

# Conference Agenda

February 3-5, 2010  
 JW Marriott  
 New Orleans, LA



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| Track 1 | Carless & Vulnerable Populations (V) |
| Track 2 | Evacuation Modeling (M)              |
| Track 3 | Communication & Behavior (C)         |
| Track 4 | Policy (P)                           |
| Track 5 | Animals (A)                          |
| Track 6 | Nuclear (N)                          |
|         | Info Sessions (S)                    |
|         | General Sessions (G)                 |

All conference events will be held on the third floor of the JW Marriott.

## Wednesday, February 3, 2010

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| 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm | Registration  |
| 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm | <p>Welcome Reception hosted by AARP<br/>                 Welcome Remarks: Nancy McPherson, AARP<br/>                 Introduction by John Renne, University of New Orleans; Tom Anderson, Stephenson Disaster Management Institute; Brian Wolshon, Gulf Coast Center for Evacuation and Transportation Resiliency</p> |

## Thursday, February 4, 2010

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| 8:00 am - 9:00 am | <p>Opening Plenary Session<br/>                 Welcome Remarks: John Renne, University of New Orleans<br/>                 Welcome Remarks: Chancellor Michael V. Martin, Louisiana State University<br/>                 Welcome Remarks: Susan E. Krantz, Dean, College of Liberal Arts, University of New Orleans<br/>                 Tony Russell, FEMA Region VI Administrator;<br/>                 Richard Devylder, Special Advisor to the Secretary for the California Emergency Management Agency;<br/>                 Jim Schwab, Senior Research Associate and Manager of APA Hazards Planning Research Center</p> |
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| 9:00 am - 9:15 am   | Break   |  |   |   |   |
| 9:15 am - 10:30 am  | <p><b>Setting the Stage: Evacuation Planning for Carless and Vulnerable Populations</b></p> <p><b>Room: Orleans</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1V1</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Robert Fogerty, Evangeline Franklin, Gary Gleason, John Renne<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>John Renne</p> | <p><b>Modeling and Logistics for Evacuation Management</b></p> <p><b>Room: Conde</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1V2</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Jon Carnegie, Jaydeep Chaudhari, Raju Gottumukkala, Justin Krometis<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Jon Carnegie</p> | <p><b>Decision Support Tools</b></p> <p><b>Room: Frontenac</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1M1</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Rick Darnell, Kalyan Perumalla, Jeff Wojtowicz, Yichun Xie<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>William Wallace</p>        | <p><b>Modeling Household Decision Making Transit and Carless</b></p> <p><b>Room: Maurepas</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1M2</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Chi-Pak Chan, Jeffrey Czajkowski, Susan Thomas<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Mike Robinson</p>           | <p><b>Info Session: Nuclear Power Plants ETE</b></p> <p><b>Room: St. Jerome</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1S1</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Intro by Randy Sullivan, Joe Jones, Brian Wolshon, Jeff Laughlin<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Robert Kahler</p> |
| 10:30 am - 10:45 am | Break   |  |   |   |   |
| 10:45 am - 12:00 pm | <p><b>Creating an Inclusionary Planning Process for Vulnerable Populations</b></p> <p><b>Room: Maurepas</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1V3</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Linda Carter, Michael Orfitelli, Christy Wilhite<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Jon Bushnell</p>                    | <p><b>Regional Modeling</b></p> <p><b>Room: Orleans</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1M3</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Vinayak Dixit, Hubert Ley, Brian Wolshon<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Debbie Matherly</p>  | <p><b>Human Behavior Under Threat</b></p> <p><b>Room: Frontenac</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1C1</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Hugh Gladwin, Mike Robinson, Virginia Sisiopiku, Henry Sullivan<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Betty Morrow</p> | <p><b>Nexus Between Protective Actions and the Evacuation Time Estimate</b></p> <p><b>Room: Conde</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1N1</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Robert Kahler, Patricia Milligan, Randy Sullivan<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Robert Kahler</p> | <p><b>Info Session: Lessons Learned Information Sharing (LLIS.gov)</b></p> <p><b>Room: St. Jerome</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1S2</b></p> <p><b>Panel Member:</b><br/>Jennifer Smither</p>  |

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| 12:00 pm - 12:15 pm | Break   |  |  |  |  |
| 12:15 pm - 1:30 pm  | <p>Lunch Plenary Session: Federal Role in Evacuation</p> <p>Welcome Remarks: Laurel Radow, Federal Highway Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation</p> <p>Rear Admiral Mary E. Landry, Commander of the Eighth Coast Guard District</p> <p>Introduction by Eli Jones, Dean, E. J. Ourso College of Business, Louisiana State University</p>   |  |  |  |  |
| 1:30 pm - 1:45 pm   | Break   |  |  |  |  |
| 1:45 pm - 3:00 pm   | <p><b>Women, Latinos and Immigrant Populations</b></p> <p><b>Room: St. Jerome</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1V4</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>David Calkins,<br/>George Haddow,<br/>Konane Martinez,<br/>Henry Sullivan<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>George Haddow</p>  | <p><b>Control</b></p> <p><b>Room: Conde</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1M4</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Darrell Borchardt,<br/>Samer Hamdar,<br/>Russell Henk,<br/>Virginia Sisiopiku<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Vinayak Dixit</p> | <p><b>Improving Policy and Planning through Behavioral Assessment</b></p> <p><b>Room: Frontenac</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1P1</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Thomas Cova,<br/>Ravindra Gudishala,<br/>Princess Jackson,<br/>Fotini Walton<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Betty Morrow</p> | <p><b>Nontraditional Evacuation Issues: The Impact of Animals on Evacuation Management</b></p> <p><b>Room: Maurepas</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1A1</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Beth Adcock, Becky Adcock, Dan DeSousa, Rebecca McConnico, Renee Poirrier<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Rebecca McConnico</p> | <p><b>Info Session: National Commission on Children and Disasters &amp; National Council on Disability</b></p> <p><b>Room: Orleans</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D1S3</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Bruce Lockwood,<br/>Commission on Children and Disasters;<br/>Pat Pound and Martin Gould,<br/>National Council on Disability<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Joanne Moreau</p> |
| 3:00 pm - 3:15 pm   | Break   |  |  |  |  |
| 3:15 pm - 4:15 pm   | <p>Plenary Session: Interstate Cooperation in Evacuations</p> <p>Mark Cooper, Director, Louisiana Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness;<br/>Brock Long, Director, Alabama Emergency Management Agency;<br/>Jack Colley, Assistant Director, Texas Department of Emergency Management</p> <p>Introduction by Tom Anderson, Interim Executive Director, Stephenson Disaster Management Institute</p> |  |  |  |  |

**Friday, February 5, 2010**

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| 8:00 am - 8:30 am   | <p>Plenary Session<br/>General Russel Honoré<br/>Retired Lieutenant General</p>   |   |  |   |   |
| 8:30 am - 9:30 am   | <p>Plenary Session: Workshop on City Assisted Evacuation Plan<br/>Shirley Laska, University of New Orleans;<br/>Col. Jerry Sneed, New Orleans Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness;<br/>Pamela Jenkins, University of New Orleans;<br/>John Kiefer, University of New Orleans;<br/>Howard Rodgers, Executive Director, The New Orleans Council on Aging<br/>Introduction by John Renne, Director, University of New Orleans Transportation Center</p> |   |  |   |   |
| 9:30 am - 9:45 am   | <p>Break</p>  |   |  |   |   |
| 9:45 am - 11:00 am  | <p><b>A Multimodal Approach to Evacuating Carless and Vulnerable Populations</b></p> <p><b>Room: Conde</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D2V5</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Jon Bushnell,<br/>Jaydeep Chaudhari,<br/>Stephen Robertson<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Tom Sanchez</p>  | <p><b>Specific Needs: Mobile Home Park Residents and Persons with Disabilities</b></p> <p><b>Room: Frontenac</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D2V6</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Brian Gerber,<br/>Maggie Kusenbach<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Dennis Zaenger</p> | <p><b>Planning</b></p> <p><b>Room: Maurepas</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D2M5</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Lesia Dickson, Pat Fitzpatrick, Haldun Karan<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Xuwei Chen</p> | <p><b>Simulation</b></p> <p><b>Room: St. Jerome</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D2M6</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Carol Lewis, Manuel Rossetti, Feng Wang<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Russell Henk</p> | <p><b>Communicating Risk</b></p> <p><b>Room: Orleans</b><br/><b>Panel Code: D2C2</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/>Jon Carnegie, Betty Morrow, John Sorenson, Robert Stein<br/><b>Moderator:</b><br/>Brian Wolshon</p> |
| 11:00 am - 11:10 am | <p>Break</p>  |   |  |   |   |

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| 11:10 am - 12:10 pm | <p><b>Integrating Access and Functional Needs into Planning</b><br/> <b>Introduction by Brian Gerber, Public Administration Institute, Louisiana State University</b></p> <p><b>Room: Orleans</b></p> <p><b>Panel Code: D2V7</b></p> <p><b>Panel Member:</b> Richard Devylder</p>  |  | <p><b>Info Session: Swedish National Air Medivac – Lessons from Mumbai</b><br/> <b>Introduction by Tom Anderson, Stephenson Disaster Management Institute, Louisiana State University</b></p> <p><b>Room: Maurepas</b></p> <p><b>Panel Code: D2S4</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b> Per-Ake Nilsson, Annika Wallengren<br/> <b>Moderator:</b> Vince Pearce</p> |  |  |
| 12:10 pm - 12:15 pm | Break  |  |   |  |  |
| 12:15 pm - 1:30 pm  | <p>Lunch Plenary Session: Lessons Learned, Lessons to Learn</p> <p>Betty Morrow, Florida International University;<br/> Michael Lindell, Hazard Reduction &amp; Recovery Center, Texas A&amp;M University;<br/> Jay Baker, Florida State University</p> <p>Introduction by Brian Wolshon, Director, Gulf Coast Center for Evacuation and Transportation Resiliency</p> |  |   |  |  |
| 1:30 pm - 1:45 pm   | Break  |  |   |  |  |
| 1:45 pm - 3:00 pm   | <p><b>Planning and Preparedness for Vulnerable Populations and Public Health Concerns</b></p> <p><b>Room: Maurepas</b><br/> <b>Panel Code: D2V8</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/> Richard Bradley, Margaret Fowke, Dennis Zaenger<br/> <b>Moderator:</b><br/> Margaret Fowke</p>   | <p><b>Health and Medical Issues Related to Evacuating Vulnerable Populations</b></p> <p><b>Room: Orleans</b><br/> <b>Panel Code: D2V9</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/> Kirk Barnes, Marirose Bernard, Andrew Curtis, Denise Danna<br/> <b>Moderator:</b><br/> Kirk Barnes</p> | <p><b>Optimization</b></p> <p><b>Room: Conde</b><br/> <b>Panel Code: D2M7</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/> Hossam Abdelgawad, Xuwei Chen, Evangelos Kaisar<br/> <b>Moderator:</b><br/> Brian Wolshon</p>   | <p><b>Simulation in Planning and Pre-Planning</b></p> <p><b>Room: Frontenac</b><br/> <b>Panel Code: D2M8</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/> Mingzhou Jin, Atri Sen, Hana Naghawi<br/> <b>Moderator:</b><br/> Samer Hamdar</p> | <p><b>Lessons Learned, Lessons to Learn for Evacuation Management Policymaking</b></p> <p><b>Room: St. Jerome</b><br/> <b>Panel Code: D2P2</b></p> <p><b>Panel Members:</b><br/> Ezra Boyd, David Heller, Stephen Miller, Brian Usher<br/> <b>Moderator:</b><br/> Martin Gould</p> |