



Structural Engineers Association
of Southern California

WEBINAR

POST-DISASTER ASSESSMENT: BEIRUT BLAST

Wednesday, March 17, 2021

12:00pm-1:30pm



Moderator:

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Speakers:

Carl Abinader, M.S., P.E.
Senior Project Engineer
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Dr. Jonathan Stewart
Professor Civil and Environmental
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Craig Cole, S.E.
Volunteer
Engineering Ministries International

About the Webinar:

On 4 August 2020, a large amount of ammonium nitrate stored at the port of the city of Beirut, the capital of Lebanon, exploded, causing at least 204 deaths, 7,500 injuries, and \$15 billion in property damage, and leaving an estimated 300,000 people homeless.

Learn how the structural engineering community responded to the event with structural damage assessment, training sessions to humanitarian groups, and reconnaissance verification of NASA satellite-based damage maps.

The webinar will view the disaster response effort from multiple scales including private, public, humanitarian, and governmental response.

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