# 2023 Colorado Emerging Professionals Workshop

## What is Emerging Professionals Workshop?

Emerging Professionals Workshop (EPW) is a **free** educational and networking opportunity designed for **professionals in their first ten years** of floodplain management, water management, emergency management and related fields. The event is hosted by the US Army Corps <u>Colorado Silver Jackets</u>, evolving from the recognition that some communities could not afford the investment of time and money to send less experienced floodplain managers and other professionals to conferences. Knowledge sharing is a critical component to interagency success at management of land, water, and natural resources, and EPW is a key to achieving this knowledge sharing goal.

#### SIGN UP: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/colorado-emerging-professionals-workshop-tickets-539594320137

**COST: FREE! \*Sign-up will be capped at 30 participants per location\*** 

## What topics will be covered this year?

- Floodplain Management in the 21st Century
- Flood Preparedness and Response
- Federal and State Funding Programs
- Mentorship and the Importance of Building Relationships
- Client Communication: Knowing clients need, how to have difficult conversation, hearing both sides
- Rise to Leadership and Importance of Succession Planning



WHEN/WHERE: Tue. May 16<sup>th</sup>- Denver Mon. June 12<sup>th</sup>- CO Springs Wed. August 9<sup>th</sup>- Grand Junction Thurs. August 24<sup>th</sup>- Alamosa 9:00 am -2:30 pm (MST)

### QUESTIONS?

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