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- Environmentalists
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*Alternative Energy is the way of the future – Now!*

*Not only is Alternative Energy eminent, it's smart, economical and will affect everyone in the Public and Private Sectors. If you are planning to tap into alternative energy sources, if you work within the Energy field, or if you're just curious about how alternative energy will be integrated into the mainstream power grid, this program will answer your questions and give you the information you'll need.*

*Coinciding with the growth of Alternative Energy sources are Technical Developments and Regulatory Requirements. Please plan to join program chairs James M. Lynch, K&L Gates and Mason D. Morisset, Morisset Schlosser Jozwiak & McGaw as we examine the most important issues in the changing world of energy production. We will look at important issues such as Solar Power, Wind Power, Bio Fuels, Ocean Power, Hydropower, Project Finance Issues, Legislative and Regulatory Issues, and More.*

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# Alternative Energy: Regulations & Technical Developments

Thursday, October 18, 2007 ~ Seattle, WA

**9:00 Introduction and Overview**  
**James M. Lynch, Esq., Program Co-Chair**  
*K&L Gates*

**Mason D. Morisset, Esq., Program Co-Chair**  
*Morisset Schlosser Jozwiak & McGaw*

## REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

**9:10 Legislative Updates**  
U.S. Climate Policy; Global Climate Policy;  
Corporate Effects and Emissions Mitigation;  
What Can We Expect in 2009?; Energy  
Buybacks

**Elizabeth Thomas, Esq.**  
*K&L Gates*

**10:15 Break**

**10:30 Global Warming & the Effect on  
Environmental Laws**  
Clean Water Act; Clean Air Act; Endangered  
Species Act

**James M. Lynch, Esq.**  
**Melanie J. Rowland, Esq. (Invited)**  
*NOAA, Office of General Counsel*

## RENEWABLE ENERGY

**11:15 Solar Power ~ A Path to Grid Parity?**  
The Economics of Solar Power in Commercial  
and Residential Settings; Energy Buybacks;  
Federal and State Incentives; Product  
Developments; Best Science

**Glenn Harris, President**  
*SunCentric Incorporated*

**12:00 Lunch (on your own)**

## RENEWABLE ENERGY (cont.)

**1:00 Windpower at Scale: Getting Its Own  
Slice of the Pie?**  
The Economics of Wind Energy; Environ-  
mental Concerns; Wind Farms - Project,  
Timetables and Costs; Harnessing Wind  
Energy in Urban Areas

**Jonathan M. Norling, Esq.**  
*Lane Powell PC, Portland, OR*

**1:30 Emerging Bio Fuels: Which Pathways  
will Enable Scale?**  
Carbon Concerns; The Changing Markets of  
Bio-Fuel Products and the Effect on Other  
Markets; Unconventional Oil

**Frank E. Holmes, NW Regional Mgr.**  
*Western States Petroleum Association*

**Tim Stearns, Sen. Energy Policy Specialist**  
*WA State Dept. of Community, Trade & Economic Development*

**2:15 Break**

**2:30 Ocean Power**  
• Aqua Energy Project at Neah Bay  
**John B. Arum, Esq.**  
*Ziontz Chestnut Varnell Berley & Slonim*

• FERC Tidal Energy Permits  
**Jeffrey R. Kallstrom, Esq.**  
*Snohomish County PUD*

**Ann F. Miles, Director**  
Hydropower Licensing, Office of Energy Projects  
*FERC, Washington, DC*

• New Science and Emerging Tidal Energy  
~ Where and How Much Can We Harvest, At  
What Cost, and What Environmental Concerns?  
**Burton Hamner, President**  
*Puget Sound Tidal Power LLC*

**4:30 Project Finance Issues**  
Governmental Finance; Public/Private  
Partnerships  
**Peter D. Mostow, Esq.**  
*Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati PC, San Francisco, CA*

**Nancy M. Neraas, Esq.**  
*K&L Gates*

**5:00 Questions and Answers**  
**Members of the Faculty**

Friday, October 19, 2007

**9:00 Introduction and Overview**  
**Program Chairs**

## HYDROPOWER

**9:10 Hydropower Licensing Update**  
Cushman Case  
**Mason D. Morisset, Esq.**  
**Michael A. Swiger, Esq.**  
*Van Ness Feldman, Washington, DC*

**10:15 Break**

**10:30 Hydropower vs. Coal**  
Environmental Tug of War; Relationship  
Between Global Warming, ESA, Fish, Water  
and Other Electrical Production Methods  
**Jim Titerle, Esq.** **Todd D. True, Esq.**  
*McCarthy Tétrault* *Earthjustice*

**11:15 Energy Generation**  
**Jeffrey S. Lovinger, Esq.**  
*Lovinger Kaufmann LLP, Portland, OR*

**11:45 Energy Use and the Next Generation:  
How Current Educational Programs  
are Influencing New Managers**  
**April Ingle**  
*University of Washington*

**12:00 Questions and Answers**  
**Members of the Faculty**



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# THE SEMINAR GROUP ~ FACULTY

## Alternative Energy: Regulations & Technical Developments

**James M. Lynch**, Program Co-Chair, is Of Counsel with K&L Gates where his practice focuses on regulatory compliance and environmental law with an emphasis on the Federal Power Act, NEPA and ESA compliance and permitting matters.

**Mason D. Morisset**, Program Co-Chair, is a director and senior member with the law firm of Morisset Schlosser Jozwiak & McGaw. He concentrates his practice on treaty rights and natural resource protection.

**John. B Arum** is a partner at Ziontz Chestnut Varnell Berley & Slonim where he practices federal Indian law, water law, and environment and land use law. He was previously on the board of directors for the Washington Environmental Council.

**Burton Hamner** is founder and owner of Puget Sound Tidal Power LLC and is currently the consulting team leader of the Tacoma Narrows Tidal Power Feasibility Study for Tacoma Power.

**Glenn Harris** is President of SunCentric Incorporated, a firm dedicated to providing information and advice to companies in the U.S. solar electric industry.

**Frank E. Holmes** is the Northwest Regional Manager for Western States Petroleum Association which represents companies involved in petroleum exploration, production, transportation and marketing.

**April Ingle** is a graduate student at the University of Washington studying Strategic Planning for Critical Infrastructure, a program specifically created for officials in public and private infrastructure systems, emergency management and homeland security.

**Jeffrey R. Kallstrom** is Senior Counsel for the Snohomish County PUD, and is the primary legal counsel for matters relating to the PUD's tidal energy projects.

**Jeffrey S. Lovinger** is a partner at Lovinger Kaufmann LLP, where he focuses on energy and utility law, advising clients on transmission issues, hydroelectric licensing and compliance.

**Ann F. Miles** is the Director of the Division of Hydropower Licensing in the Office of Energy Projects at FERC in Washington, DC.

**Peter D. Mostow** is a partner in the San Francisco office of Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati PC. He specializes in guiding clients through permitting processes for wind, geothermal, solar, ocean, hydroelectric power plants, and biofuel facilities.

**Nancy M. Neraas** is a partner at K&L Gates. She has extensive experience as bond counsel for cities, counties, and special districts in Washington and Alaska. She has worked on electric utility financings for various cities and public utility districts.

**Jonathan M. Norling** is a shareholder at Lane Powell PC where he focuses on regulatory and transactional matters involving utilities. He has drafted numerous asset and power purchase agreements for renewable energy projects.

**Melanie J. Rowland** is a senior attorney in the Office of General Counsel, NOAA's Northwest Region. She advises NMFS on Endangered Species Act matters.

**Tim Stearns** is Senior Energy Policy Specialist for the Washington State Department of Community, Trade and Economic Development. He works on emerging energy technologies and market expansion for sustainable companies.

**Michael A. Swiger** is a member of VanNess Feldman in Washington, DC. He represents entities with interests in energy and water development and is involved in several major hydroelectric license proceedings before FERC.

**Elizabeth Thomas** is a partner at K&L Gates and works with clients to develop and implement utility legislation and policies, including advice and drafting on the State Energy Policy Act.

**Jim Titerle** is a partner at the Vancouver office of McCarthy Tétrault LLP. He is regularly involved in business transactions in the independent power production sector, and has considerable expertise in dealing with environmental issues.

**Todd D. True** is an attorney at Earthjustice. He has handled numerous cases under the Federal Endangered Species Act, Clean Water Act, National Environment Policy Act and National Forest Management Act.

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