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The Editorial Board for the *Oil and Gas, Natural Resources, and Energy Journal* ("ONE J") is proud to present the fourth issue in volume 4. In this issue, several scholars, who all presented at the second annual ONE J symposium this past spring, have allowed us to publish papers on their presentations. Of course, this issue also includes summaries of recent cases relevant to Oil and gas, Natural Resources, and Energy sectors.

The first paper in this issue is authored by Dena Adler. Ms. Adler is currently a Climate Law Fellow at the Columbia Law School Sabin Center for Climate Change Law. In her paper, *Turning the Tide in Coastal and Riverine Energy Infrastructure Adaptation: Can an Emerging Wave of Litigation Advance Preparation for Climate Change?*, Ms. Adler addresses the legal obligations that could be placed on energy infrastructure owners in the context of climate change.

The second paper in this issue is written by Professor Joshua Galperin. Professor Galperin is a Visiting Associate Professor of Law at the University of Pittsburgh School of Law and the Special Advisor to the Environmental Law and Policy Program at the Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies. Before joining the faculty at the University of Pittsburgh School of Law, Professor Galperin was the Director of the environmental Protection Clinic, Lecturer in Law, and a Research Scholar at Yale Law School. In his paper, *Pennsylvania Gas: Trusts, Takings, and Judicial Temperaments*, Professor Galperin re-examines cases such as *Pennsylvania Coal Company v. Mahon* in the context of judicial temperament, analytical reasoning, and policy outcomes.

The third paper in this issue is written by Dr. Joshua Rhodes. Dr. Rhodes is a Postdoctoral Research Fellow in the Webber Energy Group at the Energy Institute at the University of Texas at Austin. In his paper, *The State of the US Energy Sector*, Dr. Rhodes discusses the fluidity of our energy sectors in the context of factors such as changing energy prices, electricity generation, and the cost of renewable energy.

The final paper appearing in this issue is written by Professor Inara Scott. Professor Scott is an Associate Professor at the Oregon State University College of Business. Before joining the faculty at Oregon State, Professor Scott practiced law in the private sector in the areas of corporate, environmental, energy, and utilities law. In her paper, *Uniting Energy and Environment Law: Focus on Innovation, Creativity, and Economics*, Professor Scott discusses the feasibility of reconciling energy and environmental policies.

Thank you to all the authors for allowing ONE J to publish your symposium papers in this exciting issue. And thank you to the ONE J editorial board and Mr. Michael Waters for all their efforts and expertise to make this issue possible.

In addition to these outstanding papers, ONE J is very proud to announce that our content is now also available on Westlaw. As always, ONE J welcomes all questions, comments, and suggestions about our content. To submit articles, please contact our Submissions Editor, Erica Grayson, at erica.grayson@ou.edu. Finally, please make sure to follow us on Twitter @ONEJ_OULaw for updates and announcements.

Thank you,
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