GAREC-2010

Learning through practising

(Program version - Actual)

GAREC-2010 will be an ideal opportunity for Emergency Communicators to come together and discuss and analyse recent events, co-operation with our professional partners and technical solutions to problems. Also, taking advantage of having so many people together in one place, an exercise will be held during GAREC to explore how we can improve information sharing across borders.

Oct.10th
At
19.00  Informal Get-together at the lobby bar

Oct.11th
At
10.00  Opening Ceremony
- The representative of the Curacao Administration
- The representative of the IARU Mr. Hans Blondeel Timmerman PB2T, President of the IARU Region 1
- Representatives of the Organizing Committee Mr. Wim A. Visch PG9W and Mr. Brett Ruiz PJ2BR
- The Election of the GAREC-2010 chairperson
- Nomination of the Statement Committee
11.00  Coffee Break
11.15  Activity reports since GAREC-2009 by regions
   R1 Mr. Greg Mossop G0DUB
   R2 Mr. Michael Corey W5MPC
   R3 Mr. Jay Oka JA1TRC
12.30  LUNCH/Networking
14.00  Earthquakes, Hurricanes and Amateur Radio - Part 1
   Cuba, Prof. Arnaldo Coro Antich CO2KK
15.00  How to organize an EmComm Exercise Part 1
   Chaired by Mr. Joop Verdoes PA1JAV
15.30  Coffee Break
15.45  Tabletop Exercise
   by Greg Mossop G0DUB
   Open end
19.30  Conference Dinner

Oct.12th
At
09.00  Organizations in EmComms
   DARES by Mr. Wim A. Visch PG9W
   NIAR by Mr. S. Suri VU2MY
   HAMNET by Mr. Francois Botha ZS6BUU
VERONA by Mr. Brett Ruiz PJ2BR
Chaired by Mr. Jay Oka JA1TRC

10.30   Coffee Break

10.45   Where do you forward a received EmComm message?
Panel by
Mr. Michael Corey W5MPC
Mr. Joop Verdoes PA1JAV
Chaired by Mr. Hans Blondeel Timmerman PB2T

11.30   Feedback from Tabletop Exercise
Greg Mossop, G0DUB

12.00   Earthquakes, Hurricanes and Amateur Radio – Part 2
Chile, Haiti, Prof. Arnaldo Coro Antich CO2KK

12.30   LUNCH/Networking

14.00   How to organize an EmComm exercise - Part 2
Examples: Finland, South-Africa
Chaired by Mr. Michael Corey W5MPC

14.45   The Future role of the Amateur Radio Service in EmComms
Open discussion based on comments by participants
Chaired by Mr. Greg Mossop G0DUB

15.30   Coffee Break

15.45   Closing Session

The acceptance of the GAREC 2010 Statement

Welcome to GAREC-2011, Sun City, South Africa
by Francois Botha ZS6BUU

16.30   Closing of the Conference