

Disaster Risk Reduction Ambassador Curriculum Workshop
PEMA HQ, 1310 Elmerton Ave, Large Conference Room 112, Harrisburg PA 17110

MONDAY, APRIL 17, 2017

8:15 AM	Building Check-In and Workshop Sign-in	
9:00	Welcome, Overview, Ground Rules and Introductions of NHMA Instructors	Tom Hughes, Vice President, Natural Hazard Mitigation Association (NHMA) State Hazard Mitigation Officer, Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency
9:15	Module 1: Introduction to the NHMA and DRR Ambassador Curriculum	Edward Thomas, Esq., President, NHMA Erin Capps, JD, Vice President, NHMA Vice President Operations, H2O Partners Inc.
9:45	Module 2: Introduction to DRR as a Foundation of Community Resilience	Edward Thomas, Esq. Donna Boyce JD, Director, Recovery and Resiliency Programs. Solix, Inc.
11:00	Break	
11:15	Module 5: Approaching the Challenge of DRR: NIST Community Resilience Guide	Steve Cauffman, Research Engineer Community Resilience Group National Institute of Standards and Technology
12:30 PM	Lunch Onsite	Hosted by NHMA
1:45	Module 4: Community Disaster Risk Reduction and Adaptation	Barbara Miller, CEM, CFM Director, Jefferson County Homeland Security and Emergency Management Rebecca Joyce, Community Program Manager, Central Shenandoah Planning District Commission
2:45	Break	
3:00	Module 16: Linking Catastrophe Insurance to Disaster Risk Reduction	Nick Lamparelli, Co-Founder & Chief Underwriting Officer, reThought Insurance Partner, Blogger & Podcaster at InsNerds.com

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4:00	Module 8: Leveraging Resources to Improve Disaster Risk Reduction and An Introduction to “Building Your Roadmap To A Disaster Resilient Future”	Gina Wightman, President Wightman & Associates, LLC Edward Thomas, Esq.
5:15	Award Certificates and Adjourn	Tom Hughes
5:30 – 7:00 PM	Optional Evening Session to Further Explore “Building Your Roadmap To A Disaster Resilient Future”	Instructors

TUESDAY, APRIL 18, 2017

8:00 AM	Module 18: Design for Flood Resilience, Part I: Flood Plain Management and Flood Resistant Design	Don Watson FAIA, CIP, EarthRise design
9:00	Module 19: Design for Flood Resilience, Part II: Green Infrastructure / Low Impact Development	Michele Adams, PE Meliora Environmental Design
10:00	Break	
10:15	Module 20: Understanding Limitations of FEMA Flood Maps	Edward Thomas, Esq. David Mallory, PE, CFM
11:30	Overall Feedback Path Forward with DRR-A Curriculum Development	Gina Wightman Veronica Criscitiello, Wightman & Associates
12:00 PM	Award Certificates and Adjourn	Tom Hughes