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Integrated Risk Governance Project

Welcome to the International Symposium of Integrated Disaster Risk Governance

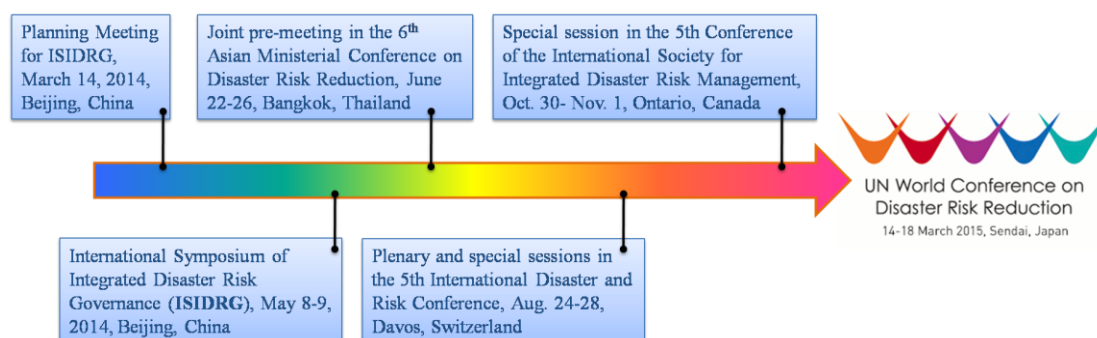
Recent large-scale disasters occurred worldwide remind us that the nature of disaster system shows the characteristics of deep complexity. The human society as a whole should fully address the deep complexity and establish governance paradigms for better and more effective disaster risk reduction. The successful integrated approach that brings good synergy in the strategy and implementation of the whole long-term process of DRR can help to move DRR into a more advanced phase with emphasis of better governance mechanism. The realization of this objective requires not only the consensus but also the optimized structure amongst governments, enterprise, academia and society.

With the approaching of the 2015 deadline for the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) and the Hyogo Framework for Action (HFA), the United Nations International Strategy for Disaster Reduction (UNISDR) is carrying out global conversation and receiving voices around the world to shape the Post-2015 Disaster Reduction Framework (HFA2).

On March 14, 2014, the Planning Meeting for the International Symposium of Integrated Disaster Risk Governance (PM-ISIDRG) was held in Beijing. Ms. **Margareta Wahlström**, the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Disaster Risk Reduction and Ms. **Jiang Li**, the secretary General of China National Commission for Disaster Reduction co-chaired the meeting. During the event, together with the representatives from Chinese ministries and commissions, the participants reviewed the China's achievements on DRR responding to the HFA in the last decade, and discussed the strategy of integrated risk governance that moves the DRR into the new phase.

Co-organized by UNISDR, China National Commission for Disaster Reduction (NCDR), Ministry of Civil Affairs and Ministry of Education of China, and hosted by Academy of Disaster Reduction and Emergency Management (ADREM), China National Disaster Reduction Center, State Key Laboratory of Earth Surface Processes and Resource Ecology, Integrated Risk Governance Project, the ***International Symposium of Integrated Disaster Risk Governance*** to be held on May 8th to May 9th, 2014, is as a part of the on-going multi-level and multi-theme consultations for the inputs to the post-2015 Framework for Action. The symposium aims to bring together government officials and scientists to share their achievements and experience, to identify challenges and bottlenecks in the implementation of the current Hyogo Framework for Action and also provide recommendations and inputs for the formulation of the Post-2015 Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction. The Symposium will focus on the issues of government and governance in DRR from different perspectives, including political institutions, economic development, science and technology, culture and social participation.

This symposium is in line with a series of events that will further discuss the topics. The outcomes of the series of events will be summarized in a background report to be presented in the Third World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction in March 2015, and generate concrete suggestions to HFA2.



This symposium aims to answer the following questions:

1. What has been achieved under the current HFA in both national and local level DRR?
2. What are the key governance issues leading to success or failure of implementation of the current HFA?
3. What needs to be improved in current governance structures and mechanisms for disaster risk reduction in order to implement HFA2 more effectively?
4. What will be our inputs to and recommendations for the HFA2 with a focus on integrated disaster risk governance?

We welcome your shared experience, comments and recommendations, and your contributions will be incorporated as an input to the Third World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction to be held March 2015.

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★We will organize a visit to National Disaster Reduction Center of China in the afternoon of May 7th, 2014 and a welcome reception there. Participants are more than welcome to join us. Roundtrip shuttles will be provided between the Asia Hotel and the Center. The shuttle bus will depart from Asian Hotel at 15:30 on May 7th.

Program Overview

Thursday, May 8th, 2014

9:00-10:40	Opening Ceremony and Keynote Speech (share the opening ceremony with China National Forum on Comprehensive Disaster Prevention and Mitigation and Sustainable Development) <i>(Asia Conference Hall, 3rd floor)</i>	
Time	Theme	Speaker and Affiliation
9:00-9:05	Opening Remarks	Jiang Li , Secretary General of China National Commission for Disaster Reduction (NCDR), Vice Minister of Civil Affairs of China (MOCA)
9:05-9:25	Keynote Speech: Post-2015 International DRR and HFA2	Margareta Wahlström , Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNISDR)
9:25-09:50	Keynote Speech: Integrating DRR into National Sustainable Development	Jiang Li , NCDR and MOCA
09:50-10:15	Keynote Speech: Major Progress and Findings in IPCC AR5	Qin Dahe , Academician of China Association of Science, Chairman of the Experts Committee of NCDR, Laureate of 2013 Volvo Environment Prize
10:15-10:40	Keynote Speech: Comprehensive Reform and Institutional Development of DRR Schemes	Zheng Gongcheng , Vice Chairman of the Experts Committee of NCDR, Professor of Renmin University of China
10:40-11:00	Tea and Coffee Break	
11:00-12:00	Session 1: National Experiences and Practices Addressing Disaster Risk Governance (Host: Prof. Shi Peijun) <i>(Asia Function Hall, 2nd floor)</i>	
11:00-12:00	6 National Presentations (10 minutes each)	Major Gen Muhammad Saeed Aleem , Chairman of National Disaster Management Agency, Ministry of Climate Change ,Pakistan <i>“National Experiences and Suggestions for</i>

		<p>HFA2”</p> <p>Andreas Goetz, Director-General of National Platform for Natural Hazards PLANAT, Switzerland</p> <p>“Living with risk – Swiss experiences”</p> <p>Th.P.L. (Theo) Bot, Deputy National Coordinator for Security and Counterterrorism (NCTV), Ministry of Security and Justice, Netherlands</p> <p>“Working Together on Safety&Security, Climate Adaptation and Sustainable Economic Development, A Dutch Practice”</p> <p>Wisnu B Wijaya, Deputy Chief of Prevention and Preparedness, National Agency for Disaster Management (BNBP), Indonesia</p> <p>“Implementation of HFA in Indonesia”</p> <p>Oscar Zepeda, Director, Analysis and Risk Management, National Center for Disaster Prevention, Ministry of Interior, Mexico</p> <p>“Mexico's Experience in the Implementation of the HFA and Future Lines of Action”</p> <p>Tadesse Bekele, Deputy Director of Early Warning and Response Directorate, Disaster Risk Management and Food Security Sector, Ministry of Agriculture, Ethiopia</p> <p>“Ethiopia National Experiences and Practice in Disaster Risk Reduction”</p>
12:00-13:00	Lunch Buffet	
13:00-15:20	<p>Session 2: Government Role and Governance (Host: Mr. Shirish Ravan) (Asia Function Hall, 2nd floor)</p>	
13:00-13:40	4 Presentations by Representatives of China’s Ministries and Commissions	Ou Hong , Deputy Director-General of Investment Department, National Development and Reform Commission

	(10 minutes each)	<p>Chen Feng, Deputy Director-General of Department of Development and Planning, Ministry of Education</p> <p>Sun Chengyong, Counselor of the Department of S&T for Social Development, Ministry of Science and Technology</p> <p>Fu Jinling, Deputy Director-General of the Department of Social Security, Ministry of Finance</p>
13:40-14:20	<p>4 Presentations on Government Role and Governance in the Implementation of the Current HFA</p> <p>(10 minutes each)</p>	<p>Muhammad Sani Sidi, Director General of National Emergency Management Agency, Nigeria</p> <p>“Disaster Risk Management - The Experience of the National Emergency Management Agency”</p> <p>Norio Okada, Professor of Kwansai University, Japan</p> <p>“Some Thoughts on What Are the Key Governance Issues Leading to Success or Failure of Implementation of the Current HFA?”</p> <p>Michael H. Glantz, Head of Consortium for Capacity Building, University of Colorado, USA</p> <p>“Lessons Learned about Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) and Climate Change Adaptation (CCA)”</p> <p>Wang Ming, Director of Institute of Integrated Risk Management, Beijing Normal University</p> <p>“Public-Private Partnership in Integrated Risk Governance”</p>
14:20-15:20	Round Table Discussion on National Experiences, Government’s Role and Governance	
15:20-15:40	Tea and Coffee Break	

15:40-17:30	Session 3: Science Role and Governance (Host: Prof. Michael H. Glantz) (Asia Function Hall, 2nd floor)	
15:40-16:30	5 Presentations on Science Role and Governance in the Implementation of the Current HFA (10 minutes each)	<p>Shirish Ravan, Head of UN Platform for Space-based Information for Disaster Management and Emergency Response (UN-SPIDER) Beijing Office, UN Office for Outer Space Affairs (UN-OOSA) <i>“Is Space Technology Contributing Enough to DRR – Challenges with Respect to Implementation of HFA and HFA2”</i></p> <p>Wang Keran, Chief of Space Application Section, The United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) <i>“Importance of Science and Technology Applications for Enhancing Governance in Implementing HFA2”</i></p> <p>Sarb Johal, Associate Professor of Joint Center of Disaster Research, Massey University, New Zealand <i>“The Role of Science in Integrated Disaster Risk Governance: A New Zealand Perspective”</i></p> <p>Yang Siqun, Chief Engineer of National Disaster Reduction Center of China <i>“Comprehensive Operation System for Disaster Reduction in NDRCC”</i></p> <p>Chap Sopornetra, Lecturer of National University of Management, Cambodia</p>
16:30-17:30	Round Table Discussion on Science Role and Integrated Risk Governance	
17:30-17:50	Wrap-up	
17:30-17:40	Wrap-up and Reflection	Margareta Wahlström , UNISDR
17:40-17:50	Wrap-up and Reflection	Shi Peijun , Vice Chairman of the Experts Committee of NCDR, Executive Vice President of

		Beijing Normal University, BNU
17:50-18:00	Closing of Afternoon Sessions	
Friday, May 9th, 2014		
9:00-10:00	Session 4: Report and Suggestion to HFA2 (Host: Prof. Qian Ye) <i>(Asia Function Hall, 2nd floor)</i>	
9:00-9:10	Brief Introduction	Margareta Wahlström , UNISDR
9:10-9:30	Review and Prospects of China's 25-year DRR and Response to HFA	Shi Peijun , BNU
9:30-10:00	Reflection and Discussion on China Report	
10:00-10:20	Tea and Coffee Break	
10:20-11:40	Roundtable Discussion on What have achieved, What to Improve and What to Suggest for HFA2	
11:40-12:00	Wrap-up of Symposium and Next Step	
12:00-12:05	Closing of Symposium	

List of Participants

1. United Nations International Strategy for Disaster Reduction (2):

Name	Position and Affiliation
Margareta Wahlström	Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Disaster Risk Reduction, UNISDR
Fengmin Kan	Senior Advisor , UNISDR

2. National Representatives (alphabetical order) (11):

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Major Gen Muhammad Saeed Aleem	Pakistan	Chairman , National Disaster Management Agency, Ministry of Climate Change
Tadesse Bekele	Ethiopia	Deputy Director , Early Warning and Response Directorate, Disaster Risk Management and Food Security Sector, Ministry of Agriculture
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Ibrahim Farinloye	Nigeria	Information Officer , National Emergency Management Agency
Firza Ghozalba	Indonesia	Section chief for structural mitigation, Prevention and Preparedness, Indonesia National Agency for Disaster Management (BNBP)
Corsmas L.P.M. Goemans	Netherlands	Project manager and policy advisor at the Directorate Resilience of Security and Counterterrorism (NCTV), Ministry of Security and Justice
Andreas Goetz	Switzerland	Director-General , National Platform for Natural Hazards PLANAT
Muhammad Sani Sidi	Nigeria	Director General , National Emergency Management Agency
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Chen Feng	Deputy Director-General , Department of Development and Planning, Ministry of Education
Fang Zhiyong	Deputy Counselor , Department of Disaster Relief, Ministry of Civil Affairs
Fu Jinling	Deputy Director-General , Department of Social Security, Ministry of Finance
Gui Xiong	Principal Staff , Department of Social Security, Ministry of Finance
Jiang Li	Secretary-General , NCDR, Vice Minister of Civil Affairs
Kang Peng	Director-General , Department of International Cooperation, Ministry of Civil Affairs
Lai Hongzhou	Director , Division of Disaster Relief, Department of Disaster Relief, Ministry of Civil Affairs
Luo Xin	Director , Multilateral Division, Department of International Cooperation, Ministry of Civil Affairs
Ou Hong	Deputy Director-General , Investment Department, National Development and Reform Commission
Pang Chengmin	Director-General , Department of Disaster Relief, Ministry of Civil Affairs
Sun Chengyong	Counselor , Department of S&T for Social Development, Ministry of Science and Technology
Wen Xiaolong	Principal Staff , Local Investment Office, Investment Department, National Development and Reform Commission
Yang Siquan	Chief Engineer , National Disaster Reduction Center of China

4. Scientists and professionals Group (alphabetical order) (12):

Name	Nationality	Affiliation and Position
Michael H. Glantz	American	Head , Consortium for Capacity Building, University of Colorado, United States

Sarb Johal	New Zealander	Associate Professor of Joint Center of Disaster Research, Massey University, New Zealand
Wang Keran	Chinese	Chief , Space Application Sector, The United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP)
Longfei Liu	Chinese	UN-SPIDER Beijing Office
Christian Madu	Nigerian	Director , Centre for Disaster Risk Management, University of Nigeria
Wang Ming	Chinese	Professor of Beijing Normal University Expert member , Experts Committee of NCDR
Norio Okada	Japanese	Professor of Kwansei University, Japan
Tso-Chien Pan	Singapore	Professor of Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
Shi Peijun	Chinese	Vice Chairman , Experts Committee of NCDR, Professor, Executive Vice President , Beijing Normal University
Ye Qian	Chinese	Professor of Beijing Normal University Executive Director , Integrated Risk Governance Project
Shirish Ravan	Austrian	Head , UN Platform for Space-based Information for Disaster Management and Emergency Response (UN-SPIDER) Beijing Office, UN Office for Outer Space Affairs (UN-OOSA)
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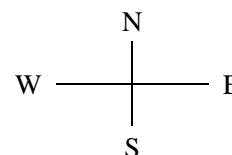
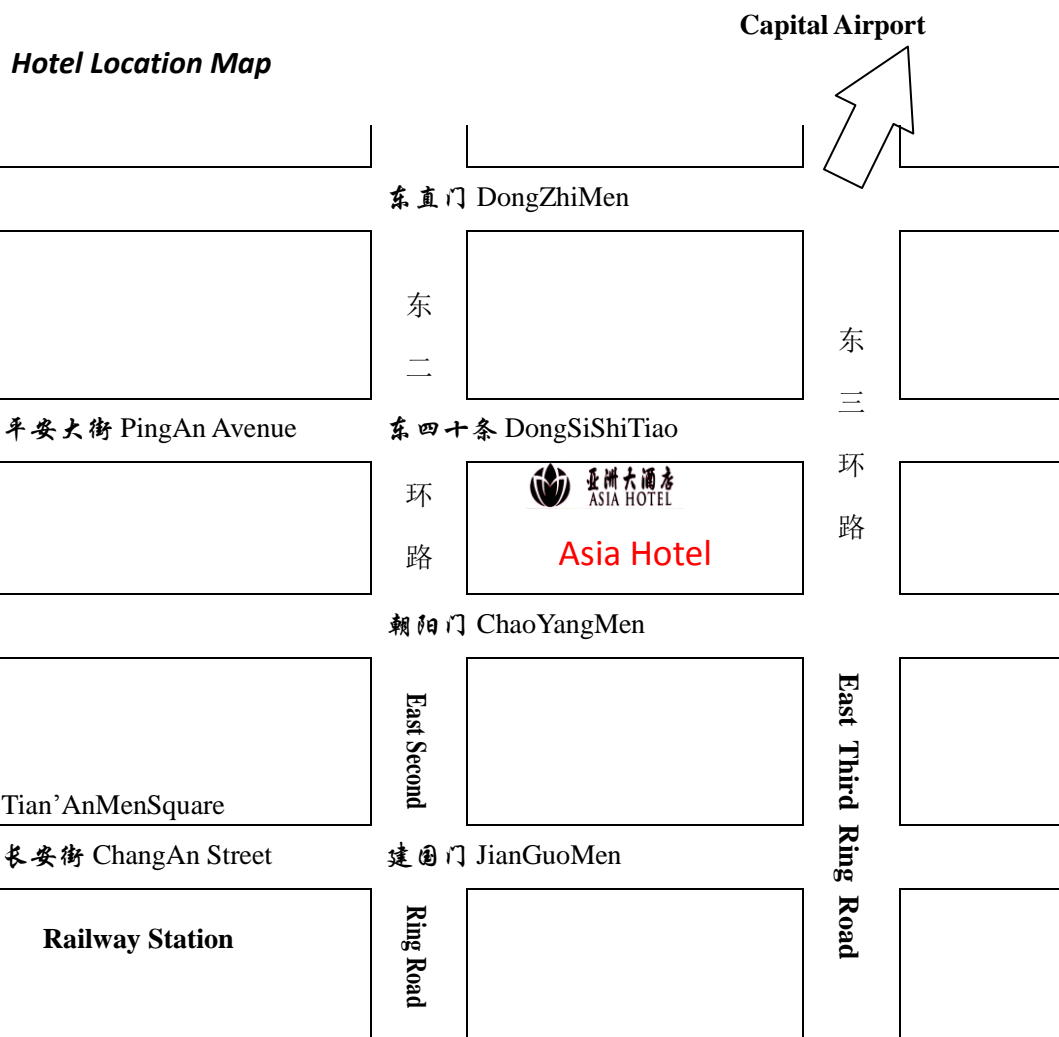
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The rooms have been reserved for participants based on the filled confirmation forms, and the organizer will cover the accommodation during the symposium (May 7th to May 9th).



Symposium Venue

Opening Ceremony Venue (Morning, May 8th, 2014)

We will share the opening ceremony with China National Integrated Disaster Prevention and Mitigation and Sustainable Development Forum, in **Asia Conference Hall**, 3rd floor of Asia Hotel.

Symposium Venue (May 8th, May 9th, 2014)

Asia Function Hall, 2nd floor of Asia Hotel

Venue Map

Figure of the Venue, Beijing Asia Hotel (F3-F2)

① Escalator (F1-3) ② Lift (F1-19) ③ Stairway (F2-4) ④ Stairway (B2-F19)

