

The Energy Opportunity

September 10, 2015 at 6 PM Boston, MA

Following the dislocation in energy over the last year, there has been widespread agreement that lower prices lay ahead. What does this mean going forward? We argue this makes the opportunity set for investing attractive on both the long and short side. Our conversation will be led by Dan Rice and Greg LeBlanc, two very senior investors in the energy space. Join us for a very timely discussion as we debate the current landscape as well as long term and short term implications to the energy space.

Participants

Gregory LeBlanc, CFA, Wellington Management **Dan Rice**, GRT Capital Partners **Scott Mackey, CPA**, *Moderator*, MacGladrey

Event Details

Date: September 10, 2015 **Time:** 5:30 PM Registration.

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Host: McGladrey

Location: 80 City Square, Charlestown, Boston, MA 02129 - Directions

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Biographies

Gregory LeBlanc, CFA, Portfolio Manager, Wellington Management

Greg is responsible for managing energy and commodity portfolios for institutional investors worldwide. He is portfolio manager for long-only institutional accounts in the energy sector, responsible for managing energy subportfolios in the firm's research-based investment accounts, and portfolio manager of an energy hedge fund. In addition he is a co-portfolio manager for several commodity portfolios.

Prior to his current role, Greg was an equity team analyst, working on the long-only and hedge fund accounts dedicated to the energy sector, where he gained expertise in the oil and gas investing (1998). He joined Wellington Management in 1995 as a trade administrator on the US Equity Trading Desk. Prior to joining the firm, Greg worked at State Street Bank & Trust as a manager of Custody and Accounting Operations (1992 - 1995).

Greg received his BA in economics from Bates College (1992). He also holds the Chartered Financial Analyst designation

Dan Rice, Portfolio Manager, GRT Capital Partners

Daniel J. Rice III is a Portfolio Manager and leads the Energy Team in the firm. He is primarily involved in the management of accounts that follow the Energy strategies and has been involved with investment management and research since 1979. He joined the Investment Manager in December, 2012. From 2005 to 2012 he was a Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. and was a portfolio manager of the BlackRock All-Cap Energy & Resources Portfolio and the BlackRock Energy & Resources Portfolio. The two portfolios had combined assets of over \$1.9 billion as of March 31, 2012 and were managed by a team of portfolio managers responsible for the day-to-day management of the portfolios. At BlackRock, Inc., Mr. Rice was also responsible for the management of other pooled investment vehicles and accounts with an aggregate value of more than \$2.5 billion. From 1990 to 2005, he was a Senior Vice President of State Street Research & Management Company where he also managed mutual fund and other institutional assets.

Dan holds a BS from Bates College (1973) and an MBA from New York University (1975). In addition, he is a Director of Rice Energy, Inc.

Scott Mackey, CPA, Partner, McGladrey

Scott is a partner and leader of the Financial Services practice in New England. He is responsible for all aspects of our delivery of assurance, taxation, risk advisory and IT consulting services to the New England asset management and financial services sector.

Scott brings more than 17 years of public accounting experience to McGladrey. He has extensive experience across the financial services and asset management industry, having served both the alternative investment space, including hedge fund, private equity and fund of fund complexes, where he gained exposure to hard to value securities and complex financial instruments, registered investment vehicles including mutual funds and broker-dealers. In addition, Scott has significant insights on operational and regulatory issues facing asset managers through the performance of internal control reports, such as Soc1 and Chief Compliance Officer reports, as well as advisory and risk management projects.

Prior to McGladrey, Scott spent 9 years in Ernst & Young's (E&Y) asset management practice, performing a wide array of services to their alternative investment, registered investment company, custodial banking and broker-dealer clients. Prior to E&Y, he was a manager at Arthur Andersen.

He earned his MS in accounting from the University of Massachusetts and he earned his BS in accounting from University of Tasmania, Australia.



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