



# **GHOSTS OF KATRINA: NATURAL DISASTERS AND COMMUNITY RESILIENCE**

## **CALL FOR PAPERS**

June 5 & 6, 2009

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Gulfport, MS**

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This interdisciplinary conference seeks paper proposals on community resilience and its applications to post-disaster communities like Gulfport, Mississippi. A resilient community anticipates problems and opportunities, reduces vulnerabilities, responds effectively, fairly and legitimately and recovers rapidly, safely and fairly.

- Suggested issue areas to address include disaster mitigation and economic, political, and social resilience.
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- Please submit all proposals to the attention of Jack Covarrubias at [GhostsofKatrinaconference@gmail.com](mailto:GhostsofKatrinaconference@gmail.com) by the deadline of April 15, 2009.