



UNISDR Secretariat Pledge to Nairobi Work Programme

- UNISDR secretariat supports ISDR System partners in implementing the Hyogo Framework.
- We mobilize, guide and facilitate action to integrate disaster risk reduction and adaptation.
- Our pledge applies to 5 NWP work areas.



Climate variability and extreme events

- ✓ Co-sponsor this workshop in Havana!
- ✓ Host a high-level panel on climate change at the **Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction**, 16-19 June 2009, and promote participants' commitment to practical action at national level to support climate change negotiators.
- ✓ **Sponsor climate change participants** to Global Platform and DRR experts to relevant climate change meetings.
- ✓ Support participation of Latin American and Caribbean climate change adaptation focal points in the ILO/DELNET course.
- ✓ Disseminate to climate change audience the findings of technical **studies of the economics of disaster risk reduction** produced by World Bank in collaboration with UNISDR Secretariat, 2009.
- ✓ Prepare with ISDR System partners a briefing note for Parties on opportunities and constraints of **insurance** as an instrument for reducing disaster risk, 2009.
- ✓ **Translate** relevant adaptation and DRR documents into Spanish and Arabic.



Socio-economic information

- ✓ Prepare for a climate change audience a briefing note on the relevant findings of the *2009 Global Assessment Report on Disaster Risk Reduction* identifying risk data and disaster trends as well as documenting Government progress in reducing disaster risk.

Methodologies and tools

- ✓ Support activities at regional meetings in Americas-region to share disaster risk reduction methods and tools with climate change adaptation practitioners and climate change methods and tools with disaster risk reduction practitioners, in collaboration with ISDR System partners.

Adaptation planning and practices



- ✓ Support the development of **adaptation strategies in Vietnam, India and Indonesia** that take advantage of existing disaster risk reduction institutions, policies and mechanisms at various levels through high-level advocacy and co-sponsorship of relevant coordination events.
- ✓ Support the development of **Peru's Guidelines for the National Adaptation Strategy** to include disaster risk reduction.
- ✓ Assist **West Asia and North Africa region** countries in identifying suitable **adaptive strategies and actions** to climate change by facilitating exchange of expertise and experience on disaster risk reduction and adaptation, producing a regional climate change and disaster risk reduction review and organizing a regional expert workshop on climate change and disaster risk reduction.



Adaptation planning and practices, *cont.*

- ✓ Build upon regional networks' activities on risk reduction by including climate change adaptation in workshop agendas, such as the **Second Africa Regional Platform meeting and the Second African Ministerial Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction** in 2009.
- ✓ Prepare **analysis of barriers and bridges to integrating** risk reduction measures in adaptation plans at municipal and national levels based on case studies, 2009.
- ✓ Disseminate the 2008 ***Primer for Climate Resilient Cities: Reducing vulnerabilities to climate change impacts and strengthening disaster risk management in East Asian cities***, and ***City Profile: Climate and Disaster Resilience***, produced by ISDR System partners with UNISDR.