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**World Disaster Reduction Campaign 2010-2011**

## 2009

August, 11-12

**Incheon, South Korea:** Building a Local Government Alliance for Disaster Risk Reduction

December, 16-20

**Marrakech, Morocco:** 5<sup>th</sup> AFRICITIES Summit, UCLG-Africa. Special Session on Resilient Cities Organized by UCLG and UNISDR

## 2010

January, 14

**Kobe, Japan:** Disaster Reduction Alliance Forum 2010: "Building Resilient Cities"

January, 26-28

**Nairobi, Kenya:** UN-Habitat Expert Group Meeting on the 100 Cities initiative

February, 23

**Paris, France:** Senate event to commemorate the Paris floods

March, 6-7

**Khartoum, Sudan:** Arab Urban Development Institute (AUDI) with World Bank and Cities Alliance

March, 22-26

**Rio de Janeiro, Brazil:** World Urban Forum 5 - networking event Building Resilient Cities (23 March). Launch of the UN-HABITAT World Urban Campaign

April, 8

**Manila, Philippines:** Global launch of the "One Million Safe Schools and Hospitals Initiative"

April, 7-11

**World Health Day, WHO:** 1000 cities – 1000 lives

April, 14-16

**Nairobi, Kenya:** Second Ministerial Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction in Africa.

May, 14-15

**Dakar, Senegal:** UCLG organized workshop for West African mayors on Urban risk reduction

May, 28-30

**Bonn, Germany:** Resilient Cities 2010 - ICLEI First World Congress on Cities and Adaptation to Climate Change, and Mayors' Adaptation Forum. **Launch of Making Cities Resilient Campaign.**

June, 8-9

**New Delhi, India:** South Asia and national launch of the campaign.

June, 28 – July, 1

**Singapore:** World Cities Summit 2010 - Expert panel session on urban planning, infrastructure financing, public housing, as well as the World Mayors Forum

July, 28-30

**Shanghai, China:** "Better Cities, Better Life": workshop on Unity in Aid (A DEVNET forum on humanitarian emergencies, with UNISDR and ICLEI)

September

**Azerbaijan:** International forum on natural disasters and building and construction safety

September, 8-9

**Jeffreys Bay, Eastern Cape, South Africa:** The Disaster Management Institute of Southern Africa (DIMISA) Annual Conference: "Urban risk reduction: Building Resilient Cities, Addressing Urban Disaster Risk"

September, 13-15

**Durban, South Africa:** "Planning Africa". Regional launch of the campaign for African states.

September, 19-23

**Nairobi, Kenya:** 46<sup>th</sup> ISOCARP Congress (International Society of City and Regional Planners)

September, 20-21

**Paris, France:** PREViRIS, the European meeting place for flood mitigation methods & sustainable urban development

September, 22-23

**IFRC World Disaster Report Launch** - Urban Risk (workshops in approximately 20 countries)

## 2010

Early October

**Astana, Kazakhstan:** Fifth ECO International Conference on Disaster Risk Management

October

**Kuwait:** Arab Towns Organization (ATO) Annual General Assembly. **Regional launch of the campaign for Arab states.**

October, 5-7

**Incheon, Korea:** ICLEI 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Congress Future of Cities: Eco-efficiency, Resilience, Green Economy and Happiness

October, 13

**International Disaster Reduction Day**

October, 13-14

**Kobe, Japan:** International Symposium on the new technologies for the Urban Safety of Mega Cities in Asia (USMCA)

October, 18-22

**Hamamatsu, Japan:** 3<sup>rd</sup> UCLG ASPAC Congress – October 18th session on climate change and disaster resilience

October, 25-28

**Incheon, South Korea:** Asia 4<sup>th</sup> Ministerial Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction

November, 16-19

**Melbourne, Australia:** Third Knowledge Cities World Summit Knowledge-based and sustainable development of Cities and Societies

November, 16-20

**Mexico City, Mexico:** UCLG 3<sup>rd</sup> Congress - 2010 Local and Regional Leaders World Summit

November, 24-26

**Bangkok, Thailand:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Asia Conference on Earthquake Engineering "Disaster Risk Reduction and Capacity Building for Safer Environments"

## 2011

May, 8-13

**Geneva, Switzerland:** Third Session of the Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction

May/June

ICLEI's Mayors' Adaptation Forum

October, 13

**International Disaster Reduction Day**