We plan, coordinate and develop the IAEM Annual and Virtual Conferences with IAEM staff and the host jurisdiction.

### Purpose
- Identify the theme and topics for the conferences.
- Develop the schedule.
- Review all speaker submissions.
- Select and coordinate with all speakers.
- Coordinate training/symposiums/tours and special events.
- Develop and publishing *The Conference Call* newsletter.
- Conduct webinars and other outreach efforts.
- Gather and publish video testimonials.
- Gather feedback to improve future conferences.

### Committee Efforts
- **Consists of over 40 liaisons from the IAEM-USA board, other committees, caucuses, regions, as well as members just like you...**
- If you are interested in joining the Conference Committee email Conference Chair Duane Hagelgans ConferenceChair@iaem.com.
- Don’t forget to provide feedback on this year’s conference.
- You can even provide a video testimonial letting others know the reasons to attend next year’s conference.

### Meetings

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**During the conference**
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- 7:15 am

### 2022 Committee Leadership
- **Chair:** Duane Hagelgans
  - ConferenceChair@iaem.com
- **Vice Chair:** Christa Lopez
  - ConferenceCoViceChair1@iaem.com
- **Vice Chair:** Peter Perez
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- **Staff Liaison:** Julie Husk
  - Julie@iaem.com

### Membership
- Next Year - IAEM 2023: Emergency Management: Turning the Tide - Long Beach, CA
  - Call for speakers for 2023 will open in January and close in February