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News Release

Oil and Gas Diversity Council Recognizes Influential Women Leaders

HOUSTON, TX – The Oil and Gas Diversity Council will partner with Rice University and Andrews Kurth LLP to host its Inaugural **2014 Oil and Gas Women's Summit** on Thursday, February 13, 2014. The morning event will feature a panel discussion on topics pertinent to today's women leaders in the oil and gas industry which will be moderated by Elizabeth Campbell, Partner and Chief Diversity Officer, Andrews Kurth LLP. The Summit will be held at the **Grand Hall at Rice University,** 6100 Main St., Houston, TX 77005.

Dennis Kennedy, Founder & CEO of the Texas Diversity Council states, "We are excited to offer this Summit as a way to bring together women in the oil and gas industry. This year we will honor a distinguished group of women with the ***Influential Women Leaders Award****."* The award winners are:

- **Crystal E. Ashby**, SVP, Strategic University Relationships, BP America, Inc.
- **Sue Kean**, VP, Deputy Counsel, & Chief Compliance Officer, McDermott International Inc.
- **Christina M. Ibrahim**, VP, Chief Commercial Counsel, Halliburton Company
- **Jennifer McCauley**, SVP, Human Resources, Southwestern Energy Company
- **Amy Roddy**, VP, Investors Relations & External Communications, Pacific Drilling Services Inc.
- **Hilary Ware**, SVP, Bristow Group
- **Marguerite Woung-Chapman**, SVP, General Counsel & Corporate Secretary, EP Energy LLC
- **Kimberly Frye**, SVP, General Counsel & Secretary, Key Energy Services
- **Janet Coy**, VP, Natural Gas Marketing, Enbridge Energy, Inc.

Registration, Breakfast, and Networking will begin at 8:00 a.m., with the Summit beginning at 8:30 a.m. Individual ticket cost is $249.00. Online Registration can be completed at: https://nationaldiversitycouncilregistration.org/tx/ogs. Contact Ashlyn Outler for more information at ashlyn.outler@nationaldiversitycouncil.org

The newly formed Oil and Gas Diversity Council is a non-profit organization committed to the facilitation, discussion and education of diversity and inclusion principles within the oil and gas industry. The Oil and Gas Diversity Council aims to advocate for the growth of a diverse workforce within the oil and gas industry and partner with industry champions to foster inclusion in the workplace.

More information about the Oil and Gas Diversity Council is available at www.oilgasdiversitycouncil.org

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