

UR Understanding Risk Europe

Conference Agenda

DAY 1 - Wednesday, November 27

13:00 – 14:30 Registration and welcome coffee

Welcoming remarks [AI.I.Cuza Room]

- Mr. Raed Arafat, State Secretary, Ministry of Interior, Romania
- Ms. Tatiana Proskuryakova, Country Manager Romania and Hungary, World Bank

14:30 – 16:00

- DG ECHO – TBC
- RoAID - TBC

Key Note [AI.I.Cuza Room]

Mr. Pablo Suarez, Associate director for research and innovation, Red Cross Red Crescent Climate Centre

16:00 -16:30 Coffee

16:30 – 18:00 Ignite Presentations [AI.I.Cuza Room]

18:00 - 20:00 Welcome Reception

Palace of Parliament
Bucharest , Romania
November 27-29, 2019

DAY 2 - Thursday, November 28

8:00 – 9:00 am

Registration

Session 1 [N. Bălcescu Room]

Assessing and addressing the fiscal and economic impacts of natural disasters: recent experiences and innovations on country financial resilience

Session 2 [N. Iorga Room]

Managing earthquake risk at a national scale: from strategic planning to on-the-ground actions

9:00 – 10:30 am

Coffee

Session 3 [N. Bălcescu Room]

Assessing and forecasting storm, drought, flood and wildfire risks in a changing climate

Session 4 [N. Iorga Room]

Community engagement, raising awareness and driving action

11:00 – 12:30 pm

Lunch

Session 5 [N. Bălcescu Room]

Challenges and opportunities for assessing flood risks

Session 6 [N. Iorga Room]

Private Sector and Business Continuity: Preparing for and Managing Disasters

14:00 – 15:30 pm

Coffee

Session 7 [N. Bălcescu Room]

Determining disaster and climate impacts on the poorest and most vulnerable and optimizing solutions for resilience

Session 8 [N. Iorga Room]

Scaling Up Safer and Quality Learning Environments

16:00 – 17:30 pm

17:30 pm

Artistic moment

DAY 3 - Friday, November 29

Registration

Session 9 [N. Bălcescu Room]

Building urban resilience – integrating climate and disaster risks into urban development

Session 10 [N. Iorga Room]

Critical Infrastructure risks and why investing in resilience makes financial sense

Coffee

Session 11 [N. Bălcescu Room]

Innovations in Geospatial Data Collection and Analytics: Shaping the Future of Understanding the Built Environment

Session 12 [N. Iorga Room]

Assessing and Managing Risk to Cultural Heritage: Preserving the Past for the Future

Lunch

Session 13 [N. Bălcescu Room]

The threat of emerging risks (cyber, pandemics, extreme heat)

Session 14 [N. Iorga Room]

An urgent matter in our homes: tackling challenges of earthquake risk reduction in the housing sector at scale

Coffee

Closing remarks [A.I.I.Cuza Room]

Keynote [A.I.I.Cuza Room]

- Ms. Otilia Ciotau, Senior Portfolio Manager, World Bank Treasury

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