

Making Cities Resilient

My City is Getting Ready

**VENICE**  
**Role model for cultural  
heritage protection**

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# Achievements to date

Structural and non-structural measures

-> *Living with floods*  
instead of *Fighting floods*



Venice, 1966

# Campaign's added value

## Global Network structure



Workshop

### Protection of Venice and Byblos against maritime risks

28-29 June 2011, Byblos (Lebanon)

### European Campaign Launch

Venice, 12-13 March 2012

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- Inter-departmental & inter-organizational dialogue
- Public awareness and training activities (*active citizenship*)
- Shift emphasis from emergency to prevention

# Gaps to be filled



- and ONE instrument?
- How can we sort them?
- Language gaps

Better science, more useful for city managers!

