

Schedule for the 12th Annual Conference

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- Networking Events

	Time	Pecan Tree	Masters Hall	Room YZ	Room J	Room VW	Room TU	
Tuesday, March 20, 2018	8:00							
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1:30	EXHIBITS OPEN	REGISTRATION	Georgia's Flood Risk Mapping Asst. & Planning Program - Haydn Blaize (GADNR)					
1:45				Addressing Floodplain Mitigation Using WHAFIS & HEC-RAS – Jennifer Roach (Thomas & Hutton); Michael Blakely (Chatham County)	NFIP Review Class (Part 1)	Free Data: Unlocking the Flood Risk Database (Part 1)– Jeff Butler (Atkins); Joe Martinenza (GADNR); Nick Turner (Atkins)	Not All Dams are Created Equally – Tom Woosley (GA Safe Dams Prog)	
2:00				Mapping Flood Hazards under Uncertainty through Probabilistic Flood Inundation Maps – Tim Stephens (UGA); Dr. Brian Bledsoe (UGA)	NFIP Review Class (Part 1)	Free Data: Unlocking the Flood Risk Database (Part 1)– Jeff Butler (Atkins); Joe Martinenza (GADNR); Nick Turner (Atkins)	TBA	
2:15					NFIP Review Class (Part 1)	Free Data: Unlocking the Flood Risk Database (Part 1)– Jeff Butler (Atkins); Joe Martinenza (GADNR); Nick Turner (Atkins)	A Look Back at the Kelly Barnes Dam Failure – Tom Woosley (GA Safe Dams Prog)	
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3:00					Coffee Break – Pecan Tree Gallery			
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3:30					When Less is More: Powerful, Low Cost Technology Solutions for Municipal Stormwater- Michael Wayts (Freese)	NFIP Review Class (Part 2)	Free Data: Unlocking the Flood Risk Database (Part 2)– Jeff Butler (Atkins); Joe Martinenza (GADNR); Nick Turner (Atkins)	Leaving Paper and Pencil in the Office - Optimizing Dam and Levee Inspections– Elizabeth Landowski; Daniel Hunter; Samuel Edwards (Gannett Fleming)
3:45					Gwinnett Stormwater Analysis – Integrating Stormwater and Floodplain Mgmt – Michael Williamson (GCDWR); Sam Fleming (Dewberry)	NFIP Review Class (Part 2)	Free Data: Unlocking the Flood Risk Database (Part 2)– Jeff Butler (Atkins); Joe Martinenza (GADNR); Nick Turner (Atkins)	The Effect of Dam Design and Construction on Flood Zones and Public Safety – Brad Boyer (Schnabel)
4:00			Renewal through Creative Stormwater Management: Rodney Cook, Sr. Park – Cory Rayburn (Atlanta)	NFIP Review Class (Part 2)	Free Data: Unlocking the Flood Risk Database (Part 2)– Jeff Butler (Atkins); Joe Martinenza (GADNR); Nick Turner (Atkins)	The Effect of Dam Design and Construction on Flood Zones and Public Safety – Brad Boyer (Schnabel)		
4:15								
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5:00	<p style="font-size: 1.2em; margin: 0;">Meet & Greet Reception at Creature Comforts Brewery in Downtown Athens</p> <p style="font-size: 0.9em; margin: 0;">Buses will shuttle attendees to and from the hotel lobby to the brewery. The buses will run continuously from 5:00 to 7:30. Appetizers and brews will be provided to attendees.</p>							
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8:15	REGISTRATION	Dam Safety Overview- Tom Woosley (GA Safe Dams Program); John Wolfhope (Freese)	Coffee Break – Pecan Tree Gallery				2018 Scott Candler Dams Emergency Action Plan Table Top Exercise– Eric Zgonina; Megan Hanifan (Dewberry)
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9:30			The Stormwater Benefits of High-Performance Urban Trees – Matthew Werle (GreenBlue Urban)	Using GIS and LiDAR for Flood Risk Management: Intro Workshop for GIS Users (Part 1) – Cadie Goulette; Tiona Johnson; Nick Jones; Jim Kilnoski (Dewberry)	Introduction to HEC-RAS 2D Workshop (Part 1) – Patrick Miles; Jamie Joyner (Freese)	Columbia Canal Failure – Wayne King (FERC); Jeff Holloway (FERC)	
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10:30		Living Erosion Pins; Streambank Erosion Rate Asst using Exposed Tree Roots– Bryan Dick (Freese); Ian Jewell (Freese)				TBA	
10:45	EXHIBITS	Lunch– Banquet Hall					Hurricane Joaquin Post-Flooding Dam Asst in SC – Eric Zgonina; Sam Crampton (Dewberry)
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12:00			SWMM(ing) w Poop: Using Bacterial Source Tracking for WIPs – Jill Bazinet (Alpharetta); Sam Fleming; Emma Bones (Dewberry)	Using GIS and LiDAR for Flood Risk Management: Intro Workshop for GIS Users (Part 2) – Cadie Goulette; Tiona Johnson; Nick Jones; Jim Kilnoski (Dewberry)	Introduction to HEC-RAS 2D Workshop (Part 2) – Patrick Miles; Jamie Joyner (Freese)	NFIP Review Class (Part 3)	
12:15							
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1:00	OPEN	Planning SMART(ly): The Sweetwater Creek Approach- Megan Hanifan (Dewberry); Dean Trawick (USACE); Bill Higgins (Cobb SWM)					
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2:00		Trapped! Providing Neighborhood Access for Royal Oaks Subdivision during Flood Emergencies – Randy Strunk (Columbia); Mark Lawrence (GCDWR)					
2:15	Coffee Break – Pecan Tree Gallery						
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3:00		Disaster Mitigation Panel			Introduction to HEC-RAS 2D Workshop (Part 3) – Patrick Miles; Jamie Joyner (Freese)		
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4:30			Committee Meeting – GIS Standards & Mapping	Committee Meeting – No Adverse Impact (NAI) & Mentoring	Committee Meeting – Community Rating System (CRS)	Committee Meeting – Awards	
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5:00		Regional Meeting – Metro Atlanta	Regional Meeting – Coastal	Regional Meeting – Southwest & Central	Regional Meeting – East	Regional Meeting – North	
5:15	Networking Event in the Pecan Tree Gallery The event will last from 5:30-7:00. Drinks and hors d’oeuvres will be provided for attendees.						
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9:00		Resilient Communities: Mitigation Integration – Martin Erbele (Michael Baker)				
9:15		Flood Insurance Options – Rod Hall (Hall Agency)				
9:30		CRS Repetitive Loss Area Analysis: Targeted Mitigation in Your Community – David Stroud (Amec Foster Wheeler)				
9:45		House Flippers – Rod Hall (Hall Agency)				
10:00		The Decision to Elevate a House in a Floodplain – Dr. Warren Kriesel (UGA)				
10:15		Auditing Elevation Certificates – Rod Hall (Hall Agency)				
10:30		NFIP Q&A				
10:45		Box Lunch Distribution (CFM Examees and GAFM Board Members Only)				
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11:15	GAFM Board Meeting – The meeting will take place in the Craige Boardroom					
11:30	CFM Exam – Examees must pay and register for exam through ASFPM. Boxed lunch provided prior to exam					
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