

DIANE P. HORN



EXPERIENCE

Specialist in Flood Insurance and Emergency Management, Congressional Research Service, Washington DC, since 2016.

Confidential written and oral analysis of legislation and policy proposals related to insurance and natural hazards, flood risk reduction and mitigation of natural hazards, building codes and resilient rebuilding after disasters, and natural hazards and housing. Topics include the National Flood Insurance Program, FEMA Hazard Mitigation Assistance programs, natural hazards and the homeowners insurance market, and tribal vulnerability to natural hazards.

Professor of Coastal Geomorphology, Department of Geography, Environment, and Development Studies, Birkbeck College, University of London, London UK, 1993- 2016.

Research specialisms: flood insurance, flood policy and governance, mitigation of coastal hazards, adaptation to sea level rise, and shallow-water processes on beaches. Research output: 51 publications, 99 presentations, £680,825 grant income (approximately \$971,000).

EDUCATION

University of Oxford, Oxford, UK

DPhil,¹ Physical Geography

Thesis title: A numerical model for shore-normal sediment size variation

West Chester University, West Chester, Pennsylvania
MA, Earth Science

College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia
BA, History

¹ Oxford calls their doctorate a DPhil rather than a PhD.