

AEP PRESENTS

HOW TO WRITE AN EIR

A Webinar

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 2024 NOON - 3:30PM

Join Chris Mundhenk of Ascent Environmental, Terry Rivasplata of ICF, and Amanda Daams of Best Best & Krieger LLP for a useful

discussion on how to write an EIR!

Topics will include:

- Time/Place for an EIR

- Essential Components

- Issue Area Section Analysis Guidance

- Cumulative Impacts

- Alternatives

- Public Agency Perspective

- Admin Record

- Changes to Project after EIR Certification

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SPEAKER BIOS



CHRIS MUNDHENK, ASCENT ENVIRONMENTAL

Chris Mundhenk is an Ascent principal and the firm's environmental practice leader. He has more than 20 years of experience in preparing environmental analysis and documentation and performing mitigation monitoring and reporting. Drawing on his professional experience throughout California, Chris provides management and strategic guidance for technical analyses, regulatory permitting efforts, and CEQA and NEPA compliance projects. Known for his dedication to projects and innovative problem solving, Chris has compiled a diverse array of project experience and expertise, ranging from programmatic/large-scale projects such as general plans and larger specific plans to smaller development/infrastructure projects for public and private clients.



ANTERO (TERRY) RIVASPLATA, ICF

With more than 40 years of experience, Antero provides ICF's staff and clients with expert technical and strategic compliance advice on the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Antero specializes in preparing CEQA documents for projects ranging from schools to general plans. He has over 40 years of experience in CEQA, the National Environmental Policy Act, and California planning law at local and state levels and as a consultant.



AMANDA DAAMS, BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP

Amanda Daams is a partner in Best Best & Krieger LLP's Environmental Law & Natural Resources practice group. She assists clients on all issues related to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and associated environmental laws. She takes a pragmatic approach to solving difficult land use issues and advising clients on CEQA, NEPA, the Planning and Zoning Law, Surface Mining and Reclamation Act, Subdivision Map Act and related laws.

Amanda has significant experience working with both clients and consultants on various environmental documents, including environmental impact reports, negative declarations and addendums, as well as assisting clients with CEQA exemption determinations.