

STATE OF THE COAST



CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

- 3 days
 - Wednesday, May 31 – Friday, June 2
- 3 Plenary Sessions
- 96 Concurrent Sessions
 - talks, panels, films
- 95 Posters
- 2 Receptions



PLENARY SPEAKERS

Wednesday

- Governor John Bel Edwards

Thursday

- Mike Tidwell, author of *Bayou Farewell*

Friday

- Mitch Landrieu, White House Senior Adviser and Infrastructure Coordinator
- Congressman Garret Graves



CONCURRENT SESSIONS

- 96 Concurrent Sessions
 - 38 panels; 51 standard sessions; 7 films
- 568 total speakers/presenters

Topics

- Coastal Law, Policy & Funding
- Human Dimensions
- Ecosystem Restoration
- Renewable Energy
- Preparing for Climate Change: Mitigation and Adaptation
- Predicting and Planning for the Future of the Coast
- Flood Risk Management: Coastal and Inland
- Hydrology, Geomorphology and Ecology of the Coast
- Managing our Rivers for Multiple Uses
- Disasters Impacts, Mitigation and Recovery

Program Committee

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AND MORE!

- Women's Coastal Leadership Breakfast
- CRCL Coastal Stewardship Awards
- Student Awards
- CLE credits
- Conference App
- Conference Website



SIDE EVENTS

- Gulf Coast Blue Carbon Working Group Kickoff, Water Institute of the Gulf, RAE, CPRA & Stantec
- Parishes Advancing Coastal Endurance
- Sustainable Coastal Funding Workshop, Restore the Mississippi River Delta Coalition
- CRCL Future Coastal Leaders Network
- Harmful Algal Bloom Task Force and Working Group, Pontchartrain Conservancy
- Central Wetlands Reforestation Collective Kickoff



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MAY 31-JUNE 2, 2023



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May 31 – June 2, 2023

CRCL COASTAL ISSUES CANDIDATE FORUM

- State Sen. Sharon Hewitt
- Hunter Lundy
- State Rep. Richard Nelson
- Stephen Waguespack
- Dr. Shawn Wilson



Friday June 2, 5:30 PM

<https://www.crcl.org/program/coastal-issues-forum/>