



**FIRE AID**  
AID AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

**FIRE AID International Development and Humanitarian Aid Conference 2017**

**Greater Manchester Fire and Rescue Service Training Centre, Cassidy Close,  
Manchester M4 5HU**

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November**

0930 - 1000	Registration		
1000 - 1010	Welcome Address	ACFO Dave Keelan	Greater Manchester Fire and Rescue Service
<b>SESSION 1 – PROJECT UPDATES</b>			
1010 - 1030	Improving post-crash response in Low and Middle Income Countries	Dr. Margie Peden	Senior Research Fellow & Head UK Injury Program, The George Institute, Oxford University
1030 - 1050	Tajikistan	Neil Pedersen and Chris Wood	SESHAA (Staffordshire Emergency Services Humanitarian Aid Association)
1050 - 1110	Humanitarian Aid through Audit	Steve Worrall and Malcolm Price	Operation Sabre
1110 – 1130	Nepal	John Monaghan	Changing Lives Nepal
1130 - 1140	Questions for panel and discussion		
1140 - 1200	Tea Break Future challenges to development projects		
<b>SESSION 2 – FIRE RISK REDUCTION IN INFORMAL SETTLEMENTS AND REFUGEE CAMPS</b>			
1200 - 1230	Current Initiatives in Global Burn Care and Prevention.	Professor Tom Potokar OBE	Centre for Global Burn Injury Policy & Research NIHR Global Health Research Group on Burn Trauma
1230 - 1300	Community fire safety programmes in Lebanon	Dr Helen Underhill, Nicky Thurston and Karen Rutherford	Operation Florian
1300 - 1400	LUNCH		
1400 - 1420	Fire Safety in Informal Settlements: Learning from Cape Town	Darren Gill and Danielle Antonellis	Arup Fire and Arup International Development
1420 - 1440	Improving Resilience in Informal Settlements to Fire (IRIS) project in Cape Town	TBC	University of Edinburgh
1440 - 1500	Planning for disaster risk in poor neighbourhoods of Tegucigalpa, Honduras	Dr Alfredo Stein	University of Manchester

1500 - 1510	Questions for panel and discussion		
1510 - 1530	AFTERNOON TEA		
<b>SESSION 3 – IMPROVING OUR UNDERSTANDING OF MENTAL HEALTH</b>			
1500 - 1520	Thinking about Psychological Wellbeing - before, during and after overseas projects	Helen Brewis	Occupational Psychologist, Greater Manchester Fire and Rescue Service
1520 – 1540	Critical Incident Stress Debriefing for Emergency Services	Sean McCallum or John Durkin	Social Support Systems
1540 - 1550	Questions for panel and discussion		
1550 - 1600	Closing remarks and thanks	Kathy Oldham OBE	Head of Greater Manchester Civil Contingency and Resilience Unit
1600	CONFERENCE ENDS		