

ISDR ASIA PARTNERSHIP FORUM 2017

| 14-15 December 2017 | Pullman Bangkok King Power Hotel | Thailand |

Programme (Provisional)

Day 1: Thursday 14 December

08:00 – 09:00 **Registration**

09:00 – 09:20 **Opening Session**

- **Welcome Address:**

Ms. Kirsi Madi, Director, UNISDR

- **Opening Remarks and Official Opening**

Ms Sayanaa Lkhagvasuren, Chief Adviser to Deputy Prime Minister and Head of DPM's Office, Government of Mongolia

Roundtable introduction of the Participants

09:20 – 09:30 **Introduction of the Agenda**

Ms. Loretta Hieber Girardet, Chief, UNISDR Regional Office for Asia Pacific

09:30 – 10:15 **Setting the Stage: Progress in the Implementation of the Sendai Framework and the Asia Regional Plan for Implementation of the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction**

Moderator: Government of India (Host of AMCDRR 2016)

Presentation: UNISDR and UNESCAP

Discussion

10:15 – 10:45 **Group Photo**

Tea/Coffee Break

10:45 – 12:45 **Progress in Disaster Risk Reduction**

Moderated by the Chair

Updates from Governments*

12:45 – 14:00 *Lunch*

14:00 – 14:15 **Progress in Disaster Risk Reduction**

Moderated by the Chair

Updates from the intergovernmental and regional organisations*

14:15 – 15:30 **Progress in Disaster Risk Reduction**

Moderated by the Chair

Updates from the stakeholder groups*

15:30 – 16:00 *Tea/Coffee Break*

16:00 – 16:45 **Progress in Disaster Risk Reduction**

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Updates from the UN and International Organisations*

16:45 – 17:00 **Summary and wrap-up by the Chair**

18:00 – 20:00 **Reception**

* Brief reports on three main developments and key challenges in the implementation of the Asia Regional Plan, and in particular, the Two-Year Action Plan 2017-18. It is strongly recommended that the updates should be based on the commitments made at the AMCDRR 2016 and IAP April 2017.

Day 2: Friday 15 December

09:00 – 09:10 **Recap of Day 1**
UNISDR

09:10 – 10:00 **AMCDRR 2018: Plans and status of preparation**
Presentation: Government of Mongolia
Discussion

10:00 – 10:30 *Tea-Coffee Break*

10:30 – 12:30 **Defining the AMCDRR Agenda: Breakout Groups**

1. Sendai Priority 1: Understanding disaster risk
2. Sendai Priority 2: Disaster risk governance
3. Sendai Priority 3: Investing in disaster risk reduction for resilience
4. Sendai Priority 4: Preparedness and build-back-better
5. Sendai Framework Monitoring
6. Coherence of 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

The breakout groups will focus on the evidence base, and challenges and opportunities for the listed topics, using relevant elements and action points identified in the Asia Regional Plan for Implementation of the Sendai Framework. Concept notes and reporting templates have been shared and will be provided to facilitate the discussions.

12.30 – 14.00 *Lunch*

14:00 – 15:00 **Updates on Disaster Risk Reduction in the region**

- 2nd Asian Science and Technology Conference for Disaster Risk Reduction
- Status of the Sendai Framework Monitor

15:00 – 15:30 *Tea/Coffee Break*

15:00 – 16:00 **Report back from the breakout groups**
Moderated by the Chair
Discussion

16:00 – 16:45 **Consolidating the priorities for DRR in the region: Outlook for the next IAP Meeting and the AMCDRR 2018**
Plenary discussion moderated by the Chair

16:45 – 17:00 **Closing Session**

- Summary and next steps: UNISDR
- Closing Remarks: Government of Mongolia