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Perfect World Brings Emergency Management Leaders Conference to Tampa

- June 12-13, 2018 in Tampa, FL -

In response to the growing complexity of catastrophic events nation-wide and to assist in stimulating the recovery effort of a great American city hit hard by Hurricane Irma, the first annual Emergency Management Leaders Conference (EMLC) has announced its plans to hold its inaugural event in Tampa, Florida.

Presenting a national forum for renowned experts in all phases of both public and private sector Emergency Management as well as disciplines related to disaster preparation, response, recovery, and mitigation, EMLC will convene for two days of high-level, in-depth policy discourse and problem solving followed by post-con workshops and sessions. Using real-world situations as a point of departure, emergency management professionals will discuss recent events, current issues, best practices, and lessons learned in order to outline potential policy modifications geared at strengthening future event preparedness and response efforts.

“In the wake of recent events, providing a workshop-based forum for leaders to discuss policy and unite all sectors of emergency management is obviously more important today than ever before,” said Jimmy Mouton of PWi. “Unifying perspectives to produce policy-driven directives will not only save lives but better our understanding of how to prepare for, respond to, and recover from disasters in the future. “

Joining Perfect World in presenting EMLC are the International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM) and the National Emergency Management Association (NEMA), the leading industry associations serving the field of Emergency Management.

“We look forward to participating in the inaugural EMLC and continuing to build on our theme from IAEM’s 65th Annual Conference in Long Beach, CA, Navigating a Journey with the Whole Community”, said IAEM-USA Executive Director Elizabeth Armstrong. “EMLC provides another forum for emergency management leaders to discuss and share policy perspectives, advance the emergency management industry, and to connect with our IAEM members in this region.”

“Emergency management is about partnership and bringing people together around a common purpose,” Trina Sheets, Executive Director of NEMA said. “The EMLC provides an invaluable opportunity to do just that by convening leaders from across the nation to share the latest lessons, innovations, challenges and opportunities.”





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Due to extended efforts of emergency management professionals on a global scale, EMLC will also include a multi-national audience and assembly of speakers representing some of the brightest minds and sharpest talent discussing the actions and policies that are shaping the worldwide landscape of emergency management.

The Emergency Management Leaders Conference will take place June 12-13, 2018 in Tampa, Florida, with post-con workshops and events to take place June 14 – 15, 2018.

About PWi: Perfect World, Inc. (PWi) is a full-service event management company specializing in tradeshow, conference, and ancillary event production for Associations and Show Organizers. PWi provides consulting services, independent audits of current tradeshow practices, and vendor/supplier contract review, negotiation, and procurement. PWi also owns and produces events in numerous market segments throughout the US.

About IAEM: The International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM) has more than 6,000 members worldwide. A non-profit organization dedicated to promoting the "Principles of Emergency Management," it represents those professionals whose goals are saving lives and protecting property and the environment during emergencies and disasters.

About NEMA: The National Emergency Management Association (NEMA), is a nonpartisan, nonprofit 501(c)(3) association dedicated to enhancing public safety by improving the nation's ability to prepare for, respond to, and recover from all emergencies, disasters, and threats to our nation's security. NEMA is the professional association of and for emergency management directors from all 50 states, eight U.S. territories, and the District of Columbia. NEMA provides national leadership and expertise in comprehensive emergency management, serves as a vital emergency management information and assistance resource, and advances continuous improvement in emergency management through strategic partnerships, innovative programs, and collaborative policy positions.

