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New Reactors Track

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Monday August 15, 2011  (Keynote Speaker: John Rowe, CEO Exelon)

- Session 1: Plans, experience and challenges with NRC regional and headquarters inspection of new reactor construction (Laura Dudes and John Tappart, NRC; Charles Pierce, Westinghouse; Tom Houghton, NEI)
- Session 2: Continuation of Session 1 (Jim Moorman, NRC; Russ Bell, NEI; Randy Johnson, SNC)
- Session 3 - Current issues and challenges with licensing new reactors (David Matthews, NRC Office New Reactors Director Licensing, Russ Bell - NEI Director of New Reactors, Mark McBurnett – Nuclear Innovation North America, SVP)

Tuesday August 16, 2011  (Keynote Speaker: James Ellis, CEO INPO)

- Session 1 & 2 - Challenging Status Quo: Will Small Reactors (SMRs) change the nuclear paradigm? Several provocative looks into non-traditional owners/operators, applications and regulatory approaches (Doug.Rosinski, Ogletree, Deakins, Nash, Smoak & Stewart, P.C.; Randy Douet, Entergy (invited)
- Sessions 3 - Lessons Learned and Challenges with Environmental Reviews for Early Site Permits and Combined Licenses (Dave Distel and JT Trembley, Exelon; Jamie Mallon, PSEG)

Wednesday August 17, 2011  (Keynote Speaker: NASA Astronaut Charles Camarda)

- Session 1 - Continuation of Tuesday Session 3
- Special Fukushima Plenary Session: IAEA, NRC, NEI, INPO, and Utility speakers on event lessons learned and actions going forward for the industry

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