

Agenda

Committee on Applied Research Topics for Hazard Mitigation and Resilience
Workshop 1: Social Capital and Social Connectedness for Resilience
Thursday, February 25, 2021

Objectives: Determine **unmet applied research needs** at the intersection of social capital and connectedness with hazard mitigation and resilience that:

- Are practical, achievable, sustainable solutions that are transferrable, scalable
- Emphasize community-engaged research
- Consider the framing assumptions of: equity; applicability and affordability at a local level; economically feasible and justifiable; and support for resilience education and knowledge transfer.

11:00AM – 11:30AM (all times EST)	Welcome: Charles Branas, <i>Chair, Department of Epidemiology, Columbia University</i> Keynote: Jacqueline Patterson, <i>Director, NAACP Environmental and Climate Justice Program</i>
11:30AM – 12:30PM	<p>Panel 1: Building Resilient Communities from Research</p> <p>Speaker 1: Dr. Jennifer Denno Cissé, <i>Associate Academic Officer, United Nations University Institute for Environment and Human Security</i></p> <p>Speaker 2: Dr. Alonzo Plough, <i>VP, Research-Evaluation-Learning and Chief Science Officer, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation</i></p> <p>Speaker 3: Dr. Michelle Meyer, <i>Director, Hazard Reduction & Recovery Center, Associate Professor of Landscape Architecture and Urban Planning, Texas A&M University</i></p> <p>Speaker 4: Dr. Daniel Aldrich, <i>Director, Security and Resilience Studies Program, and Professor, Political Science and Public Policy, Northeastern University</i></p> <p>Moderator: Charles Branas, <i>Chair, Department of Epidemiology, Columbia University</i></p>
12:45PM – 1:45PM	<p>Panel 2: Local Community and Government Experiences</p> <p>Speaker 1: Leslie Wright, <i>Founder, Collective Clarity</i></p> <p>Speaker 2: Nick Crossley, <i>Director, Hamilton Co OH, Emergency Management and Homeland Security Agency</i></p> <p>Speaker 3: Ron Peters, <i>Owner, Peters Body Shop</i></p> <p>Speaker 4: Brigid Shea, <i>Precinct Two Commissioner, Travis County, Texas</i></p> <p>Moderator: Linda Langston, <i>President, Langston Strategies Group</i></p>
2:00PM – 3:15PM	<p>Panel 3: Using Social Networks to Build Capacity for Resilience</p> <p>Speaker 1: Dr. Jamie Aten, <i>Blanchard Chair of Humanitarian Disaster Leadership, Wheaton College</i></p> <p>Speaker 2: Greta McLain, <i>Owner and Artistic Director, GoodSpace Murals</i></p> <p>Speaker 3: Trace Pickering, <i>Executive Director, Iowa BIG</i></p> <p>Speaker 4: Hannah Vick, <i>Senior Policy Advisor, FEMA</i></p> <p>Speaker 5: Gabriele Almon, <i>Founder Story & Narrative Strategy, Brain & Bullish</i></p> <p>Moderator: Monica Sanders, <i>Associate Professor, University of Delaware; Adjunct Lecturer, Georgetown University</i></p>

3:30PM – 4:15PM

Panel 4: Public and Private Partnerships for Resilience

Speaker 1: Dr. Nidia Martínez, *Director Climate Risk Analytics, Willis Towers Watson*

Speaker 2: Mackenzie Huffman, *Vice President, Sustainability, JPMorgan Chase & Co.*

Speaker 3: Erin Coryell, *Program Officer, Margaret A. Cargill Philanthropies*

Moderator: Mark Abkowitz, *Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Vanderbilt University*

4:30 – 5:00PM

Recap and Closing

Charles Branas, *Chair, Department of Epidemiology, Columbia University*