



**The Loker Hydrocarbon Research Institute
and the USC Dana and David Dornsife
College of Letters, Arts and Sciences**

Invite you to the

**Sixteenth Annual Carl M. Franklin Lecture
on Science and Society**

(Emphasizing Interrelationships of Technology, Humanities, Arts, Economics, and Law)

Speaker

Michael J. Ahearn

The Solar Energy Industry – Looking Backward and Forward

Mike Ahearn, the founder, former CEO and current Chairman of First Solar, a pioneer of the modern solar industry and one of the world's largest solar energy providers, shares his perspectives on the evolution of the solar energy industry from a nascent, fragmented set of demonstration projects to a multi-billion dollar global industry on the cusp of mainstream adoption.

Friday, March 8, 2019

Refreshments: 3:30 p.m.

Lecture: 4:00 p.m.

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