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## PROGRAMS IN INTERNATIONAL EMS

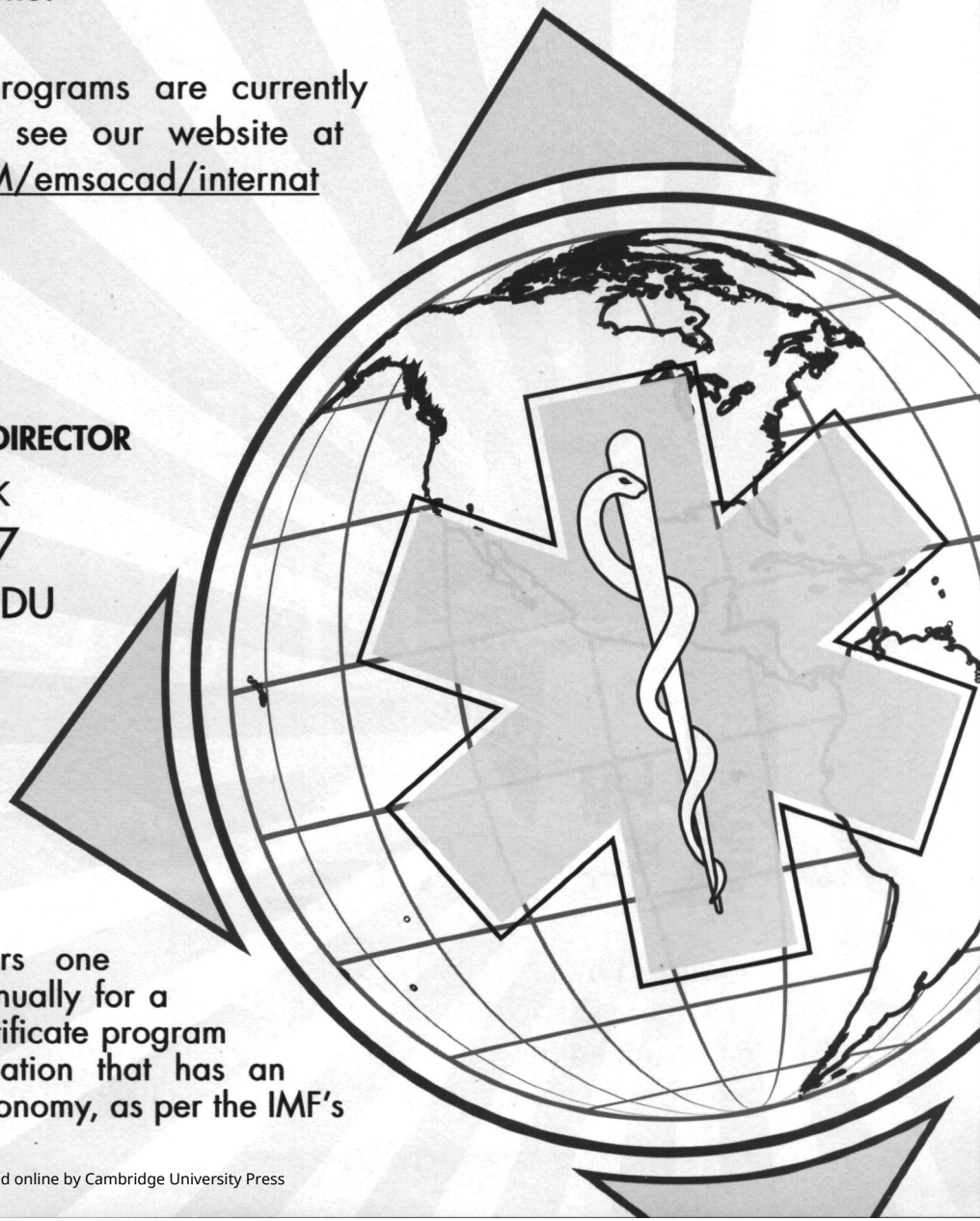
Certificate in International EMS &  
Bachelor of Science in EMS, International Scholars Program

The University of New Mexico School of Medicine, Department of Emergency Medicine, is pleased to announce two new programs designed for international students seeking exposure to the American EMS system. We expect that graduates of these programs will use the knowledge that they gain during their time at UNM to positively impact their home EMS systems.

Applications for both programs are currently being accepted. Please see our website at <http://hsc.unm.edu/SOM/emsacad/international.shtml> for details.

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The EMS Academy offers one competitive scholarship annually for a student enrolling in the certificate program who is a citizen of a nation that has an emerging or developing economy, as per the IMF's Economic Outlook Report.







# 17<sup>th</sup> Congress on Disaster and Emergency Medicine

第17届世界灾难及急救医学学术会议

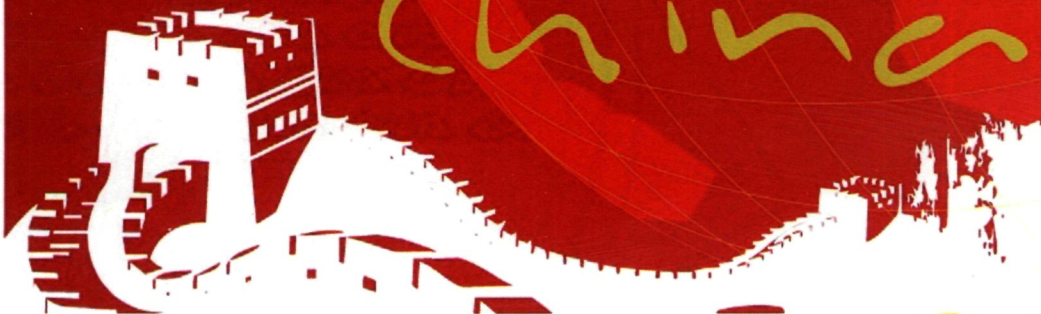
May 31–June 4, 2011

China National Convention Center

2011年5月31–6月4日

国家会议中心

Beijing  
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**Organized by :**

World Association for Disaster and Emergency Medicine

**Co-Organized by:**

Chinese Society for Emergency Medicine, Chinese Medical Association



# 10th APCDM

## Asia Pacific Conference on Disaster Medicine

### 2009 Disasters

#### January

9, Costa Rica: at least 20 are killed and thousands more are left homeless after a 6.2 magnitude earthquake strikes the verdant mountains of northern Costa Rica, setting off landslides.

27-28, Arkansas, Kentucky, Missouri, Ohio, Oklahoma, and Texas: at least 20 people die due to severe storms.

#### February

9, Australia: over 160 people die when arsonists start fires that result in about 100 wildfires.

10, Oklahoma, U.S.: a cluster of tornadoes rip through Oklahoma, killing eight people and injuring

over a 1000. **Theme: World Wide Response**

12, New York, U.S.: all 45 passengers and crew members die when a Continental flight from Newark to Buffalo

#### March

27, North Dakota and Minnesota, U.S.: Flooding of the Red River results in the evacuation of about 150 homes.

**Date: August 26 (Thu) – 28 (Sat), 2010**

6, Italy: an earthquake of magnitude 6.3 strikes central Italy, killing more than 300 people.

**Venue: Prince Hotel Sapporo**

1, Brazil: a France Airbus A330-300 crashes on the north-east coast of Brazil with 228 passengers on board, en route from Recife to Paris.

**Nishi 11-chome, Minami-2-jo, Chuo-ku, Sapporo**

**060-8615 Japan**

22, Washington D.C.: nine people die and 500 are injured when a multi-story parking garage at rush hour

30, Italy: a freight train that was carrying a Spazio to Pisa derails and crashes into a small Italian town, killing 12 people and injuring at least 60 more.

30, Indian Ocean: a Yemenia Jet, on its way to Comoros, crashes into the Indian Ocean in an attempt to land.

There are 153 people on board, with only one survivor, a 13-year-old girl.

**President: Yasufumi Asai, M. D., PhD.**

15, Iran: a Caspian Airline plane crashes en route from Tehran to Yerevan, Armenia, killing all 168 passengers on board.

**Sapporo Medical University, School of Medicine**

21, Iran: at least 16 people died when an Air Iran flight skidded off the runway and caught fire in Mashhad.

#### August

7, Philippines: at least 22 tourists on Mount Pinatubo were trapped and killed when heavy rain caused flooding and landslides.

8, New York: a helicopter and plane collide over the Hudson River, killing all nine people on the private plane.

10, Taiwan: Typhoon Morakot caused a mudslide that buries schools, homes, and at least 300 people.

**Call for abstract will open in February 2010**

2, Indonesia: about 60 people die when a 7.2-magnitude earthquake hits the island of Java.

9, Turkey: more than 30 people are killed and 1000 are injured when a train is swept

**URL: <http://www.apcdm10.jp>**

28, Philippines: almost 90 people die in major flooding caused by Tropical Storm Ketsana.

29, Samoa and American Samoa: an underwater 8.0-magnitude earthquake causes a tsunami that kills more than 115 people.

30, Indonesia: a 7.6-magnitude earthquake hits the island of Sumatra, leaving more than 1,000 people dead.

#### November

9, El Salvador: a small, low-pressure storm originating in the western part of the country brings an enormous amount of rainfall that causes flooding and mudslides. About 140 people are killed.

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# What happens

during a **flu pandemic**, when the people who are supposed to help **get sick** too?



In the event of a flu pandemic, it is expected to take **at least 4 – 6 months** for a vaccine to become available.

**How will you be protected?**

**What?**  
**Happens**



# Bringing Simulation to Life



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There is a growing awareness that health care is behind other high risk operations in its attention to ensuring basic safety and that there is a need to grasp the scale of the problem <sup>(1,2)</sup>.

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#### References:

- 1) BMJ Volume 320, 18 March 2000
- 2) To Err Is Human: Building a Safer Health System/Linda T. Kohn, Janet M. Corrigan, and Molla S. Donakson, Editors., © 2000 by the National Academy of Sciences.



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# GLOBAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT TEAM



Thai Tsunami Victims Identification Centre



KATIKO Referral Hospital, Southern Sudan



MSF Hospital, Hattian Bala, Pakistan



Inside OT in KATIKO Referral Hospital

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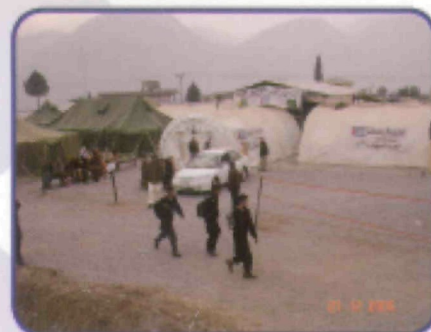
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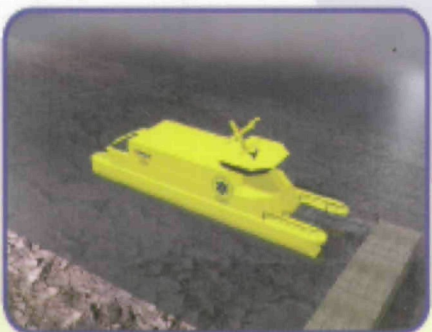
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