

## Planning for Coastal Storm and Erosion Hazards July 6, 2017 - 1:30 pm EDT/10:30 am PDT

### Description

Coastal hazards are a widespread challenge that cost millions (and sometimes billions) of dollars in the U.S. every year due to property loss, infrastructure damage, and spending on mitigation measures. Reducing risk and responding to coastal hazards is an ongoing challenge that relies on close coordination and cooperation between geoscientists, coastal planners, emergency managers, and communities at all levels.

This free AGI Critical Issues webinar will focus on efforts to anticipate, mitigate, and respond to coastal storms, erosion, and associated hazards at the federal, state, and local levels, with a focus on how geoscience informs planning at all levels and examples of coastal hazard planning from the Pacific, Gulf, and Atlantic coasts.

CFMs who participate in the live webinar will earn 1 CEC from the Association of State Floodplain Managers. Registrants who have paid for CEUs from AIPG and attended the entire duration of the live webinar will receive 0.15 CEUs from AIPG.

### Key topics to be addressed

- Federal, state, and local coastal hazard mitigation efforts
- Lessons learned from recent major coastal storm and erosion events such as Hurricane Matthew and winter storms during the 2015-16 El Niño
- Communication and collaborations between communities and agencies to improve community resilience

### Speakers

**Maria Honeycutt**, Coastal Hazards Specialist,  
NOAA Office for Coastal Management

**Patrick Barnard**, Research Geologist, USGS  
Pacific Coastal and Marine Science Center

**Jeff Taebel**, FAICP, Houston-Galveston Area  
Council

**Jennifer Kline**, Coastal Management  
Program, Georgia Department of Natural  
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