

The Mexican Energy Reformation: President Peña Nieto's Election and the Future of Mexican Energy Politics

Friday, September 14

9-10 am

Location: CEMO 109



Join UH's Center for International and Comparative Studies (CICS) and the World Affairs Council of Houston in welcoming Dr. Duncan Wood for a discussion on Mexico's energy future!

President-elect Enrique Peña Nieto promises progress on energy policy, including a full-scale reform that would allow the state-owned petroleum company, Pemex, to follow a business model similar to Petrobras. However, the constitutional state ownership of natural resources will make congressional politics very important in the reformation. Will Mr. Peña Nieto be able to deliver meaningful reforms on Pemex? How will these reforms move forward?

Dr. Duncan Wood is the director of the International Relations Program and the Canadian Studies Program at the Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM) in Mexico City. His research focuses on Mexican and Latin American energy policy, North American relations, and banking supervision and the political economy of international finance.

Coffee and Donuts will be provided!!!!

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