



## The world's largest cross-sector resilience exercise focused on individual, organizational, and community resilience.

Why Play EEX-21: EARTH-EX is a free exercise opportunity to self-evaluate levels of preparedness and resilience in the face of real-world Black Sky potential disasters. This year's exercise presents two engaging scenarios that everyone in the world faces – uncontrolled fires and extreme flooding events.

In addition to being a great exercise presented in a virtual environment, EEX-21 will provide unique and valuable training materials and webinars that you can take advantage of before, during, and after the exercise.

When is EEX-21: EARTH EX will be available for play anytime from 1 September through 31 October. You can play multiple functional areas and lanes during that time.

Who Should Play EEX-21: Everyone – there is an Individual and Family Functional Area that is perfect for everyone to participate. Six additional functional areas support in-depth play for organizations, businesses, and government agencies. Within those six areas, thirty-eight unique lanes address nearly all of the functions that make up the modern, highly interconnected, and interdependent world.

What to Expect: EEX-21 is a dynamic, engaging, and thought-provoking tabletop exercise. EARTH-EX uses state-of-the-art video injects and a modern game-like interface to present the situation, new information and facilitate exercise play through the exercise landscape. Play consists of gathering new information, developing courses of action, and making and refining decisions. Players receive all the essential information for their sector and other sectors that can influence the environment. There are two separate phases, one for fire and one for floods. EARTH EX is flexible and adaptable. Organizations can adjust it to meet their needs.

**EARTH EX Themes:** Each year, EARTH EX advances one or more of the primary Black Sky (prolonged duration power outage) threats to support preparedness and resilience discussions. This year's themes include developing situational awareness, understanding evacuation decisions, supply chain and resource management impacts, and the critical restoration mission.

**EARTH EX Evaluation:** EARTH EX is a self-assessed, self-evaluated exercise opportunity. Each person or organization will evaluate their level of play and readiness.

**EARTH EX Preparation:** EARTH EX is a "Come As You Are" opportunity. Several optional training opportunities are part of the EARTH EX series.

**Grants and Certificates:** EARTH EX follows HSEEP guidelines and s perfect for meeting EMPG exercise requirements. Everyone that completes the exercise and the survey will receive a certificate of completion.

How to Register: Registration is open now - https://battlerhythm.net/Registration/registerMKII.html?id=17

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