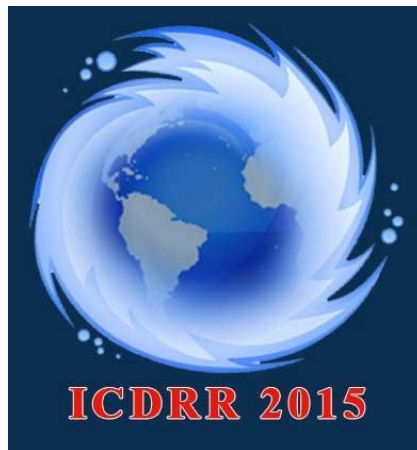




International Conference on
Disaster Risk Reduction, 2015
Sundarban, West Bengal, India



CALL FOR PAPERS

ICDRR 2015: INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON DISASTER RISK REDUCTION

Submission Deadline: 31st August 2015

Conference Date: November 20th & 21st 2015
Organiser: Excellous Society in collaboration with MITIGATOR
Kolkata, India

The **ICDRR 2015**: aims to bring together leading academic scientists, researchers and research scholars and NGOs to exchange and share their experiences and research results about all aspects of Disaster Risk Management. It also provides the premier inter-multi-trans-disciplinary forum for researchers, practitioners and educators to present and discuss the most recent innovations, trends, and concerns, practical challenges encountered and the solutions adopted in the field of Disaster Risk Management.

Invitation for Contributions

All honourable authors are please encouraged to contribute to and help shape the conference through submissions of their research abstracts, papers and posters. Also, high quality research contributions describing original and unpublished results of conceptual, constructive, empirical, experimental, or theoretical work in all areas of Disaster Risk Management are cordially invited for presentation at the conference. The conference solicits

contributions of abstracts, papers and posters that address themes and topics of the conference, including figures, tables and references of novel research work.

Topics

Relevant theme and topics for ICDRR-2015 include, but are not limited to:
The deliberations of the Congress shall take place in 20 Thematic Sessions structured around 9 Thematic Clusters. The details are as follows:

SR.NO.	THEMATIC CLUSTERS	THEMATIC SESSIONS
1	Disasters caused by Natural Hazards	Session – 1: Geological Disasters
		Session – 2 : Hydro-Meteorological Disasters
2	Disasters caused by Man Made Hazards	Session – 3 : Accident related Disasters
		Session – 4 : Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear Disasters
3	Disaster Vulnerabilities	Session – 5 : Social Vulnerabilities
		Session – 6 : Economic Vulnerabilities
		Session – 7 : Community Vulnerabilities and Preparedness
4	Application of Science and Technology	Session – 8 : Remote Sensing and GIS
		Session – 9 : Early Warning and Communication Technologies
		Session – 10 : Resilient Infrastructure and Housing
5	Sectoral Issues of Disaster Management	Session – 11 : Disaster Management and Health
		Session – 12 : Disaster Management and Education
		Session – 13 : Role of NGOs in Disaster Management
6	Multi-Stakeholder Participation	Session – 14 : Media and Disasters
7	Disaster Response and Recovery	Session – 15 : Search, Rescue and Evacuation
		Session – 16 : Emergency Relief and Humanitarian Assistance
		Session – 17 : Disaster Recovery and Reconstruction
8	Risk Financing and Risk Governance	Session – 18: Risk Governance
9	Challenges and Visions for Future	Session – 19 : Climate Change and Disasters at Sunderbans
		Session – 20 : Future Carbon footprint

Probable Invited Speakers

1. Prof. Santosh Kumar, Director (SDMC)
2. Dr. Sanzida Murshed (University of Dhaka)
3. Dr. Arun Chandan, Mountain Forum Himalayas
4. Dhruva Raj Goutam (NDRC, Nepal)
5. Dr. Shahida Rafique (Dean Faculty of Engineering and Technology, University of Dhaka.
6. Dr. S.C.Santra, Kalyani University
7. Dr. S.R. Bhattacharyya, Kalyani University
8. Prof. S. P. Bhattacharyya, IIT, Kharagpur
9. Prof. Joysree Roy, Co-ordinator Global Change Program, JU, Kolkata
10. Prof. B.K. Dutta (WBPCB)
11. G. Chowdhuri, Mitigator
12. Prof. A.K.M. Saiful Islam IWFM, BUET
13. Dr. Md. Sirajul Islam, NSU
14. Mr. Abu salem Khan, IWM

Submission Guidelines

Submissions must describe substantial, original and unpublished work. Wherever appropriate, concrete evaluation and analysis must be included. All submissions to ICDRR 2015 will be reviewed on the basis of originality, relevance, importance and clarity by at least three reviewers. Authors should refer to themselves in third person when citing their own work. Expressions like "In our earlier work..." or "We previously showed that..." should be avoided when submitting the paper for review.

There will be two categories of papers:

- Full papers: Full paper submissions should not exceed 8 pages with 2 additional pages for references or appendices if needed/applicable.
- Short papers: Short paper submissions should not exceed 4 pages with one additional page for references or appendices if needed/applicable.

Authors will decide the category of their paper depending on the length of the paper. They will also decide the area/track of their submissions. The submitted papers must be in PDF format. Preferable font style should be in Bookman old style/Times Roman font size should be 12. Submission links will be made available on ICDRR 2015 website soon. The only accepted format of submissions is PDF. Papers which do not conform to the requirements may get rejected without review.

Please note that it is the responsibility of the authors to ensure that the PDF submission has been uploaded successfully (we suggest that you try downloading your paper again yourself, to check). Alternatively, you may send the paper through email. Official mail id for submitting paper is icdrr2015@excellous.in

Important Dates

1 st July 2015	Early bird registration with a benefit of Rs. 1000 & \$50
15 th August 2015	Last date of submission of Abstract (max. 300 words)
31 st August 2015	Last date of submission of Final Paper
20-21 st November 2015	Conference to be held in Sundarban, India

Registration Fees

For Indian Authors	1) Early bird regn.	INR. 7,500
	2) Regn. After 1 st July 2015	INR. 8,500
For Foreign Authors	1) Early bird regn.	USD 250
	2) Regn. After 1 st July 2015	USD 300

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