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REMINDER! Hazus Symposium Call for Abstracts due June 25th

The 6th Annual Hazus Symposium will take place on August 5th-7th, 2013 and we are providing you with an opportunity to present your research!

Submit your abstract to be considered to be included on the agenda for this year's symposium! Participants are encouraged to submit presentation abstracts on innovative Hazus-related applications such as:

- The use of Hazus in flood, earthquake, or hurricane studies,
- Academia
- International applications of Hazus
- Enhancements of Hazus hazard and exposure inputs
- Abstracts should be between 75 and 150 words in length and submissions should also include the presenter's complete contact information and a brief biography

All abstract submissions should be emailed to Dave Coats at decoats@iupui.edu and must be received no later than June 25th.

More Information

To learn more about the Symposium, please visit the [event site](#) or contact hazus@arcaspicio.com

If you have a question about the Hazus software, please call the FEMA Map Information eXchange (FMIX) at 1-877-FEMA MAP (1-877-336-2627)

Additional Customer Service

Technical assistance is available through the Hazus Help Desk at <https://support.hazus.us>. Use your Hazus Help Desk login and password to access the system

For additional support, email: helpdesk@support.hazus.us or visit: www.fema.gov/hazus

Past Abstracts Include:

- Haz Haiti: Implementing the Hazus Earthquake Model for Haiti (Doug Bausch)
- Disaster Resilience by Design: Extending Hazus-MH for Risk-Based Planning & Decision Support in Canada (Murray Journey)
- Beyond the Box: Using CDMS with Universities and Native American Tribes (Caroline Cunningham)
- The Use of HAZUS-MH for Planning Waste Disposal and Decontamination Activities from a Dirty Bomb (Paul Lemieux)

Higher Education Research Consortium

The Higher Education Resources Consortium (HERC) group was recently re-established, thanks to efforts from Paul Sambanis and Shane Hubbard, with a mission to increase Hazus-related training and accessibility in higher education settings, facilitate research, and more. They will be presenting at the Symposium.

For more information on HERC visit: <http://www.usehazus.com/herc/>



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