



## Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction

22-26 May 2017 - Cancun, Mexico

### Europe Briefing and Consultation on the 2017 Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction “Engaging Stakeholders in delivering the 2017 Global Platform outcomes”

Friday 9 December 2016, 10:00-16:30 – Room IV, Palais des Nations

#### DRAFT AGENDA

9:30-10:00 *Welcome coffee*

#### **10:00-13:00 2017 Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction**

*Chair: German Velasquez, Chief of the Advocacy and Outreach Unit, and Global Platform Coordinator, UN Office for Disaster Risk Reduction and Magali Mourlon, Programme Coordinator, VOICE International.*

*The session will provide an overview of the status of preparations and latest substantive developments and consultations related to the 2017 Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction. Key entry points for stakeholders' engagement, contribution and participation will also be discussed.*

10:00-10:10 Opening by Robert Glasser, SRSG for Disaster Risk Reduction

10:10-10:20 Introductory remarks by the 2017 Global Platform Host, by H.E. Ambassador of Mexico to the United Nations in Geneva.  
*Followed by video from Mexico*

10:25-12:00 Joint briefing on the 2017 Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction preparations.

- Overview of substantive developments and logistical aspects, by Guillermo Reyes de Castro, First Secretary, Permanent Mission of Mexico to the United Nations in Geneva and Jerry Velasquez, 2017 Global Platform Coordinator, UNISDR  
*Q&A session*
- Stakeholders' engagement towards the 2017 Global Platform: nominations, participation and communication, by Glenn Dolcemascolo, UNISDR  
*Q&A session*
- Substantive consultation and input into sessions, Leaders Forum and outcome documents, by Christel Rose, UNISDR  
*Q&A session*

12:00-13:00 Feedback session on recent consultations on the 2017 Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction:

- Swiss NGO Platform on Disaster Risk Reduction, by Marcus Oxley, Global Network of Civil Society Organisations for Disaster Reduction (GNDR)
- VOICE Online Consultation, by Magali Mourlon, VOICE International
- Regional Platforms consultations, by Christel Rose, UNISDR
- New York Consultation, by Neil McFarlane and Glenn Dolcemascolo, UNISDR

13:00-14:00 *Lunch break (sandwiches served)*



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### **14:00-16:30 Substantive consultation through Working Groups discussions**

*Co-Chairs: Marcus Oxley, Global Network of Civil Society Organisations for Disaster Reduction (GNDR) and Jerry Velasquez, 2017 Global Platform Coordinator*

*The session will provide an opportunity to stakeholder to further engage in the substantive aspects of the Leaders Forum and in the modalities of development of the Global Platform outcome documents*

- 14:00-14:30 Presentation of the consultation paper, instructions and directions setting and Working Groups discussions on the substantive aspects of the Leaders Forum
- 14:30-14:45 Reporting back session from Working Groups
- 14:45-15:30 Presentation of the consultation paper, instructions and directions setting and Working Groups discussions on the substantive aspects of the development of the 2017 Global Platform outcome documents
- 15:30-15:45 Reporting back session from Working Groups
- 15:45-16:45 Discussion
- Opportunities for substantive alignment and improvement of stakeholders' engagement across consultations.
  - Key priorities and challenges identified by the stakeholders in implementing the specific topics.
  - Stakeholders' contribution, participation and possible leadership in supporting implementation at and beyond the 2017 Global Platform.
  - Compilation of comments and production of a short outcome report.
- 16:45-17:00 Closing and next steps

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