









SOUTH CENTRAL MOUNTAINS REGIONAL TASK FORCE Annual Homeland Security Symposium

May 2 & 3, 2019 • Registration 8 a.m. • Opening Session 8:30 a.m.

BLAIR COUNTY CONVENTION CENTER Convention Center Drive, Altoona, PA. 16602

To register, visit the SCMRTF website at http://www.scmrtf.org and click on the Events tab. Sign up soon! Seats are limited!



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12:30 PM to 2:30 PM	Organizational Risk Management	GORDON GRAHAM
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2:45 PM to 3:45 PM	Protective Measures for Current Threats	BOB WINTERS—DHS

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EF2 Tornado Crawford County Nursing Home Response

TANYA BISH—ROLLING FIELDS ELDER CARE HOME ADMINISTRATOR, JASON BROWN—HOSPITAL AND HEALTHCARE ASSOCIATION OF PA

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1:15 PM to 4 PM Disaster USA Tabletop (HSEEP Compliant with Con-Ed Credits)

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