

Harold Flanagan

Harold Flanagan's practice covers transactional matters and litigation in the contexts of oil and gas production, maritime operations, construction, casualty, and products liability. He leverages his practical and teaching experience to counsel clients regarding their contractual risk programs. Mr. Flanagan is frequently associated by other law firms to assist in litigating the insurance aspects of large casualty claims.

He has extensive experience in contract drafting for oil and gas producers, including drilling contracts, master service agreements, joint operating agreements, vessel charters, and U.S. Customs/Jones Act compliance.

In the area of construction law, Mr. Flanagan drafts and negotiates contracts and litigates construction disputes for contractors and property owners.

With respect to litigation, he is frequently called upon to investigate casualties and advises clients on matters involving well blowouts, drilling rig and vessel accidents, and other oilfield tort claims.

Mr. Flanagan graduated from Loyola University with B.S. in Business Management in 1984, and from the Loyola School of Law in 1995, *cum laude*. He was a member of the *Loyola Law Review*. For the past eighteen years, he has taught insurance law at Tulane Law School. His outstanding service to the school was recognized when he was awarded the Monte M. Lemann Distinguished Teaching Award in 2003 and 2010. He is a frequent lecturer and author in the areas of oil and gas law, construction contracts and litigation, and insurance coverage.

Mr. Flanagan enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps in 1985 and retired at the rank of colonel after 26 years of service, including overseas service in Operation Enduring Freedom.