



Workshop 3: Planning for Natural & Nature-Based Solutions

Continuing Education Credits: Course Information

Workshop Series:

Nature-Based Exchange

Date of Workshop & Duration:

September 14, 2022

9:30am - 12:30pm (3 hours)

Course Title:

Planning for Natural & Nature-Based
Solutions

Location:

Magnolia Room, Riverbanks Zoo & Garden,
Columbia, SC

Number of Professional Development Hours**(PDH) Earned:**

2.5

Sponsoring Organization:

Planners, PE's, and Flood Plain Managers: ACE
Basin NERR Coastal Training Program/SCDNR
Landscape Architects: South Carolina Chapter of
the American Society of Landscape Architect

Course Description:

The third workshop in the Nature-Based Exchange workshop series is focused on planning: hazard mitigation plans, comprehensive plans, city and state plans, green plans, and more. The question guiding this workshop is: What would it take to get natural and nature-based solutions into plans? To start answering this question, the workshop will be split into three parts: an open plenary by two design experts who will talk about the inclusion of nature-based projects in planning and design; a panel discussion that explores different types of plans, the planning process, and thoughts on how nature-based solutions can be implemented into plans; and breakout sessions that will aim to apply these ideas by creating an outline for how nature-based solutions can be included into several types of plans.

Learning Outcomes:

1. Participants will gain a greater understanding of the design and planning process as well as the barriers and opportunities associated with incorporating nature-based solutions into plans.
2. Participants will spend time collaborating with others and thinking critically about elements that could be added to plan requirements that would ensure nature-based solutions are considered in the future.

Instructors, Speakers, and Facilitators:

The panel discussion will be facilitated by Cynthia Rolli from Black & Veatch. The panel will be composed of experts from the South Carolina Emergency Management Division (SCEMD), the South Carolina Office of Resilience (SCOR), the City of Columbia, Fernleaf, and more. The breakout groups will be facilitated by additional planning experts.