



# FLORIDA CATASTROPHIC STORM RISK MANAGEMENT CENTER

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## Symposium

May 15, 2009

### AGENDA

8:30 – 8:40 am

#### **WELCOME**

**Patrick Maroney, Director**, Florida Catastrophic Storm Risk Management Center, and Kathryn Magee Kip Professor, Department of Risk Management/Insurance, Real Estate and Business Law, The College of Business, Florida State University

8:40 am – 12:30 pm

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

8:40 – 9:20 am

##### **Florida Hurricanes, Trends and Damage Costs**

*Speaker:* **James Elsner, Ph.D.**, Shaw Professor of Geography, Department of Geography, College of Social Sciences, Florida State University

9:20 – 10 am

##### **Preparing Public Libraries to Meet Hurricane Challenges**

*Speaker:* **Chris Hinnant, Ph.D.**, Assistant Director, Information Institute, College of Information, Florida State University

10 – 10:25 am

##### **Legislative Update**

*Speaker:* **Katherine Scott Webb**, Partner, Colodny, Fass, Talenfeld, Karlinsky, Abate

10:25 – 11 am

##### **Insurance Market Response to the Output of Catastrophic Models**

*Speaker:* **Patty Born, Ph.D.**, Associate Professor, Department of Risk Management/Insurance, Real Estate and Business Law, The College of Business, Florida State University.

11 am – 11:30 am

##### **A New Hurricane Rating Scale Based on Kinetic Energy**

*Speaker:* **Mark Powell, Ph.D.**, Meteorologist, NOAA Atlantic Oceanographic and Meteorological Laboratories, Hurricane Research Division, Center of Ocean-Atmospheric Prediction Studies, Florida State University

11:30 – 12:30 pm

##### **Storm Center Research Updates:**

- **Capital Markets**
- **Subsidies**

*Speakers:* **Patrick Maroney, Director**, Florida Catastrophic Storm Risk Management Center; **Charles Nyce, Ph.D.**, Associate Director, Florida Catastrophic Storm Risk Management Center; **Lori Schneider, Ph.D.**, Associate Director, Florida Catastrophic Storm Risk Management Center

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#### **Symposium**

#### **Location:**

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