



**Asian Conference on Disaster Reduction 2013
(ACDR2013)
23 January 2013
Kobe, Japan (ANA Crowne Plaza Hotel)**

Program

Wednesday, 23 January

8:00-9:00 **Registration**

9:00-9:30

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Opening & Welcome Remarks

- Mr. Yoshitami Kameoka, Parliamentary Secretary of Disaster Management, Cabinet Office, Government of Japan
- Dr. Shigeru Itoh, Chairman, Asian Disaster Reduction Center (ADRC)
- Mr. Andrew Maskrey, Global Assessment Report (GAR) Coordinator, UNISDR

9:30-9:50

Group Photo

9:50-10:10

Coffee Break

10:10-12:10

Session 1: Space Based Technologies for DRR

Discussion on expectations and challenges of space technology utilization in multifaceted DRR programs

Chair

- Dr. Manzul Kumar Hazarika, Associate Director, Geoinformatics Center, Asian Institute of Technology (AIT)

Co-Chair

- Mr. Masaru Arakida, Senior Researcher, ADRC

Speakers

- Dr. Osamu Murao, Associate Professor, Department of Risk Engineering, Faculty of Systems and Information Engineering, University of Tsukuba, *Possibility of Satellite Imagery for the Research on Post-disaster Urban Recovery*
- Mr. Ichiro Naito, Manager, Disaster Management Support Systems Office, Satellite Applications and Promotion Center, Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA), *Utilization of Satellite with a Focus on the Sentinel Asia*
- Dr. Manzul Kumar Hazarika, Associate Director, Geoinformatics Center, AIT, *Application of Satellite Data in Disaster Management*
- Dr. Alisho Shomahmadov, Head of Information Management and Analytical Center, Committee for Emergency Situations and Civil Defense under the Government of Tajikistan, *The Application of Space Based Technologies for the Disaster Risk Assessment at the Level of Communities*
- Ms. Aida Ulakova, Leading Specialist, Legal Department, Ministry of Emergency

Situations of the Kyrgyz Republic, *Good Practice, Utilization of Satellite Image for Disaster Mitigation and Reduction Activity in Kyrgyz Republic*

- Mr. Makoto Ikeda, Researcher, ADRC, *Midterm Report; Emergency Observation and Research for Utilization of Satellite Image in Asia-Pacific countries*

Q&A

Wrap-up of the discussion and future perspective

12:10-13:10 Lunch

13:10-15:10 **Session 2: Engagement of Private Sector in DRR**

Facilitator

Mr. Takahiro Ono, BCP Manager, Mitsubishi Corporation Insurance Co., Ltd./ Visiting Researcher, ADRC

Speakers

- Dr. Norio Maki, Associate Professor, Disaster Prevention Research Institute, Kyoto University, *Economic Recovery from Disaster; Safer City and Economic Revitalization*
- Dr. Wei-Sen Li, Deputy Executive Secretary, National Science and Technology Center for Disaster Reduction/ Co-Chair, APEC Emergency Preparedness Working Group, *Stories of Implementation of Public-Private Partnership*
- Mr. Aslam Perwaiz, Head, Disaster Risk Management Systems, Asian Disaster Preparedness Center (ADPC), *Private Sector Engagement in Disaster Risk Reduction*
- Mr. Takahiro Ono, BCP Manager, Mitsubishi Corporation Insurance Co., Ltd./ Visiting Researcher, ADRC, *How are Businesses Affected by Disasters and What Impact does This Have on Communities?*

Q&A

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15:10-15:30 Coffee Break

15:30-16:30 **Session 3: Global Trends on DRR and Towards a Post-HFA**

Facilitator

- Mr. Kiyoshi Natori, Executive Director, ADRC

Speakers

- Ms. Yuki Matsuoka, Head, UNISDR Hyogo Office, *Towards a Post-HFA and the Outcome of the 5th AMCDRR*
- Mr. Andrew Maskrey, GAR Coordinator, UNISDR, *Global Assessment Report on Disaster Risk Reduction (GAR)*

Q&A

16:30-17:00 **Closing Ceremony**

Closing Remarks

- Mr. Masatoshi Yokkaichi, Director, Disaster Preparedness, Public Relations and International Cooperation, Cabinet Office, Government of Japan

18:00-19:30 **ADRC Steering Committee (ADRC members only)**