

A webinar on

TECHNOLOGIES AND TOOLS FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION RELATED TO CLIMATE CHANGE

In the recent years, there has been a spate of natural disasters, having serious repercussions on the livelihoods of people, especially in the developing world. Economic development, population growth and rapid urbanization are driving the rising trend in disaster losses. The impact of disasters will continue to rise with climate change exacerbating such trends. Many developing countries lack the tools, expertise, and instruments to factor the potential impacts of adverse natural events in their investment decisions. This webinar intends to introduce technologies and tools for disaster risk management related to climate change in order to build the capacities of developing nations to build resilience against disasters.

This 90 minute long webinar will provide an overview of natural disasters and introduce technologies and tools for disaster risk assessment and reduction. Emphasis will be on creating enabling environment for disaster risk management. There will be plenty of time, through two Q/A sessions, for participants to interact with the experts.

The resource persons for the webinar



Dr. Mukund S. Babel

Asian Institute of Technology

Relevant expertise: Climate change impact assessments; Flood & Drought manage-



Dr. Manzul Hazarika

Asian Institute of Technology

Relevant expertise: Multi-hazard risk assessment and Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR)



Mr. Atiq Ahmed

Asian Disaster Preparedness Center

Relevant expertise: Early warning systems; Social-ecological resilience



Dr. Sylvain Perret

Asian Institute of Technology and CIRAD

Relevant expertise: Water governance; economics of climate related disasters

Who can participate?

The targeted audiences for this webinar are public sector officials, civil societies, NGOs, private sector, and students.

How to participate?

Interested participants can visit the following link and register.

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5995038039047645953>

When?

Date: June 10, 2015

Time: 4:00–5:30 p.m ICT (UTC +07)

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