

Pre-tutorial Workshop:  
**Fundamentals of Renewable Project Development**  
**October 2, 2008**  
**San Diego, CA**

Thursday, October 2, 2008:

- 8:00 – 8:05 AM      Introduction by Workshop Chair  
**Dino Barajas**, *Partner*, MORGAN LEWIS & BOCKIUS LLP
- 8:05 - 8:50 AM      **Introduction to Renewable Project Development**  
*This presentation will introduce the key issues in developing renewable projects, including assessing the business case, the roles of the players in project financing and development, permitting requirements and needs, typical development and construction timelines, and interconnection issues.*
- Wayne Song**, *Partner*, MORGAN, LEWIS & BOCKIUS LLP
- 8:50-9:30            **"Wildlife, Waterways and Wrong Turns: Permitting Renewable Energy Projects."**  
*This presentation will examine critical issues and common pitfalls in permitting renewable energy projects, including avoiding unnecessary federal involvement, planning to minimize the necessity for permits and dealing with regulatory bodies.*
- Jeffery R. Becker**, *Attorney*, HOLLAND & HART LLP
- 9:30-10:00 AM      Refreshment Break
- 10:00-10:45 AM    **Working with Equipment Providers—Managing Availability and Construction Schedule Issues**  
*One of the critical issues affecting the development of renewable energy projects is the availability of both equipment such as wind turbines and solar panels, as well as EPC contractors and trade labor. This presentation will provide helpful hints and guidelines for managing equipment availability and construction schedules.*
- Kevin Christy**, *Principal*, HELIOS ENERGY, LLC

10:45-11:30 **Dealing with Interconnection Issues for Renewable Energy Projects**  
*Access and availability of electric transmission continues to impact the development of renewable assets, which are typically located underserved by existing transmission assets. The interconnection of renewable energy assets has been one of FERC's foci, and new rulings may have a major impact on the costs and procedures for connecting these assets to the grid. This presentation will explore the current regulatory situation regarding the interconnection of renewable assets.*

**Jason Ryan**, *Energy Regulatory Group, Global Projects Department*, BAKER BOTTTS L.L.P.

11:30-1:00 PM Lunch Break