Top developer makes case for DRR

The head of one of the world’s leading property developers partnered with GETI to make the Business Case for DRR to 60 representatives of the private sector in the Philippines.

Read More: http://www.unisdr.org/archive/37893

Qatar strengthens desert resilience: GETI is supporting Qatar to continue its major effort to develop a national plan for mainstreaming DRR and recovery. A follow-up support visit is due in August 2014.

Read More: www.unisdr.org/archive/37533

HFA helps Armenia reduce disaster risk: The Hyogo Framework for Action was endorsed as a guiding force for national progress in DRR at a high-level forum coorganised by GETI.

Read More: http://www.unisdr.org/archive/38708

GETI strengthens links with Mongolia & SAARC: GETI delivered two “Mainstreaming Climate Change Adaptation and Disaster Risk Reduction for Sustainable Development” workshops in Ulan Batar & Delhi.

Read More: http://www.unisdr.org/archive/38899

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Developing a cadre of professionals

UNISDR’s Office for Northeast Asia and Global Education Training Institute (GETI) was established in 2010 to develop a new cadre of professionals in DRR and climate change adaptation for disaster resilient societies.

In 2014 (to the end of July), GETI had facilitated resilience action planning at nine forums in Armenia, India, Mongolia, Philippines, Qatar, and Republic of Korea, for more than 500 city and national DRR practitioners and policymakers from more than 26 countries. GETI partners with city and national partners in its work which also aims to strengthen country training institutes to take over future capacity building support.

The UN World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction, in March 2015, in Japan, is set to produce a Post-2015 successor to the Hyogo Framework for Action that identifies city and national level capacity building as crucial to future efforts to build resilience.

GETI’s two main partners are the Korean National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) and the City of Incheon municipality, which hosts the Institute. GETI also works with national governments, city authorities, national training institutes, development agencies, international organisations, and sister UN organisations to deliver on its capacity building mandate.

Upcoming Calendar

City Resilience Action Planning
Jeju, Rep of Korea 20-23 Oct
City Resilience Action Planning
Makati, Philippines 27-30 Oct
Trilateral City Resilience Action Planning
Seoul, Rep of Korea 6-7 Nov
National Resilience Action Planning
Yerevan, Armenia 24-28 Nov
National Resilience Action Planning
Tblisi, Georgia 2-5 Dec
City to City Resilience Learning Forum
GETI, Rep of Korea 15-19 Dec

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