**Department of the Interior’s (DOI) Office of Policy Analysis Seminar**

**U.S. Geological Survey (USGS): Providing Data and Tools for Resilient Coastal Resources, Communities, and Economies**



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Mantoloking, NJ post-Hurricane Sandy. 2012.

**Topics:** Coastal resilience, DOI lands, natural hazards, sea-level, coastal change, and stakeholder engagement

**Panelists:**

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**Date:** June 13, 2022
**Time:** 12:15 –1:45 PM (Eastern)

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Coasts are threatened by sea-level rise, extreme storms, erosion, and loss of ecosystems. The DOI has a broad range of stewardship responsibilities related to managing coastal resources that communities and the Nation depend on. Scientific understanding of these threats and forecasting their potential impacts are crucial for providing robust information to guide coastal restoration and management strategies, including an emphasis on underserved communities. USGS coastal science has helped address coastal management challenges in national parks, refuges and other coastal areas. In this seminar, you will hear about coastal modeling and forecasting of storm and sea-level rise impacts, assessing landscape change with new imaging technologies, and evaluating impacts of coral reef degradation and sediment availability. Learn how USGS is working to share this knowledge with DOI and other stakeholders working on-the-ground.

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