

Charlie Papavizas Chairs Crude by Water Summit

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Winston & Strawn partner Charlie Papavizas, based in the firm's Washington, D.C. office, served as the Summit Chair at Infocast's [Crude by Water Summit](#) on January 14-15, 2015, in Houston. Each day, Mr. Papavizas shared opening remarks before panels and presentations commenced.

As the U.S. crude oil production continues, the flexibility of moving crude by water, especially as a complement to rail, is creating a paradigm shift in the movement of domestic crude around the country. The Crude by Water Summit provides a forum for stakeholders to assess options and markets and develop cost-effective strategies for moving crude to end markets. Presentations included:

- Jones Act Reform: How likely is it and what will it mean?
- Changing Markets: Overview of U.S. domestic water routes for crude
- The Ins and Outs of the Jones Act Tanker Market

Mr. Papavizas chairs the firm's maritime and admiralty practice. He focuses his practice on administrative, legislative, and corporate matters, primarily in the maritime industry.

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