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Speakers:
Kevin Harun, Arctic Program Director
Pacific Environment
Jed Hamilton, Senior Arctic Consultant
ExxonMobil Upstream Research Company
Bob Reiss, American author and consultant on Arctic issues
Peter Van Tuyn, Managing Partner
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Richard Haut, Director of Energy Production at the Houston Advanced Research Center

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Marvin Odum, President Shell Oil Company, Upstream Americas Director
H. Leighton Steward, geologist, environmentalist, author, and retired energy industry executive

Moderated by:
Dave Fehling, Energy and Environment Reporter for Houston Public Media

Media Coverage:
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Ken Laberteaux, senior principal scientist
Toyota Research Institute-North America.
Joshua L. Schank, chief innovation officer
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