



changing course

navigating the future of the Lower Mississippi River Delta

meet the competition

In September 2013 the Changing Course Leadership Team released a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) seeking teams for a design competition that will create innovative visions for the Lower Mississippi River Delta and thus a more sustainable future for one of America's greatest natural resources. The response from private sector firms

from Louisiana, the United States and abroad was outstanding, bridging strong regional expertise with innovative ideas from Deltas around the world. Teams included a vast array of expertise, including the top engineering firms in the world, oyster specialists, landscape architects, navigation experts and much more.

STRONG PARTNERSHIPS

21

TEAMS WITH AN AVERAGE OF

25

TEAM MEMBERS

WIDESPREAD PARTICIPATION

528

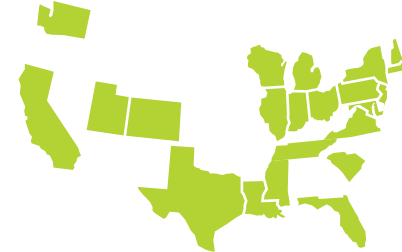
EXPERTS FROM

137

COMPANIES AND INSTITUTIONS



AMERICAN KNOW-HOW

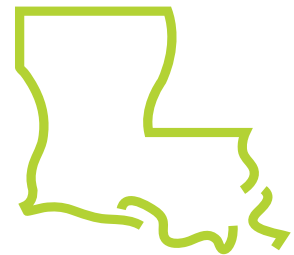


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U.S. STATES

47

FIRMS FROM TEN DIFFERENT CITIES IN LOUISIANA



96

FIELDS OF EXPERTISE

- Admiralty Law Advisor
- Aquatic Ecology
- Bioengineering
- Catastrophic Recovery and Geotechnics
- Civil Engineering
- Climate Adaptation
- Coastal Engineering
- Coastal Geology
- Coastal Habitat Design
- Coastal Management
- Coastal Morphology
- Coastal Processes and Morphology
- Coastal Science
- Community Development
- Community Outreach
- Community Planning
- Computational Fluid Dynamics
- Delta Sedimentology
- Disaster Recovery
- Dredging
- Ecological Environmental Impact
- Ecological Evaluation
- Ecological Science
- Ecology
- Economics
- Ecosystems & Adaptation
- Energy Advisor
- Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Environmental Impacts
- Environmental Law
- Environmental Management
- Environmental Planning
- Fisheries
- Flood Management
- Flood Protection
- Flood Risk and Flood Management
- Fluvial Geomorphology
- Geographic Information Systems
- Geological Engineering
- Geology
- Geomorphology
- Geoscience Investigations
- Geotechnical Engineering
- Geotechnical Science
- Hydrodynamic Modeling
- Hydrologic Engineering
- Hydrology
- Infrastructure Planning
- Land Surveyor
- Landscape Architecture
- Landscape Planning
- Local Policy and Socio-economic analysis
- Marine Systems
- Maritime Engineer
- Master Planning
- Navigation
- Navigation and Dredging Specialist
- Navigation Economics
- Oyster Specialist
- Planning
- Port Operations Advisor
- Ports and Maritime Economic Advisor
- Public Engagement
- Public Outreach
- Public Relations
- Quality Assurance/Quality Control
- Regional Planning
- Resource Economics
- Risk Assessment
- River Engineering
- River Geomorphology
- River morphology
- River structures
- Riverine Hydraulics
- Rivers and Coastal Morphology
- Sediment Transport
- Sedimentation
- Shipping
- Socio-Economic Impact Assessment
- Socio-Economic Planning
- Socio-Economic Sustainability
- Socio-Economics Analysis
- Stakeholder Facilitation
- Strategic Planning
- Structured Decision Making
- Sustainability Financing
- Systems Integration
- Transportation Planning
- Transportation Strategy
- Urban Design
- Urban Planning
- Urban Water Management
- Water Quality
- Water Resources Law and Policy
- Wetlands Ecology

INTERNATIONAL KNOWLEDGE

6

COUNTRIES OUTSIDE THE U.S.



CANADA



BRAZIL



THE UK



GERMANY



THE NETHERLANDS



DENMARK

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

TEAMS WITH DIRECT EXPERIENCE SHAPING

14

OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST DELTAS

21

FIRMS FROM THE NETHERLANDS

WORLD-RENOWNED ENGINEERS

5

OF THE TOP

10

DESIGN ENGINEERING FIRMS*

5

OF THE TOP

10

GREEN DESIGN FIRMS*

6

OF THE TOP

10

GLOBAL DESIGN FIRMS*

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