

## PROGRAMME (INTERIM)

### NIGERIAN DEEPWATER/SUBSEA INDUSTRY – CURRENT AND FUTURE CHALLENGES

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#### PRE-CONFERENCE SEMINAR: TUESDAY, 27 OCTOBER 2009

*Lecture:* Introduction to Deepwater Project Development and Subsea systems

*Audience:* Law and policy makers, non-subsea engineers/geologist, contract mangers, business development managers, et al

**08.00 – 09.00:** Conference registration and breakfast

**09.00 – 17.00:** Lecture

*Key areas:*

- Deepwater project development
- Value chain of subsea systems
- Subsea design and development
- Technological challenges
- Floating Production Storage and Offloading Vessels
- Overview of subsea production/intervention systems

#### DAY 1 - WEDNESDAY, 28 OCTOBER 2009

**SPEAKERS/AUDIENCE:** Deepwater oil/gas operators, law and policy makers, oil company executives, subsea engineers, petroleum engineers, security experts, oil/gas servicing companies, contract managers, and business development managers, et al:

##### MORNING SESSION

**08.00 – 09.00:** Breakfast and conference registration

*Key topics for discussion:*

- Current and future investment opportunities in the Nigerian deepwater/subsea industry
- Designing incentives to attract investment in the deepwater/subsea industry

Networking/Tea break: 10.30 – 11.00

- Challenges of providing security in deepwater production areas

Lunch: 12.30 – 14.00

#### **AFTERNOON SESSION**

- Unresolved legal issues arising from deepwater/subsea development

Networking/Tea break: 15.00 -15.30

- Local content in the subsea industry – manpower development, procurement opportunities, service contracts
- Plenary session

#### **DAY TWO: TECHNICAL SESSION**

**SPEAKERS/AUDIENCE:** Managers in deepwater oil and gas development, subsea engineers, service companies, contract managers, business development managers, *et al*:

*Topical Issue:* Subsea Production Systems – Shared Experiences from Operators:

*This session will feature presentations from operators of deepwater oil wells in relation to the following issues:*

- Field/project development phase
- Application of Subsea systems
- Operational challenges and solutions
- Manpower and procurement gaps
- Lessons learned

Plenary session

*Breaks:*

Networking/Tea break: 10.30 – 11.00

Lunch: 12.30 – 14.00

Tea break: 15.00 – 15.30

#### **DAY THREE:**

Topical issue of the day: *Deepwater/Subsea Solutions*

- This session presents an opportunity for operators and technology providers in the deepwater/subsea industry to discuss issues on relevant technology

*Highlights:*

- Meeting the current and future technological needs of the subsea industry – operators perspective
- Bespoke technology designed by service companies
- Demonstrations of state-of-the art technologies

*Breaks*

Networking/Tea break: 10.30 – 11.00

Lunch: 12.30 – 14.00

Tea break: 15.00 -15.30