



NAAHDRI RESEARCH INCUBATOR

With global warming and climate change, hazards have been striking the earth more frequently and intensively. In response to this increase in events, it is imperative to conduct interdisciplinary research to address the emerging societal problems due to disasters. To stimulate collaboration across disciplines and help researchers within NAAHDRI Center members develop their career, find partnerships, and stimulate conversations (especially junior faculty members, postdocs, and very senior Ph.D. students), the NAAHDRI Research Committee Co-Chaired by John van de Lindt and Jamie Kruse along with Committee Member Grace Yan are hosting four one-hour events in 2022 entitled the “**NAAHDRI Research Incubator**”. These activities will be held quarterly through Zoom meetings. In each event, five researchers from science, engineering, and social science and economics are invited to present their research for 5 minutes and then breakout rooms will be set up for further discussion with each speaker for 30 minutes on potential collaboration or just good debate and conversation! Are you looking for research collaborations? Are you are looking for new research ideas? Are you looking for collaborators in other disciplines related to disaster science and engineering? YOU are invited to join this free event, either as a presenter or just a participant.

If you would like to present in any of the four events, please send an email to Dr. John van de Lindt at jwv@colostate.edu and Dr. Grace Yan at yang@mst.edu and indicate which day you would like to participate.

Note that this is rapid 5-minute presentation, so plan accordingly! We suggest you plan to use about four slides to present your idea/concept and one slide to explain your biggest barriers/roadblocks, although you have the flexibility to use more slides and simply introduce your existing research and research capacity of your lab, group, and invite collaborators for proposal ideas!



Members of NAAHDRI Research Committee

Co-Chairs: John van de Lindt,
Structural/CR & Jamie Kruse,
Econ/CR

- Grace Yan – MST, Structural/Wind
- Erouscilla (Pat) Joseph – U West Indies, Chemistry/Seismic
- Ioannis Zisis– FIU, Wind
- Robert Weiss – VT, Nat hazards/Geo
- Xinyue Ye – TAMU, Planning

The events for the 2022 season are shown below:

- 1 1-2PM CT, Friday, Feb. 11, 2022; Zoom Meeting coordinates to follow
- 2 1-2PM CT, Friday, May 13, 2022; Zoom Meeting coordinates to follow
- 3 1-2PM CT, Friday, Aug. 12, 2022; Zoom Meeting coordinates to follow
- 4 1-2PM CT, Friday, Nov. 11, 2022; Zoom Meeting coordinates to follow