



Judge's Preliminary Information
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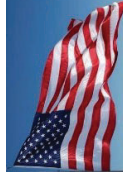
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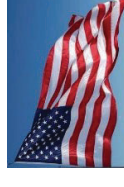
Below you will find the preliminary itinerary for each of the three major IMRC 2020 groups (Judges, Teams, and Guests). Please use this preliminary guide to determine arrival and departure windows, as well as for planning additional activities throughout the week. Judges and Technical Staff will remain extremely busy during the Sunday to Thursday period and are asked to maintain as much flexibility as possible.

2020 INTERNATIONAL MINES RESCUE COMPETITION JUDGES ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

Event	Date	Start	Location	Attire	Finish	Contact
Registration	9/12/2020	8:00 AM	Outside of Auditorium at NMHSA	Casual	4:30 PM	fleshman.lesia@dol.gov selfe.lincoln@dol.gov wright.mack@dol.gov
Mine Rescue Simulation	9/13/2020	11:00 AM			5:00 PM	
	09/13/2020	12:30 PM	Mine Simulation Lab Classroom #1	Casual with Hard Hat, Safety Shoes and Safety Glasses	4:30 PM	Ben Harding harding.benjamin@dol.gov
	09/14/2020	8:00 AM			5:00 PM	
First Aid Simulation	09/13/2020	12:30 PM	"Blue Falcon" Mine	Casual	4:30 PM	Vernus Sturgill sturgill.vernus@dol.gov
	09/14/2020	8:00 AM			5:00 PM	
Fire Fighting	09/13/2020	12:30 PM	Classroom C-135 at NMHSA and Burn Pads at NMHSA	Casual	4:30 PM	Josh Caldwell joshua.caldwell@mail.wvu.edu
	09/14/2020	8:00 AM			5:00 PM	



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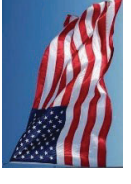


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High Angle Rope Rescue	09/13/2020	12:30 PM	Beckley Fire Department	Casual	4:30 PM	Brian Malott brianmalott85@yahoo.com
Technician	09/14/2020	8:00 AM			5:00 PM	
	09/13/2020	12:30 PM	Classroom C-117 at NMHSA	Casual	4:30 PM	Virgil Brown browntv@charter.net
	09/14/2020	8:00 AM			5:00 PM	
Mine Rescue Skills	09/13/2020	12:30 PM	Classroom C- 123 at NMHSA	Casual with Hard Hat, Safety Shoes and Safety Glasses	4:30 PM	Darren Blankenship darrenblankenship@suddenlink.net
	09/14/2020	8:00 AM			5:00 PM	
Opening Ceremony	9/13/2020	5:00 PM	TBD	Casual	11:00 PM	Glen Poe poe.glen@dol.gov Link Selfe selfe.linc@dol.gov Lewis McCoy lsm@cseccorporation.com
Closing Ceremony	9/18/2020	5:00 PM	Beckley/Raleigh County Convention Center	Formal	11:00 PM	Lesia Fleshman Fleshman.lesia@dol.gov



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Accommodations

In the interest of transparency and maintaining as fair an event as possible, unless local and commuting each day, all Judges and Technical Staff are to book accommodations at the National Mine Health and Safety Academy. No competing team members, guests or delegates will be permitted to stay in the Judges & Technical Staff lodging.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this arrangement, or if you are travelling with a group and have questions, please contact Natasha Cordle at 1-304-256-3280 or cordle.natasha@dol.gov or Kimberly Spencer at 1-304-256-3252 or spencer.kimberly@dol.gov.

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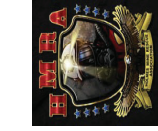
For the period of Saturday September 12th until Friday September 18th, All Judges and Technical Staff except those local persons who will be commuting each day, will be staying at the National Mine Health and Safety Academy. All events will be held on site at the National Mine Health and Safety Academy other than the High Angle Rope Rescue which is off-site. Transportation between the High Angle Rope Rescue site and the National Mine Health and Safety Academy will be provided to those Judges and Technical Staff working that event.

All Judges and Technical Staff flying into the event will be provided transportation to the National Mine Health and Safety Academy **ONLY** from the Beckley Raleigh County Airport.

Judge Requirements Personal Protective Equipment

ALL Judges Shall bring appropriate Personal Protective Equipment to the Competition. Appropriate Personal Protective Equipment is as follows:

- Approved Hat Hard
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- Approved Safety Footwear



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Judge Assignments

Each Judge will be assigned to one of 6 IMRC 2020 competition events, those being:

- Underground Mine Rescue Simulation
- Mine Rescue Firefighting
- Mine Rescue First Aid
- High Angle Rope Rescue
- Theory Examination/ Mine Rescue Equipment Technician / Benchman
- Mine Rescue Skills

For the complete list of judging assignments will be made available at a later date

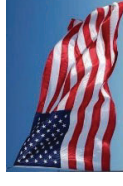
Pre-Arrival Work

Each competition event has a Simulation Lead Judge that is in charge of the pre-planning working group for that event, and will also be in charge during the week of the competition. You will be contacted by a member of the working group prior to your arrival for introductions and further discussion regarding any information they would like you to be aware of in advance.

For most judges, no pre-arrival work will be required. All necessary information will be provided during the 2-day Judges Orientation and site preparation meetings on September 13th & 14th 2020



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Those requiring a formal letter of invitation addressed to their employer are asked to email the contact person below:

Lincoln Selfe
2020 IMRC Competition Director
National Mine Safety and Health Academy
selfe.lincoln@dol.gov

Please include at a minimum the below information for inclusion in the letter. If additional notes are required, please specify:

Your Full Name

Name of Company (Employer)

Name of person the letter will be addressed to

Address of person the letter will be addressed to

Email Address of person the letter will be addressed to

Name & Email of any additional individuals requiring a carbon copy (CC)

International Travel Assistance

Those requiring assistance with international travel processes including visas or passport information are asked to email the contact persons below:

[Trina Tate](#)

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