

Environmental Law Institute's Twentieth Annual Western Boot Camp on Environmental Law® Agenda

Date: May 01 – 03, 2024

Location: DLA Piper LLP, 555 Mission Street, Suite 2400, San Francisco, CA 94105

Day 1 (May 01, 2024)

- 7:45 – 8:00 Registration & Continental Breakfast
- 8:00–8:15 Welcome and Introduction to Boot Camp
Madison Calhoun – Environmental Law Institute
- 8:15–9:15 National Environmental Policy Act
Jayni Hein – Covington & Burling LLP
Kathryn L. Oebbschlager – Downey Brand LLP
- 9:15–10:15 Ethics in Environmental Law
Joshua Bloom – Bay Law Group LLP
- 10:15 – 10:30 Break
- 10:30–12:30 Clean Water Act
Richard Roos-Collins – Water and Power Law Group PC
Don Sobelman – Farella Braun + Martel LLP
Allyn L. Stern – Beveridge & Diamond PC
- 12:30 – 2:00 Lunch Break
- 2:00–4:15 Clean Air Act
Clare Ellis – Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP
Derek McDonald – Baker Botts LLP
- 4:15–4:30 Break
- 4:30–6:00 Climate Change Law
Karen M. McGaffey – Perkins Coie LLP
Kevin Poloncarz – Covington & Burling LLP
- 6:00–6:05 Closing Remarks
Sarah Vican – Environmental Law Institute
- 6:05–8:00 Western Boot Camp Networking Reception

Day 2 (May 02, 2024)

- 7:45–8:00 Check-In & Continental Breakfast
- 8:00–8:10 Welcome Remarks
Madison Calboun – Environmental Law Institute
- 8:10–10:10 Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
J. Tom Boer – Hogan Lovells
Loren Dunn – Beveridge & Diamond PC
- 10:10–10:25 Break
- 10:25–12:10 Environmental Justice
Gwen Keyes Fleming – DLA Piper LLP
Michelle Ghafar – Earthjustice
- 12:10–1:40 Lunch Break
- 1:40–3:40 Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
Robert Infelise – Cox, Castle & Nicholson LLP
Laura Kerr – Stoel Rives LLP
- 3:40–3:55 Break
- 3:55–5:55 Environmental Liabilities in Business Transactions
Erin Carter – Ballard Spahr LLP
Patricia Lin – Corning Incorporated
- 5:55–6:00 Closing Remarks
Sarah Vican – Environmental Law Institute

Day 3 (May 03, 2024)

- 7:45–8:00 Check-In & Continental Breakfast
- 8:00–8:05 Welcome Remarks
Madison Calboun – Environmental Law Institute
- 8:05–9:50 Environmental Enforcement
Lily N. Chinn – Hogan Lovells
Brianna Fairbanks – US Environmental Protection Agency
- 9:50–10:05 Break
- 10:05–11:35 Agriculture and the Environment
Linda Breggin – Environmental Law Institute
Peter Lechner – Earthjustice
- 11:35–1:05 Lunch Break
- 1:05–2:35 Energy Law
Brian T. Cragg – Downey Brand LLP
Linda Sobczynski Gilleran – Farella Braun + Martel LLP
- 2:35–2:50 Break
- 2:50–4:20 Environmental, Social, and Corporate Governance
Elizabeth B. Dawson – Crowell & Moring LLP
Juge Gregg – Crowell & Moring LLP
- 4:20–4:30 Conclusion to Boot Camp
Sarah Vican – Environmental Law Institute