Day 1 – November 18, 2014

7:30 Registration & Breakfast

8:00 Symposium Welcome by Isaac Maya, Director of Research, CREATE, USC

8:10 Welcome and Introduction by Dr. Matt Clark, Director, Office of University Programs

8:15 - 8:45 Keynote: Vice Admiral Charles Michel, Deputy Commandant for Operations, USCG

8:45 - 9:45 Expert Panel: High Latitude Chokepoints and Vulnerabilities [Bering Strait (US/Russia), North Sea Route (Russia), Inside Passage (Canada), Polar Chokepoints]
Moderator: Dr. Derek Reveron, Director of Security Strategies, Naval War College
- Captain David (Duke) Snider, Senior Vice President, The Nautical Institute, and CEO and Principal Consultant, Martech Polar Consulting Ltd.
- Dr. Helena Wisniewski, Vice Provost for Research and Graduate Studies, Dean of the Graduate School, University of Alaska Anchorage
- Commander Ken Boda, Executive Officer, USCGC POLAR STAR

9:45 – 10:15 Long Demo and Networking Break

10:15 - 10:30 Innovation Talk: “Maritime Risk – A View from the Ports”, Cosmo Perrone, Principal, Cosmo Perrone & Associates, former Director of Security for the Port of Long Beach

10:30 - 10:45 Plenary: Vice Admiral Charles Ray, Commander, Coast Guard Pacific Area, USCG

10:45 - 11:45 Expert Panel: Global Maritime Transport / Supply Chain Security
Moderator: Captain Bruce Clark, Director, Maritime Security Projects, California Maritime Academy
- Paul Londynsky, Matson Navigation Company
- Bill Nickson, Transmarine Navigation Corporation
- Kevin Krick, American President Lines

11:45 – 12:45 Lunch, Demos and Keynote: Threats to Maritime Chokepoints, Norman Polmar, internationally known analyst, consultant, and award-winning author specializing in the naval, aviation, and intelligence areas [Introduction by CAPT Ed Westfall, CO, CGC BOUTWELL]

12:45 – 1:00 Break, Demos and Book Signing: Book (1) Project Azorian and (2) Ship of Gold

1:00 - 2:00 Expert Panel: Maritime Economic and Insurance Risk Impacts
Moderator: Commander Holly Harrison, National Security Affairs Fellow, Hoover Institute, Stanford
- CAPT Michael Bee, Deputy Director, National Maritime Intelligence-Integration Office (NMIO)
- Dr. Adam Rose, USC, CREATE
- CAPT Richard Timme, Commander, Sector Ohio Valley
- William H. Watson, Vice President & Governor, Maritime Security Council
Optional Marine Exchange Tour: Captain Louttit of the Marine Exchange (MX) has offered MRS attendees a visit and tours of the MX and Vessel Traffic System (VTS) after the Symposium adjourns. Map included in your registration materials. Additional info in eBook.