

proposal on

“International Study Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction”

Tokyo, Japan, 14-16, Jan. 2015

hosted by

The Science Council Of Japan (SCJ)

The University of Tokyo (UTokyo)

Integrated Research on Disaster Risk (IRDR)

Objective

Based on scientific contributions summarized at the Beijing Conference and follow-up discussions, the Study Conference aims to make an action proposal to the post-HFA and the post-MDGs from IRDR, by sharpening the scientific approaches and exchanging knowledge, views and visions on Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) with policy makers and practitioners with foci on inter-disciplinarity, trans-disciplinarity and coordination with environmental activities.

Actions to be taken by IRDR toward scientific contributions to sound decision making (proposal from IRDR-J)

	Post-HFA (UN-ISDR)	Post-MDG	IRDR
Nov. 5-7, Bangkok	UN-ISDR IAP		
Nov. 12-15, Sanya			IRDR SC
Nov. 27-28, Geneva	UN-ISDR STAG		<i>proposal submission from IRDR(J)</i>
Mid Jan.		Due of SDG proposal	
Feb.	Due of GAR15		<i>strategic planning for summarizing scientific contributions to the post-HFA & the post-MDGs at the Conference</i>
Mar.	UN-ISDR IAP		
Jun. 7-9, Beijing			2 nd IRDR Conference
Jun. 23, Bangkok	6 th AMCDRR		<i>summarizing scientific contributions to the post-HFA & the post-MDGs and drafting an action proposal</i>
Sept.		Draft SDGs review starts.	
Jan. 14-16, Tokyo			Study Conference on DRR
Mar. 14-18, Sendai	3 rd UN WCDR		<i>proposal submission and presentation</i>
Sept. 15		UNGA decision on SDGs	

Draft Agenda

Day 1 (Wednesday, 14 January)

AM: Opening Session

- Opening Remarks
- Keynote Speech

PM: High Level Panel Session

IRDR Session: WG & CoE Report

Day 2 (Thursday, 15 January)

AM: Reports on Recovery from GEJE

PM: Session on Resilience

Session on Coordination with Various Organizations

Poster Session on Disaster Risk Reduction

Day 3 (Friday, 16 January)

AM: Closing Session: Proposal Adoption

PM: Excursion

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(Draft without any prior consultation)

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