



**PEOPLE
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Great Lakes People on the Move in a Changing Climate Workshop

June 1-3, 2022

Hilton Garden Inn Buffalo Downtown
10 Lafayette Square, Buffalo, NY

Meeting Purpose and Objectives

The goals of regional workshops are to feature:

- the current state of knowledge on climate-induced human mobility,
- local, regional and international case studies, and
- unique needs of the underserved and underrepresented coastal communities.

In order to create:

- data and research gap analyses,
- framework (possibly developing scenarios) for conducting use-inspired research,
- education and engagement for building community resilience and climate adaptation, and
- networks of interdisciplinary and diverse researchers engaged in the study of climate induced human mobility.

Agenda

Time	Activity
June 1	
1:00	Welcome
1:30	Introduction to the Project
1:50	Setting the Stage Rachel Havrelock, UIC/Freshwater Lab Q&A
2:20	Case Studies of Migration in the Great Lakes Region <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Isaac Gendler, Utilities Engineer at the California Public Utilities Commission● Ross Plattel, University of Calgary● Sherri Brokopp Binder, BrokoppBinder Research & Consulting, LLC● Jennifer Hinojosa, Hunter College, City University of New York

3:00	Networking Break
3:15	Breakout Groups
4:00	In what ways are these climate risks exacerbating the impacts on underserved and marginalized communities, including low-income communities, black and brown communities, and indigenous communities? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Jerel Ezell, Cornell University ● Susan Clark, University at Buffalo ● Kelly Main, Buy-in Community Planning, Inc.
4:40	Breakout Groups
5:10	Report outs from two previous breakout sessions
5:30	Adjourn with ideas for dinner, after dinner networking, etc. in your own groups or on your own.
June 2	
7:30	Networking Breakfast
8:30	Welcome and Recap
8:45	What do receiving communities need to do to prepare for an influx of people who move due to climate change? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Mindy Granley, Sustainability Officer, City of Duluth ● Missy Stults, City of Ann Arbor ● Ty Warner, Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission
9:25	Breakout Groups
10:15	Networking Break
10:30	Report Outs
10:45	Notes from the Field: Experiences of Planners, Policy Makers, Teachers, Social Workers and Others Engaged in Assisting Migrants <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Beth Gibbons, American Society of Adaptation Professionals ● Dan Walsh, Pennsylvania Teacher ● Kristen Olsen, Wisconsin Department of Children and Families ● Annabelle Wilkinson, City of Grand Rapids ● Don Zelazny, New York Department of Environmental Conservation
Noon	Networking Lunch
1:30	Introduction to the exercise
1:45	Breakout Groups to address questions from the perspective of communities on the move: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Research ● Policy ● Outreach & Education
3:00	Networking Break

3:30	Breakout Groups (continued) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Research ● Policy ● Outreach & Education
4:30	Reconvene, reflect, foreshadow
5:00	Announcements; Adjourn with ideas for dinner, after dinner networking, etc. in your own groups or on your own.
June 3	
7:30	Networking Breakfast
8:30	Introduction and Process
8:45	Breakouts Groups to identify next steps and what resources are needed for communities on the move <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Research ● Policy ● Outreach & Education
10:15	Networking Break
10:30	Group Synthesis of notes for each Research, Policy and Education
11:30	Reconvene and Report out
Noon	Adjourn