**From:** Josh Dennis   
**Sent:** Monday, April 23, 2018 9:53 AM  
**To:** Steve Berlin  
**Subject:** RE: FRRG Annual Conference Confirmed -- Register Now to Attend

Steve,

I have returned, please find my agenda attached.

Thank you

-Josh

***Joshua M. Dennis***

**The Chicago Fire Department**

District Chief – Chief of Staff

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| DHS S&T FRRG Annual Conference  DAY ONE  Tuesday, April 17, 2018 | | |
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| 7:30 – 8:00 am | *Arrival & Registration* |  |
| 8:00 – 8:15 am | **Welcome & Opening Remarks**   * Administrative items * Breakout Group assignments * Demo Room | **Randall Meshell**, FEMA Federal Preparedness Coordinator/Director (VI)  (Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma & Texas)  **FRRG Director Greg Price**  **PM Milt Nenneman** |
| 8:15 – 9:00 am | **Event Kickoff & R-Tech Overview**   * New Gap Disposition * Update on transitioned technologies and active projects * Upcoming OFAs & Technology Transitions * FRRG Executive Steering Committee | **R-Tech Director Greg Price** |
| 9:00 - 9:15 am | **FRRG Member acknowledgments** | Greg Price & Milt Nenneman |
| 9:15 – 10:15 am | **Business Unit Briefs**   * REDOPS * Emerging Technology * Personal Protective Equipment * Transitions and Assessment * Requirements | R-Tech PMs: **Byung Hee Kim, Angela Ervin, Bill Deso, Kimberli Jones-Holt, Milt Nenneman** |
| 10:15 – 11:15 am | **Presentation #1**   * **Preparing for the Unknown: soft targets and unconventional attacks** | **Dr. Rodrigo Nieto-Gomez**, Senior Lecturer, Naval Postgraduate School |
| 11:15 – 11:45 | **Presentation # 2**   * POINTER Update | **Dr. Darmin Arumugam**, PM, NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory |
| 11:45 – 12:45 pm | ***Lunch*** |  |
| 12:45 – 1:15 pm | **Presentation #3**   * Thomas fire technology in support of decision-making | **Richard Sexton**, Training Specialist, FEMA EMI |
| 1:15 – 2:45 pm | **Breakout Session # 1: SOO Development** | All |
| 2:45 – 3:00 pm | ***Break*** |  |
| 3:00 – 5:00 pm | **Breakout Session # 2: SOO Development** | All |
| 5:00 – 5:15 pm | **Debrief/Closing** | Milt Nenneman |

| DHS S&T FRRG Annual Conference  DAY TWO  Wednesday, April 18, 2018 | | |
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| 7:30 – 8:00 am | *Arrival* |  |
| 8:00 – 8:15 am | **Opening Statements / Morning Brief** | FRRG PM Milt Nenneman |
| 8:15 – 9:30 am | **Breakout Session #3: SOO Development** | All |
| 9:30 – 11:30 am | **Demo Room (in Plenary Room)**   * Transitioned R-Tech Products | R-Tech PM’s |
| 11:30 – 12:30 pm | ***Lunch*** |  |
| 12:30 – 2:30 pm | **Breakout Session #4: SOO Development** | All |
| 2:30 – 2:45 | **Break** |  |
| 2:45 – 3:15 pm | **Presentation # 4**   * Technology in the face of natural disasters: * Fires – Santa Rosa, Southern CA | **Curtis Brown**, Assistant Chief, CALFIRE |
| 3:15 – 3:45 | **Presentation # 5**   * Comms in denied environments | **Chris Johnson**, GIS SME, National Alliance for Public Safety GIS &  **Bruce Arvizu**, Battalion Chief, LA County Fire (ret.) |
| 3:45 pm – 4:15 pm | **Presentation # 6**  UAV’s use in Disasters | **Justin Adams**, Director of Operations, Humanitarian Robotics and AI Laboratory at Texas A&M Engineering Extension Service |
| 4:15 – 5:00 pm | **Presentation # 7**   * Past Gaps * Still a need? | Greg Price & Milt Nenneman |
| 5:00 – 5:30 pm | **Debrief/Closing** | Milt Nenneman |

| DHS S&T FRRG Annual Conference  DAY THREE  Thursday, April 19, 2018 | | |
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| 7:30 – 8:00 am | *Arrival* |  |
| 8:00 – 8:15 am | **Opening Statements / Morning Brief** | FRRG PM Milt Nenneman |
| 8:15 – 9:00 am | **Presentation # 8**   * Civil disorder issues | **Alan Hanson**, Captain, Fairfax County Police Dept. |
| 9:00 – 9:30 am | **Presentation # 9**   * S&T’s Next Generation First Responder * Update on FRRG Referrals | **John Merrill,** PM**, FRG** |
| 9:30 – 11:00 am | **Breakout Session #4: SOO Development** | All |
| 11:00 – 11:30 am | **Presentation # 10**   * Evidence-based best practices for disaster response | **Dr. Jim Kendra**, Director, University of Delaware’s Disaster Research Center |
| 11:30 – 12:30 pm | ***Lunch*** |  |
| 12:30 – 1:00 pm | **Presentation # 11**   * International Forum: Canada, UK, Sweden involvement in R-Tech * NUSTL Operational Field Assessments (OFA) & SAVER | **Phil Waters**, PM, FRG |
| 1:00 – 1:30 pm | **Presentation # 12**   * Hurricane Harvey: What worked and what didn’t * Lessons learned | **Rodney Reed**, Deputy Chief, Planning, Harris County Fire Marshal’s Office &  **Bob Royall**, Assistant Chief, Response & Recovery, Harris County Fire Marshal’s Office |
| 1:30 – 2:00 | **Presentation # 13**   * IAFC workforce app | **Jeff Dulin**, Assistant Director Research & Data Analysis Center, IAFC |
| 2:00 – 2:30 pm | **Presentation # 14**   * Technology in the face of natural disasters: Floods - Flood APEX Program | **David Alexander**, PM, FRG |
| 2:30 – 2:45 pm | ***Break*** |  |
| 2:45 – 4:30 pm | **Breakout Session #5: SOO Development** | All |
| 4:30 – 5:00 pm | **Presentation # 15**   * NYC RAND OFA NUSTL Operational Field Assessments (OFA) & SAVER * NYC RAND OFA | **Adam Hutter**, Laboratory Director, NUSTL |
| 5:00 – 5:15 pm | **Debrief/Closing** | Milt Nenneman |