

Introductory Remarks: Panel discussion on the state of U. S. and global oil shale development

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Jason Hanson of the Center for the American West at the University of Colorado, Boulder and Justin Birdwell of the United States Geological Survey will moderate a panel discussion on the state of U.S. and global oil shale development. Panel members will include Mitchell Leverette, Chief of the Solid Minerals Division of the U.S. Bureau of Land Management, Samantha Julian, Director of the Utah Office of Energy Development, Mike King, Director of the Colorado Department of Natural Resources, David Abelson, Oil Shale advisor to Western Resource Advocates, Gary Aho of the National Oil Shale Association, Harri Mikk of Enefit, and Jeremy Boak, Director of the Center for Oil Shale Technology and Research. Panel members will have an opportunity for short introductory remarks, followed by a few questions to the panel or individual members of the panel. The discussion will then be opened up to questions from the floor.