



(Tentative Draft for Conference Observers)

**Asian Conference on Disaster Reduction 2010
(ACDR2010)
17-19 January 2010
Room Kairaku, Kobe Portopia Hotel, Kobe (Hyogo)**

16 Jan (Sat.) [Pre-Event] IRP Recovery Forum

17 Jan (Sun.) ACDR2010 Day 1

12:45-13:45 Registration (2F Promenade, Portopia Hotel)

14:15-15:15 **ACDR2010 Opening Ceremony**

Opening & Welcome Remarks

H.E. Mr. Seiji Maehara, Minister of State for Disaster Management,
Government of Japan (tbc)

Prof. Shigeru Itoh, Chairman, ADRC

Mr. Kenzo Oshima, Senior Vice President, JICA

Keynote Speech on the HFA mid-term review

Ms. Margareta Wahlstrom, Assistant Secretary-General for Disaster Risk
Reduction and Special Representative of the Secretary-General for the Hyogo
Framework for Action in the Secretariat for the International Strategy for
Disaster Reduction

15:15-15:30 Commemorative Photo

16:00-18:00 **ACDR2010 Public Forum: "Application of Space Technology into DRR"**

Introductory Presentation: Mr. Makoto Fujieda, Senior Researcher, ADRC

Presentations:

- Promotion of application of Space Technology into DRR by Mr. David Stevens, Programme Officer, United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs (UNOOSA)
- Application of Space Technology into DRR in Japan by Mr. Futoshi Takiguchi, Manager, Disaster Management Support Systems Office, Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA)
- Use of Satellite Data for DRR by Dr. Lal Samarakoon, Director, Geoinformatics Center, Asian Institute of Technology (AIT)
- Use of Satellite Data in Saptakoshi Basin of Nepal, Mr. Thir Bahadur G.C., Under Secretary, Disaster Management, Ministry of Home Affairs, Nepal
- A Practice of Use of Satellite Data in Emergency Situation by Ms. Mandira Shrestha, Water Resource Specialist, Integrated Water & Hazard Management, International Center for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD)
- Use of Satellite Data in Disaster Risk Management System in Gifu Prefecture, Japan by Mr. Satoshi Wada, Chief Engineer, Gifu Prefecture, Japan

Q&A

Wrap-up & Future Perspective by Dr. Lal Samarakoon

18 Jan (Mon.) ACDR2010 Day 2

11:00-12:30 **ACDR2010 Session 1: Sharing Knowledge and Lessons on Disasters**
Session Coordinator: Naoto Tajiri, Director, Disaster Management, Cabinet Office, Japan

Part I Lessons Learned From Recent Devastating Disasters in Asia

Presentations:

- Flood disaster in 2009 by Mr. Dev Kumar, Director, Disaster Management Division, Ministry of Home Affairs, India
- Sumatra Earthquake in October 2009 by Mr. Sugeng Triutomo, Deputy Chief, Prevention and Preparedness Department, National Agency for Disaster Management (BNPB), Indonesia
- Typhoon Ketsana and Parma in 2009 by Glen J. Rabonza, Administrator, Office of Civil Defense, Philippines
- Flood disaster in 2009 by Dr. Nguyen Huu Phuc, Deputy Director, Department of Dike Management, Flood and Storm Control, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, Vietnam

Q&A and Discussion

Part II Tools to Share Knowledge and Lessons on Disasters

Introduction:

- Transfer the Lessons Learned from Disasters by Yoshinobu Fukasawa, Deputy Secretary General, TeLL-Net (Transfer Live Lessons Network)/ Counselor, FDMA, Japan
- Disaster Reduction Hyperbase (DRH) - toward its implementation in Asian practice – by Dr. Hiroyuki Kameda, Earthquake Disaster Mitigation Research Center (EDM), National Research Institute for Earth Science and Disaster Prevention (NIED)

13:45-15:30 **ACDR2010 Session 2: DRR Policy Review of ADRC Member Countries**
(Towards promotion of implementation of HFA)
Session Coordinator: Mr. German Velasquez, Regional Coordinator, UNISDR Asia and Pacific

Presentations:

- Report on Baseline Study conducted by ADPC, ADRC and ISDR (tbc)
- Report from ISDR (incl. Global Review of HFA implementation) by Mr. Velasquez, UNISDR
- Report and Discussion on Issues and Challenges in Achieving its Goals in the Remaining 5 years by representatives in ADRC member countries
 - (1) Mr. U. W. L. Chandradasa, Director for Mitigation and Technology, Disaster Management Center, Sri Lanka
 - (2) Mr. Nodirjon Mahmudovich Djumaev, Head, Operational Department, Uzbekistan (tbc)
 - (3) Dr. Dugkeun Park, Senior Analyst, 4th AMCDRR Task Force Team, National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA), Republic of Korea

Discussion and Recommendation

15:30-15:45 Coffee Break

- 15:45-17:00 ACDR2010 Session 2 (Cont.)
- ADRC DRR Policy Peer Review in FY2009: HFA Priority 3
 - Explanation of Program by Ms. Maki Yoshida, Researcher, ADRC
 - Discussion on ADRC DRR Policy Peer Review in FY2009
- Coordinator: Mr. Atsushi Koresawa, Executive Director, ADRC
 Commentators:
- [Review of Thailand]
- Mr. Naoki Shiratsuchi, Japanese Red Cross Society
 - Dr. Alvaro Antonyan, President, Armenian National Survey for Seismic Protection Agency
 - Mr. Adthaporn Singhawichai, Director, Research and International Cooperation Bureau, Department of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation, Ministry of Interior, Thailand
- [Review of Bhutan]
- Dr. Koichi Shiwaku, Earthquake Disaster Mitigation Research Center of the National Research Institute for Earth Science and Disaster Prevention (EDM-NIED)
 - Mr. Shaukat N. Tahir, Senior Member of National Disaster Management Authority, Pakistan
 - Mr. Namgay Wangchuk., Director, Department of Disaster Management, Ministry of Home and Cultural Affairs, Bhutan

Summary of the Session 2 by Mr. German Verasquez, UNISDR

17:00-17:15 Coffee Break

17:15-18:45 **Special Session for the 4th AMCDRR:** Topics in the High Level Round Table and Technical Session

19 Jan (Tue.) ACDR2010 Day 3

09:00-10:30 **ACDR2010 Session 3: Sub-regional Cooperation for DRR (ASEAN, SAARC, and Central Asia)**

Session Coordinator: Mr. Atsushi Koresawa, Executive Director, ADRC

- ADRC Activities for supporting sub-regional cooperation by Mr. Atsushi Koresawa, ADRC
- JICA Activities for Supporting Sub-Regional Cooperation by Mr. Eizen Irei, Director General, JICA Hyogo
- Activities and Challenges for Promoting Sub-regional Cooperation for DRR
 - ASEAN: Dr. Marqueza Cathalina Lepana Reyes, Technical Advisor on Disaster Reduction, Disaster Management and Humanitarian Assistance Division, ASEAN-UNISDR Technical Cooperation on HFA Implementation
 - SAARC: Mr. Prabodh Gopal Dhar Chakrabarti, Executive Director, SAARC Disaster Management Center
- Q&A

10:30-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-12:00 Session 3 (Cont.)

- Central Asia: Ms. Gabriella Waaijman, Regional Disaster Response Advisor, OCHA (tbc)
- Japan-China-South Korea: Mr. Naoto Tajiri, Director for Disaster Preparedness, Public Relations and International Cooperation, Cabinet Office of Japan (tbc)
- Discussion for further promotion of Sub-regional Cooperation

12:00-13:00 **ACDR2010 Chair's Summary & Closing Session**

- Discussion on Draft Chair Summary
- Closing Remarks (Government of Japan and next host country)

20 Jan (Wed.): Related International Meetings (Parallel Meetings)

[Group B: Symposium on the Framework of the Regional Disaster Prevention in SAARC Region]

*All participants from SAARC Member States are requested to attend the Symposium.

*All other participants of the ACDR2010 are welcome to join the Symposium.

[Group C: Central Asia and Caucasus Regional Cooperation Meeting on Disaster Risk Reduction (Central Asia, Caucasus, Russia)]

*All participants from Central Asia, Caucasus, and Russia are requested to attend the Meeting.

*All other participants of the ACDR2010 are welcome to join the Meeting.

**The venue of the Meeting is JICA Hyogo Center

[Note]

*ACDM and ACDM+3 are not convened in this occasion.