

NJ Climate Change Resource Center

FALL CLIMATE ACADEMY

Given the success of our Summer Climate Academy, the NJ Climate Change Resource Center (NJCCRC) is excited to offer 5 additional free webinars focusing on the latest information on climate change impacts, decision-making, and resilience within the Garden State. The NJCCRC is dedicated to supporting informed climate action in the public, private, non-governmental and community levels throughout New Jersey.

These events are free but registration is required. For more information and to register, visit the NJ Climate Change Resource Center website at <https://go.rutgers.edu/9a0et9zx>.



Flood Planning & Preparedness for NJ Historic Buildings

Join Kinney Clark, GIS Specialist, NJ State Historic Preservation Office and Dominique Hawkins, Principal, Preservation Design Partnership in this second of a series on climate change and historic preservation for New Jersey. In this session, Mr. Clark and Ms. Hawkins will address New Jersey's flood types, the National Flood Insurance Program, Flood Insurance Rate Maps, the increasing threat of flooding, and historic preservation as part of the Emergency Management Cycle. This session will include practical guidance for local communities to improve their flood resilience and protect their historic character. View the first in this series presented during this summer's Climate Academy webinar [Protecting Our Historical and Cultural Assets](#).

CEUs for AIA, APA, and ASFPM have been requested.

Oct.
13th

12-1:30 pm
EDT



Spotlight on the Massachusetts Municipal Vulnerability Preparedness (MVP) Program.

The State of Massachusetts is the first state in the country that has integrated its Statewide Climate Change Adaptation Plan with its statewide Hazard Mitigation Plan. Join Mia Mansfield, Director of Climate Adaptation and Resilience, MA Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs; Kara Runsten, MVP Program Manager, MA Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs; and Laurie Connors, Planner, Town of Millbury, MA to learn more about this innovative integrated state and local climate resilience and hazard mitigation planning program that also helps communities implement priority actions identified through the planning process.

Oct.
27th

11:30 am -
1 pm EDT



Protecting Historic Residences from Flooding: Building Elevations

Join Kate Marcopul, Administrator, NJ State Historic Preservation Office and Dominique Hawkins, Principal, Preservation Design Partnership in this third of a series on climate change and historic preservation for New Jersey. In this session, Ms. Marcopul and Ms. Hawkins will address elevating residential buildings within a historic context while maintaining architectural integrity. This session will review the regulatory basics for historic preservation and climate adaptation and design challenges and best practices that should be considered by owners, architects, and historical commissions. View the first in this series presented during this summer's Climate Academy webinar [Protecting Our Historical and Cultural Assets](#).

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Nov.
10th

12-1:30 pm
EDT



New Jersey Tidal Marshes and Sea Level Rise

Join Dr. Nicholas Procopio, Chief, Bureau of Environmental Assessment, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and Dr. Judith Weis, Professor Emerita, Rutgers University as they discuss the status of how New Jersey tidal marshes are doing with respect to sea level rise and remedial actions that could be taken.

Nov.
16th

12-1 pm
EDT