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**OIL AND GAS IN APPALACHIA****The Foundation for a More Prosperous Future.**
**NARO Appalachia  
2018 Annual Conference**
**SEPTEMBER  
16-18**
**Sunday, September 16**

- 8:00 am-5:00 pm** *CMM Review Course*  
Instructor Jim Leonard, CPA
- 5:00 pm** *Welcome Reception*

**Monday, September 17**

- 8:00** *Event Welcome*  
NARO Appalachia Director and  
2018 Event Chairman, Valerie Antonette
- 8:05** *The National Perspective*  
Jerry Simmons, NARO Executive Director
- 8:45** *Implied Covenants in Oil and Gas Leases*  
Tracie Palmer, VP of Land,  
Bounty Minerals
- 9:15** *West Virginia Legal Update*  
Kevin Coleman, Esq., Casey & Chapman
- 10:00** **BREAK**
- 10:15** *Royalty Statement Evaluation*  
Chris Gabrick, CPA,  
Schroedel Scullin & Bestic, LLC
- 11:00** *Building Bridges Between  
Royalty Owners and Operators*  
George Stark, Director, External Affairs  
Cabot Oil & Gas
- Noon** **Group Lunch**  
Presentation: *Ohio Legislative Panel  
Bill Williams* Moderator, KWGD
- 1:30** *Appalachian Storage Hub*  
Dr. Brian Anderson, Director, West Virginia  
University Energy Institute
- 2:00** *Wayne National Forest Revision Plan*  
Tony Scardina, Forest Supervisor  
Wayne National Forest
- 3:00** **BREAK**
- 3:30** *Public Relations as Policy*  
Tom Susman, President, TSG Consulting
- 4:15** *Financial Market Update, Making Data  
Driven Decisions and Forecasting and  
Monitoring Royalty Streams*  
David H. McKinley, CFP,  
President & CIO McKinley Carter

**Tuesday, September 18**

- 8:00** *A Call to Action for Mineral Owners:  
Public Outreach and  
Educational Opportunities*  
Rhonda Reda, Executive Director  
Ohio Oil & Gas Energy Education Program
- 8:45** *Ohio Legal Update*  
Scott Zurakowski, Esq.  
Krugliak, Wilkins, Griffiths & Dougherty
- 9:45** *Kentucky Legislation and Geology Update*  
William Gilliam, P.G., SLG Resources, LLC
- 10:15** **BREAK**
- 10:30** *The Future of the Natural Gas Market*  
James Halloran
- 11:15** *Shale Crescent USA; The Ohio Valley's  
World Class Energy Advantage*  
Joe Eddy, Executive Vice President  
Justrite Safety Group  
President, Eagle Manufacturing Company
- 12:00** *Taxation Pitfalls*  
Ryan Rupert, CPA, CMM, CVA  
Rupert Tax & Advisory Services, LLC
- 12:30** *Event Conclusion*
- 12:45** *CMM Exams* Must be pre-registered  
please call the Nat'l Office 800-558-0557

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The group room rate is \$129.

 Reservations need to be made **before**
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CMM Approved: 7

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