue – Brownwater Review
- 1415– 1430 ***Break***
- 1430 – 1515 Hurricane Harvey – Waterways Recovery Panel
- 1515 - 1530 Closing Remarks Certificate Presentation

DAY THREE – Thurs, Nov 1

0830-1200 TOWING VESSEL SIMULATOR SESSION

Location TBD

