

# GUEST SPEAKERS

## Texas Environmental Law Roundtable

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### Clarise Ashworth

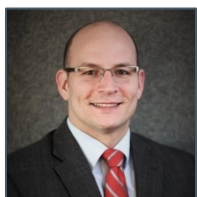
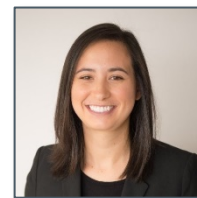
*Managing Attorney-Environmental, Health, Safety & Regulatory, Chesapeake Energy*

Clarise Ashworth joined Chesapeake Energy as a Regulatory Attorney in 2013. Her current role is Managing Counsel for the Environmental, Health, Safety and Regulatory legal group. The EHS & Regulatory legal team provides specialized legal counsel to all levels of the corporation, and handles litigation and non-litigation matters involving environmental, health, safety and regulatory matters. Clarise served as in-house lead on *Sierra Club v. Chesapeake Operating, LLC.*, a RCRA citizen suit case filed in the United States District Court for the Western District of Oklahoma in 2016.

### Julia Luongo

*Managing Consultant, Air Quality, Ramboll*

Dr. Julia Luongo holds a Ph.D. in mechanical engineering with a focus in air quality. She is the head of Ramboll's air quality microsensor initiative, and is also a digitalization and innovation ambassador within the company. Her areas of expertise include indoor air quality assessments, review and evaluation of ambient air monitoring and sensor technologies, air dispersion modeling, and health risk assessments. Dr. Luongo has managed projects in litigation, regulatory compliance and air permitting, monitoring technology assessments and reviews, and has assisted clients in regional (California Air District), state (CARB, CEC, CEQA) and federal regulatory frameworks.



### James Murdock

*Assistant Regional Counsel, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 6*

James Murdock is an enforcement attorney for EPA Region 6 in Dallas and will soon begin a detail as Deputy Regional Counsel for Enforcement. James primarily handles CAA § 112(r) and RCRA cases. Before joining EPA in 2015, James was the chief deputy prosecutor for a county attorney's office in Idaho. A native Texan, James received his law degree from the University of Pittsburgh.

### Craig Pritzlaff

*Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General of Texas, Environmental Protection Division*

Craig currently serves as Deputy Chief of Litigation for the Division. Craig's legal experience is supplemented by his prior professional experience as a scientist and regulator with state, local, and federal agencies, including the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (wherein Craig was selected as Employee of the Year in 1998), the City of Austin, the U.S. Department of Energy, and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Before moving back to Austin, Craig was in private practice in the Dallas-Fort Worth area. Craig also taught Introduction to Environmental Law and Litigation at Texas Christian University (TCU) and was a Commissioner on the Planning and Zoning Commission in Coppell, Texas. Craig is a graduate of Texas A&M University (Bioenvironmental Sciences) and Southern Methodist University, Dedman School of Law. When he's not busy practicing law, he enjoys hanging around another type of court—basketball—primarily coaching and watching his boys' basketball teams, all the while trying to find quiet time to watch a movie with his wife.

