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Hector Pineda holds the position of Associate General Counsel – Unconventionals for Shell's Upstream Americas organization. As Associate General Counsel, Hector has supervisory responsibility for the attorneys and support staff who provide legal services to Shell's onshore tight sand/shale oil and gas exploration, production and operations business in the Western Hemisphere. In his 20 years with Shell's legal department, Hector has supported major Upstream and Downstream business segments in the United States, The Netherlands, Nigeria, Pakistan and Malaysia. Prior to his most recent position, Hector managed Shell's Corporate Secretary's Office in Houston, responsible for supporting the governance of Shell legal entities in the United States. Hector served as a member of the International Commerce Committee for the Houston Hispanic Chamber of Commerce and was recognized by the Chamber as its 2013 Hispanic Male Executive of the Year. He also serves as a Director and Secretary of the board of Healthcare for the Homeless - Houston, a charitable organization providing comprehensive medical services to Houston's homeless population. Hector was recently selected as a Director of the Texas Lyceum. While he has lived near Houston for most of the last 20 years, Hector is a native of New Orleans and obtained his undergraduate degree from Louisiana State University and law degree from Tulane University Law School.