



2019 IAWRP Symposium Strategic Leadership & Program Development Track Overview

Strategic Leadership and Program Development

This track will assist team leadership, program managers, and emergency managers in developing and deploying swiftwater/flood response capability. The focus of this track will be to build skills that can be used when developing a comprehensive swiftwater / flood rescue program and to understand basic response considerations for small or large-scale incidents. The track will focus on typing, deployment considerations, as well as program management/development.

- The track will cover program development topics such as; typing, comprehensive training programs, funding, documentation and reimbursement, as well as deployment planning considerations for small and large-scale operations;
- We will cover basic considerations for starting a joint civilian / military helicopter rescue program as well as integration of air resources with ground resources;
- The track will review and compare lessons learned from various large-scale flood response operations across the United States.