

URBAN CRISIS: EMERGENCY LESSONS, RESPONSE, TRAINING & TECHNOLOGIES FOR THE DIGITAL AGE

17 November 2011, Coventry University London Campus

Registration Period 08:15-09:00

Workshop Chairs Introduction

Prof. Sara de Freitas, Director of Research, Serious Games Institute, Coventry University

09:10-09:30

SESSION 1: THREAT AND SECURITY RISKS TO URBAN ENVIRONMENTS

SPEAKER 1: Urban Destruction - The Impacts and Consequences of Sept 11, 2001
Robert (Bob) McKee, Director of TEEEX – CONFIRMED 09:30-09:50

SPEAKER 2: Medical CBRNE Defence: Problems Identified vs. Lessons Learned: Two Olympiads Eight
Years Apart (Athens, 2004 –London, 2012)
John Galatas – CONFIRMED 09:50-10:10

SPEAKER 3: Urban Dependencies on Critical Infrastructure – The Future of Cyber Security?
Ashley Matteson, US Government – CONFIRMED 10:10-10:30

SPEAKER 4: Urban Crises - Gaming in Training and Professional Development
Hans ten Bergen, Director Business Development of RescueSim, VSTEP – CONFIRMED 10:30-10:50

COFFEE BREAK

10:50-11:20

THREAT & SECURITY PLENARY

Chair: Lord Toby Harris, CSARN - CONFIRMED 11:20-11:50

Plenary Experts

Robert (Bob) McKee, John Galatas, Ashley Matteson, Hans ten Bergen, Chris Carter, Peter Docker,
Matthew Fribbance

Session 1: Morning Closing Remarks 11:50-12:00

Lord Toby Harris, CSARN

Prof. Sara de Freitas, Director of Research, Serious Games Institute, Coventry University

Wayne Harrop, Director of the Centre for Disaster Management

LUNCH AND EXHIBITION STALLS

12:00-13:20

SESSION 2: HAZARD RISKS IN URBAN ENVIRONMENTS

Session 2: Opening Remarks Prof. Sara de Freitas, Director of Research, Serious Games Institute, Coventry University	13:20- 13:30
SPEAKER 1: Flooding: Major incidents - what has technology done for us? Colin Berghouse, Manager, Flood Response and Recovery, Environment Agency – CONFIRMED	13:30-13:50
SPEAKER 2: Urban Risks: Fukushima Tsunami – implications for nuclear planners and local communities Steve Wheeler, SERCO – CONFIRMED	13:50-14:10
SPEAKER 3: Urban Response: Technical and educational challenges of e-learning implementation by using virtual classrooms when educating disaster-management volunteers Mathias Korth, German Federal Relief Agency - CONFIRMED	14:10-14:30
SPEAKER 4: Natural Hazards: The experience of Sri Lanka, Bangladesh and Pakistan Anoja Seneviratne, Disaster Management Centre, Sri Lanka – CONFIRMED	14:30-14:50

COFFEE BREAK
14:50-15:20

NATURAL HAZARDS PLENARY SESSION

Chairman: Dr. Igor Mayer, Associate Professor, Public Management and Gaming, Delft University of Technology – CONFIRMED	15:20-15:50
Plenary Expert Panel: Colin Berghouse, Steve Wheeler, Mathias Korth, Anoja Seneviratne, Jannicke Baalsrud Hauge, Dr. Zahid Bhutta, Amirul Hossain, Dr Yung Fang Chen	
Hazards Plenary Closing Remarks Prof. Sara de Freitas, Director of Research, Serious Games Institute, Coventry University Dr. Igor Mayer, Associate Professor, Public Management and Gaming, Delft University of Technology Wayne Harrop, Director of the Centre for Disaster Management	15:50-16:00
Culminating Speaker: Garry de la Pomerai, COGSS-DPE, UN-ISDR TPK&E, UNESCO GTFBC Urban Crisis: An overview of the UN HABITAT Safer Cities programme, and UNISDR 'Making Cities Resilient' Programme.	16:00-16:30
IRRRC Discussion and Wrap up Networking and Registration of Interest for IRRRC Prof. Sara de Freitas, Director of Research, Serious Games Institute, Coventry University Wayne Harrop, Director of the Centre for Disaster Management Robert (Bob) McKee, Director of TEEX	16:30-17:00

WORKSHOP CLOSE
17:00