



“Houston’s Happenings during OTC Week”

Event Name	Description	Details
T1 Texas & Houston Elite: 2nd Annual International Business Mixer	<p><i>Join T1 Texas and Houston ELITE at the Budweiser Brewery Experience for the 2nd Annual International Business Mixer. This exclusive event will feature DJ RISKK mixing LIVE and complimentary food and beverages while you network among Houston's elite professionals, small business owners and international visitors attending the Offshore Technology Conference. All beverages provided complimentary by Anheuser-Busch. Secure your ticket today!</i></p>	<p>Date: April 30, 2017 Time: 1:00 pm Location: Budweiser Brewery Contact: Email through Eventbrite.com</p>
Brazil-Texas Chamber of Commerce: Pre-OTC Networking Event	<p><i>The Argentina-Texas Chamber of Commerce + Brazil-Texas Chamber of Commerce + Colombia-Texas Chamber of Commerce invite you to the Pre-OTC Networking Event.</i></p>	<p>Date: April 30, 2017 Time: 6:00 pm Location: Double Tree Hotel Greenway Plaza-“Justin’s Room” Contact: 713-783-9299</p>
Brazil-Texas Chamber of Commerce: Monday Cocktail Reception 2017	<p><i>Join BRATECC for a special evening. We are offering a cocktail reception in honor of Minister of Mines and Energy of Brazil, Min. Fernando Coelho Filho and special guests: Pedro Parete (CEO of Petrobras), Kenneth Hyatt (Acting Under Secretary for International Trade at USDC), Amb. Alfredo Camargo (Consul General of Brazil in Houston) and Amb. P. Michael McKinley (US Ambassador in Brazil).</i></p>	<p>Date: May 1, 2017 Time: 5:30 am Location: The St. Regis Houston-Ballroom Contact: 713-783-9299</p>

<p>The Houston-Abu Dhabi Sister City Association: 2017 HASCA Kick-Off Breakfast Honoring UAE Delegates to OTC</p>	<p><i>The Houston-Abu Dhabi Sister City Association 2017 Kick-Off Breakfast Honoring The United Emirates Delegation to OTC</i></p>	<p>Date: May 1, 2017 Time: 7:30 am Location: JW Marriott Hotel Contact: ssharma@sunbeltmedical.com</p>
<p>Export Import Bank Houston: Offshore Technology Conference 2017</p>	<p><i>The Offshore Technology Conference (OTC) is where energy professionals meet to exchange ideas and opinions to advance scientific and technical knowledge for offshore resources and environmental matters. OTC is the largest event in the world for the oil and gas industry featuring more than 2,300 exhibitors, and attendees representing 100 countries.</i></p>	<p>Date: May 1, 2017 Time: 8:00 am Location: Houston, TX Contact: 800-565-3946</p>
<p>The Colombia Texas Chamber of Commerce: IV Deepwater & Unconventional E&P In Colombia Forum</p>	<p><i>Join The Colombia Texas Chamber of Commerce in a Forum where international Oil and Gas experts and government officials will discuss why you should be looking at Colombia for both deepwater and unconventional business opportunities, learn about recent changes to regulations, permits and incentives for offshore free zones, seismic activities and discoveries, new multinational operators opening subsidiaries dedicated to offshore.</i></p>	<p>Date: May 1, 2017 Time: 8:00 am Location: Crowne Plaza Hotel Contact: 713-936-9083</p>
<p>Norwegian Delegation Breakfast Seminar</p>	<p><i>Join the Norwegian Delegation for a seminar on the effect of ongoing M&A – both among the oil companies and service companies.</i></p>	<p>Date: May 1, 2017 Time: 8:00 am Location: Hyatt Regency Contact: Email through Eventbrite.com</p>
<p>World Energy Cities Partnership: Sustainability vs. Rising Energy Demand: Local Solutions to a Global Issue</p>	<p><i>Join the World Energy Cities Partnership as it convenes a diverse panel of experts and corporate executives to explore how local leaders are addressing growing pressures to deliver cleaner, safer and more reliable energy in the context of globally rising demand.</i></p>	<p>Date: May 1, 2017 Time: 9:00 am Location: Partnership Tower Contact: 832-393-0829</p>

British-American Business Council: Networking at the UK National Pavilion

Join the British-American Business Council for a networking event at the NRG Center. Please bring your business card to register and attend.

Date: May 1, 2017
Time: 3:30pm
Location: NRG Center
Contact: 832-351-3940

British-American Business Council: Multinational Monday-Launching 2017 OTC Week

OTC attendees are cordially invited to a gathering of global energy professionals on Monday, May 1, 2017 as we celebrate the launch of the 2017 Offshore Technology Conference.

Date: May 1, 2017
Time: 6:00 pm
Location: Hyatt Regency (Galleria)
Contact: schattle@dealfirm.com

Bilateral US Arab-Chamber of Commerce: 20th Annual Insight to MENA at OTC Welcome Reception

This year's 20th anniversary milestone reception will honor previous Houston Mayors. The Honorable Lee P. Brown, The Honorable Bill White and the Honorable Annise Parker as co-recipients of the 20th Anniversary Visionary Leadership Award in appreciation of their dedication to the City of Houston and their successful cultivation of fruitful U.S.-MENA relations. Guests include NOC/IOC Chairmen and CEOs, Foreign Ministers, U.S. and Foreign Ambassadors, Fortune 500 executives, among other notable public and private sector leadership and industry stakeholders.

Date: May 1, 2017
Time: 6:30 pm
Location: Houston, TX.
Further location details will be provided upon completed registration online
Contact: programs@bilateralchamber.org

M & O Networking Night

The perfect opportunity for Oil & Gas professionals to make new business contacts and develop valuable partnerships in an informal setting is here. M&O Networking Nights is taking place after exhibition hours during OTC in Houston. Don't miss out on this opportunity!

Date: May 1, 2017
Time: 7:00 pm
Location: Bar & Restaurant "The West End"
Contact: Email through [Eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com)

<p>British-American Business Council: #OIL17: New World Order</p>	<p><i>From the economics to employment, regions to diversification, Energy Voice examines the new world order of oil at this year's Offshore Technology Conference (OTC) breakfast as we gather the sector experts to discuss what and where next. An expert panel will debate and discuss the research findings at a free breakfast.</i></p>	<p>Date: May 2, 2017 Time: 7:00 am Location: Hilton Houston Post Oak Contact: 832-351-3940</p>
<p>Energy Voice: 3rd Annual OTC Panel Debate Breakfast</p>	<p><i>This year's OTC panel includes Regina Mayor, KPMG's global sector head of oil and gas and the US national sector lead of energy and natural resources; Patrick Jankowski the senior vice president of research and regional economist for the Greater Houston Partnerships; Paul Latiolais, the director of the Center for Innovation, Commercialization and Entrepreneurship at Lamar University in Texas; Jim Milne CBE, the chief executive of Balmoral Group and Philip Rodney, Burness Paull's chairman.</i></p>	<p>Date: May 2, 2017 Time: 7:00 am Location: Hilton Post Oak Contact: info@energyvoice.com</p>
<p>Bilateral US-Arab Chamber of Commerce:</p>	<p><i>We invite you to register and now and attend this timely GCC Insight Series: featuring some of the foremost diplomatic, public and private sector expertise on how U.S. companies can gain access to the incredible opportunities this export market represents. In 2016, US companies exported more than \$68 Billion worth of goods and services to the Middle East and more than \$51 Billion (more than 2/3) of that went to the GCC.</i></p>	<p>Date: May 2, 2017 Time: 8:30 am Location: * Location details to be made available upon completed registration Contact: 713-880-8168</p>
<p>Norwegian-American Chamber of Commerce: Annual OTC 2017 Lunch</p>	<p><i>Eric Sirgo, General Manager, Major Capital Projects Chevron Deepwater Exploration and Projects Business Unit will speak about "Chevron's Experience and Position GOM DW"</i></p>	<p>Date: May 2, 2017 Time: 11:30 am Location: The Houstonian Hotel, Club & Spa Contact: 281-537-6879</p>
<p>Bilateral US-Arab Chamber of Commerce</p>	<p><i>The Bilateral Chamber is pleased to invite you to attend a timely, executive briefing, featuring a keynote address by Mustafa Sanalla, Chairman of the National Oil Corporation, Libya, and a special U.S. Stakeholder perspective by Adel Chaouch, Director-Middle East/North Africa, Marathon Oil Corporation.</i></p>	<p>Date: May 2, 2017 Time: 12:00 pm Location: *Location details to be made available upon completed registration</p>

Contact:
programs@bilateralchamber.org

**Houston Technology Center:
Oceanit Technology Showcase
Event**

The USRCC hosts a dinner reception honoring delegations from Russia and Kazakhstan to the Offshore Technology Conference 2016

Date: May 2, 2017
Time: 5:30 pm
Location: Houston Technology Center-Main Campus
Contact: 713-429-4680

**U.S.-Russia Chamber of
Commerce: The 8th Annual
Welcome Reception Honoring
Delegations from Russia and
Kazakhstan Offshore
Technology Conference OTC
2017**

The USRCC is pleased to invite you to our 8th Annual OTC Reception- one of our largest events, attended by oil and gas industry leaders from around the world. The Offshore Technology Conference is the largest oil and gas sector trade show in the world. This conference provides energy professionals the opportunity to meet and exchange ideas and opinions to advance scientific and technical knowledge for offshore resources and environmental matters.

Date: May 2, 2017
Time: 6:00 pm
Location: Hotel ZAZA
Contact: 713-429-4680

**Brazil-Texas Chamber of
Commerce: BRATECC
OFFSHORE 2017 Brazil Oil &
Gas: The New Rules of the Game**

BRATECC will be hosting a convention with representatives from Petrobras, Exxon Mobil and Chevron Brasil.

Date: May 3, 2017
Time: 7:30 am
Location: The Westin Oaks Houston at the Galleria
Contact: contact@braziltexas.org

**Norwegian-American Chamber
of Commerce: 2017 Offshore
Technology Conference**

Join the Norwegian-American Chamber of Commerce in their Annual OTC Dinner ("Norsk Aften") for networking and a buffet style dinner.

Date: May 3, 2017
Time: 9:30 am
Location: River Oaks Country Club
Contact: 281-537-6879

Bilateral U.S.-Arab Chamber of Commerce: The Iraq Dialogue

Fostering Growth in Iraq's Oil & Gas Sector. Breakfast Briefing Hosted by Bracewell and sponsored by Exxon Mobil, Baker Hughes and Schlumberger. We invite you to register for this unique opportunity as T.H. Douglas A. Silliman and H.E. Fareed Yasseen convene to deliver bilateral perspectives on fostering growth in Iraq's energy sector.

Date: May 3, 2017
Time: 11:30 am
Location: Houston, TX
Contact: 713-880-8168

Danish-American Chamber of Commerce Southwest: OTC-Reception "Meet the Danes"

The Danish American Chamber of Commerce Southwest will be hosting an OTC reception "Meet the Danes"

Date: May 3, 2017
Time: 4:00 pm
Location: The Danish National Pavilion Booth #4563
Contact: 713-337-3440

British-American Business Council: Sir Weetman Pearson's Legacy in Mexico's Oil Industry-Photo Exhibit

Weetman Dickinson Pearson, 1st Viscount Cowdray, in full Weetman Dickinson Pearson, 1st Viscount Cowdray of Midhurst, also called (1910-17) Baron Cowdray of Midhurst (born July 15, 1856, Shelley Woodhouse, Yorkshire, England—died May 1, 1927, Dunecht House, Aberdeen, Scotland), British engineer and a developer of the Mexican petroleum industry.

Date: May 3, 2017
Time: 6:00 pm
Location: Williams Tower
Contact: 832-351-3940

U.S. Bilateral African Chamber of Commerce: 6th Annual OTC African Delegation Reception

Join the U.S. Bilateral African Chamber of Commerce in welcoming the African Delegations to the Offshore Technology Conference (OTC 2017). Meet with other energy executives and confer on new emerging energy markets and various developing sectors. Learn how to capitalize on the growth, and profitability of the energy industry in Africa.

Date: May 3, 2017
Time: 6:00 pm
Location: TBA upon paid registration Westheimer Road
Contact: info@usbacc.org

**British-American Business
Council: AACC Energy +
Technology Conference: Back to
the Future**

The Australian American Chamber of Commerce – Houston Chapter is pleased to present the Annual Energy and Technology Conference, to be held on 4 May 2017 in Houston, Texas. For the past decade, the conference has been a focal point of US - Australian business relations, where business and Government leaders have converged to increase co-operation, trade and investment.

Date: May 4, 2017
Time: 8:00 am
Location: Hilton Post Oak
Contact: 832-351-3940

**The Greater Houston
Partnership: State of the City**

The Greater Houston Partnership is pleased to announce that Mayor Sylvester Turner will be giving his State of the City address on Thursday, May 4. This will be Mayor Turner's second address with the Partnership and his first during the 85th Texas Legislative Session.

Date: May 4, 2017
Time: 10:30 am
Location: Marriott Marquis Houston
Contact: 713-844-3682

**Small Business Administration:
5th Ward Business Skills
Workshop - Financing for Small
Businesses**

Join the US Small Business Administration and Wells Fargo for the workshop: Financing for Small Businesses, hosted by the Fifth Ward Community Redevelopment Corporation. This workshop will include information about SBA loans and how they help support your small business. Whether you are getting started or an existing business ready to expand, this Q & A workshop is right for you.

Date: May 4, 2017
Time: 1:30 pm
Location: 3303 Lyons Avenue
Contact: 800-659-2955

**Asia Society Texas Center: A
Conversation with Vijay Iyer**

A remarkably inventive musician who is at home in both the worlds of jazz and contemporary concert music, American pianist and composer Vijay Iyer's originality draws much from his rich Indian heritage. With Radhe Radhe: Rites of Holi, performed by Iyer and the virtuosic International Contemporary Ensemble, Iyer responds to Stravinsky's Rite of Spring with an explosive work of live music and film inspired by the ancient Hindu Holi festival of colors and love celebrated each spring in southern Asia.

Date: May 4, 2017
Time: 7:00 pm
Location: 1370 Southmore Blvd.
Contact: 713-496-9901

**Small Business Administration:
Lender/Borrower Matchmaking
Event**

Join the Houston District Office at the SBA Small Business Lender/Borrower Matchmaking Event hosted by Houston Community College. Representatives from banks and credit unions will be on hand to meet with existing and start-up business owners to discuss funding options. Business owners can: Pitch financing needs to multiple lenders in one-on-one 15 min. sessions. Learn more about lending requirements. Access information on SBA Certification programs and government contracting Access free business counseling through SCORE, Small Business Development Center, & Women's Business Center.

Date: May 5, 2017
Time: 8:30 am
Location: HCC Spring Branch
Contact: Valerie.nguyen@sba.gov

**Houston Symphony: A New
Requiem**

Hear the world premiere of a major work by Houston Symphony Composer-in-Residence Gabriela Lena Frank as she unveils her Conquest Requiem, a multicultural work that interweaves traditional Latin and Meso-American texts with new passages by Pulitzer Prize winner Nilo Cruz. Then discover Shostakovich's thrilling Symphony No. 5, a gripping masterpiece sure to keep you on the edge of your seat.

Date: May 5 & 6, 2017
Time: 8:00 pm
Location: Jones Hall
Contact: 713-224-7575

Japan Festival Houston

Japan Festival Houston celebrates the rich cultural heritage of Japan with traditional and contemporary performances of Japanese music, dance and martial arts, Japanese/Japanese-inspired food, as well as demonstrations and displays of Ikebana flower arrangement, tea ceremony, origami, bonsai and more.

Date: May 6 & 7, 2017
Time: 11:00 am
Location: Hermann Park
Contact: 713-963-0121

Asia Society Texas: Art Tour

Bamboo is characterized by strength, flexibility, and lightness—bending, not breaking, with strong winds, while enduring harsh winters. This exhibition explores the innovative shape bamboo art has taken in Japan since the mid-twentieth century. With rare wall-hung installations and sculptures never before seen in Texas, the exhibition both engages and educates audiences about a vibrant cultural art form.

Date: May 6, 2017
Time: 3:00 pm
Location: 1370 Southmore Blvd.
Contact: 713-496-9901

**Houston Dynamos: Dynamos vs.
Orlando City SC**

*The Houston Dynamo hosting Orlando City match in Downtown
Houston.*

Date: May 6, 2017

Time: 7:30 pm

Location: BBVA Compass Stadium

Contact: info@houstondynamo.com

P.S. The calendar is provided for informational purposes. Please contact the event organizers to register and to confirm date, time, location and any applicable registration fees.