

**UNFCCC workshop on the identification of gaps and challenges  
in the implementation of risk management approaches to the adverse effects of climate change**

10–12 October 2011, Lima, Peru

**AGENDA**

<b>DAY 1: Monday, 10 October</b>	
08:00 – 09:30	<b>Registration</b>
09:30 – 10:00	<b>Opening</b>
10:00 – 10:20	<b>Coffee break</b>
10:20 – 12:30	<p><b>Introduction by the chair</b> <b>Session 1 – Framing the discussion</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brief history of the topic under the Convention process Ms. Miwa Kato, UNFCCC secretariat</li> <li>• The disaster risk management process Mr. Allan Lavell, Programme for Disaster Risk Management, Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales</li> <li>• IPCC Special Report on managing the risks of extreme events and disasters to advance climate change adaptation Ms. Matilde Rusticucci, IPCC</li> </ul> <p>Discussion on expectations and outcomes - all participants</p> <p>General perspectives from national experiences</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Risk management in planning and investment for development Ms. Rosa Morales Saravia, Department of Climate Change, desertification and hydrological resources, Ministry of Environment Peru</li> <li>• Switzerland's approach and implementation of integrated risk management; and action at international level, examples of Andean initiatives Mr. Olivier Overney, FOEN, and Mr. Roberto Mendez, SDC</li> </ul>
12:30 – 14:00	<b>Lunch time event hosted by the government of Peru and UNDP "Climate risk management in high Andean communities of Peru"</b>
14:00 – 17:00 (including coffee break)	<p><b>Session 2 – Assessments for informed decision-making</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overview of the risk assessment landscape: Risk Assessment and stratification using the hybrid loss exceedance curve Mr. Omar Dario Cardona, Consortium ERN-AL</li> <li>• Global assessment report on disaster reduction (GAR) 2011 Mr. Andrew Maskrey, UN/ISDR</li> <li>• Linkages with Global Framework for Climate Services Ms. Maryam Golnaraghi, WMO</li> <li>• The development and use of the Caribbean risk management guidelines for climate change adaptation decision-making Mr. Carlos Fuller, CCCCC</li> <li>• National experiences from "innovative risk management tools" programme Ms. Pamela Kertland, Canada</li> </ul>
17:00 – 18:00	Summary discussion on gaps and challenges related to risk assessment (region-specific and across region/those related to risk management cycle)

<b>DAY 2: Tuesday, 11 October</b>	
09:00 – 12:30 (including coffee break)	<p><b>Session 3 – Risk reduction: planning, preparation and decision-making</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DRR and adaptation integration: Intent and practice Mr. Jerry Collymore, CDEMA</li> <li>• Support for joint national planning for adaptation and disaster risk management Mr. Espen Ronneberg, SPREP</li> <li>• National experience on tools/approaches at the national and community levels Mr. Jacob Tio, Philippines</li> </ul> <p>Participatory exercise</p>
12:30 – 14:00	<p><b>Lunch time event hosted by MCII</b>  <b>"What can insurance deliver for adaptation:  Frequently asked questions, opportunities, challenges"</b></p>
14:00 – 16:00	<p><b>Session 4 – Risk sharing, pooling and transfer: Relevance to adaptation, and examples of current experience</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to risk sharing and risk transfer, with examples from practice Mr. Jerry Skees, Global AgRisk</li> <li>• Roles for public and private sector in risk sharing, pooling and transfer Mr. Manuel Almenara, Willis Re Latin America and the Caribbean</li> <li>• Sovereign climate risk management in practice Mr. Simon Young, CCRIF</li> <li>• Africa transitioning from managing crises to managing risks Ms. Fatima Kassam, African Risk Capacity: Sovereign Disaster Risk Solutions A Project of the African Union</li> </ul> <p>Discussion on the use of risk transfer tools including insurance in the context of adaptation to climate change</p>
14:00 – 15:00	
15:00 – 16:00	
16:00 – 16:30	<b>Coffee break</b>
16:30 – 17:30	<p><b>Session 5 – Way forward</b></p> <p>Panel discussion: A broad perspective on the role of the Convention in addressing the range of risk management approaches (from assessment to response)</p>
19:00 – 21:30	Networking dinner hosted by the government of Peru

<b>DAY 3: Wednesday, 12 October</b>	
09:30 – 11:10	<p><b>Session 5 – Cont'd</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Summary discussion on gaps and challenges related to risk reduction and risk transfer (region-specific and across regions) from sessions 3 &amp; 4, and recap of day 1</li> <li>• Plenary discussion on complementarities and linkages of different approaches</li> </ul>
11:10 – 11:30	<b>Coffee break</b>
11:30 – 13:00	Breakout group discussions on options to address gaps and challenges in the implementation of risk management approaches to the adverse effects of climate change
13:00 – 14:30	<b>Lunch time event hosted by the UN/ISDR</b>
14:30 – 16:30	<p><b>Session 5 – Cont'd</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reporting back and plenary discussion on the outcomes of the breakout groups</li> <li>• Inputs/potential contribution by organizations</li> <li>• Panel discussion on key messages</li> <li>• Chair's summary</li> <li>• Closing</li> </ul>