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# **Canada's National Emergency Preparedness and Climate Adaptation Convention**

As the frequency and intensity of natural hazards across Canada increases the importance of creating a national event that promotes and builds resilience for a systematic, evidence-based, all-hazards approach to emergency management. The launch of the Canadian Emergency Preparedness and Climate Adaptation Convention (CEPCA), showcases the commitment of government, companies and communities to increase disaster risk awareness, preparedness, readiness and response to manage disasters and aftereffects.

### **Call for Abstracts Timeline**



### **How to Submit**

- · Visit emergencyexpo.com/conferences/submit-abstracts/
- Review categories and submissions guidelines
- Complete the online submission form
- Click submit and you will receive an email to confirm completion

**6,000**+ attendees

250+ exhibiting companies

**1,500+** delegates

150+
expert speakers

# Submit an Abstract Speak at the Technical Conference

#### Submission Deadline: March 31, 2024

The Canadian Emergency Preparedness and Climate Adaptation Conference (CEPCA) is pleased to announce the call for abstracts for the groundbreaking technical conference. CEPCA will bring together technical experts from Canada and around the world to share knowledge and collaboration in the field of emergency preparedness and climate adaptation in Canada. We value diversity and inclusion, and invite industry, researchers, practitioners, academics and experts to submit abstracts for presentations, workshops, and posters that contribute to our understanding of critical topics, including flood management, wildfire management, and various other facets of emergency preparedness.

# **Submit a Poster Showcase Your Research**

#### Submission Deadline: March 31, 2024

The 2024 CEPCA Call for Posters is exclusively open to all industry, government federal, provincial and municipal emergency preparedness representatives and university researchers including undergraduate, graduate, post doctoral, faculty and technicians from Canadian and international post–secondary institutes.

Participating in the Poster Session at CEPCA is a great way for to showcase and present technical research to high-level Canadian and international conference delegates and exhibition visitors. Accepted poster presenters will be eligible for special rates that will enable them to attend the technical presentations as part of the Technical Courses, opening night reception, exhibition floor and more.



## **2024 Categories**

#### **Flood Management**

Topics include, but are not limited to:

- Best Practices in Flood Risk Assessment
- Floodplain Management and Mapping
- Community-Based Flood Resilience
- Infrastructure and Engineering Solutions
- · Climate Change Impacts on Flooding
- Flood Policy and Strategy
- Governance and Indigenous Knowledge in Water Management

#### **Wildfire Management**

Topics include, but are not limited to:

- Fire Risk Assessment and Modeling
- · Community Preparedness and Evacuation Strategies
- Ecosystem Resilience and Fire Ecology
- Technology and Innovation in Wildfire Management
- · Indigenous Knowledge and Fire Management

#### **Climate Adaptation**

Topics include, but are not limited to:

- · Climate Change Vulnerability Assessment
- · Adaptation Planning and Implementation
- Resilient Infrastructure and Built Environment
- Climate-Resilient Agriculture and Food Security
- Health and Social Impacts of Climate Change

#### **Disaster Response and Recovery**

Topics include, but are not limited to:

- Emergency Management Strategies
- Humanitarian Response and Relief
- Community Recovery and Psychological Support
- Logistics and Supply Chain Management
- Lessons Learned from Recent Disasters

#### **Technology and Innovation**

Topics include, but are not limited to:

- Remote Sensing and Geospatial Technologies
- Al and Machine Learning for Disaster Management
- Early Warning Systems
- Mobile Apps and Decision Support Tools
- Smart Cities and IoT Solutions
- Drone and UAVs



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