



A Proposed Model of Disaster Recovery and Its Application Following Hurricane Katrina in Mississippi



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Hickerson House, 108 Battle Lane**

Dr. Smith will discuss his work as the Director of the Governor's Office of Recovery and Renewal. Emphasis will be placed on the applicability of a model of disaster recovery developed as part of a book chapter he wrote for the forthcoming *Handbook of Disaster Research* (Rodriguez and Quarantelli, editors). An underlying theme of the presentation will include the significant role of planning and design in the recovery of the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

