UNISDR Science and Technology Conference
on the implementation of the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction
2015-2030

Launching UNISDR Science and Technology Partnership and the Science and Technology Road Map to 2030

To promote and support the availability and application of science and technology to decision-making in Disaster Risk Reduction

27-29 January 2016
Geneva International Conference Centre, Geneva, Switzerland

Abstracts- Poster Session

Basic criteria for presentation of posters
The posters should be vertical or horizontal, and may not exceed the following dimensions:

- Portrait format (vertical): 90 cm x 120 cm or Landscape format (horizontal): 145 cm x 90 cm
- If possible, posters should be written in English.
- Posters should have a graphical approach with clear, simple and effective communication.
- For Work Stream 1 please keep text to a minimum and consider using the enclosed template 1 for abstracts accepted
- for Work Streams 2-4 please keep text to a minimum and consider using the enclosed template 2 for abstracts accepted
- Posters should be large enough to be viewed from a distance of two meters.
- The title and text should be clearly visible and well-spaced.

Important note:
- Printing of posters is the responsibility of the participants, so please bring your poster with you.
- Posters can be mounted in the dedicated exhibition space at the conference venue from 09.00 hours on 27 January 2016.
- Posters will be rotated per work stream of the conference.
- Details will be communicated to you on timing and location of display by the UNISDR Secretariat.
TEMPLATE 1 Suggested template for Work Stream 1

- TITLE OF THE POSTER
  Authors(s) / Affiliation(s)

- Introduction

- Brief description of the organization/network or research institute

- Brief description of the work on Disaster Risk Reduction

- Potential contribution to implementing the science and technology aspects of the Sendai Framework

TEMPLATE 2 Suggested template for case studies

- TITLE OF THE POSTER
  Authors(s) / Affiliation(s)

- The Problem
  Why was research needed

- The Science
  What type of scientific methodology was used

- The application to policy and practice
  How was it envisaged being put to use in the ‘real’ world

- Did it make a difference – evidence that the research has yielded results

- References (min. 3 peer reviewed papers)
TEMPLATE 3 Suggested template for Work Stream 2-4 (for scientific papers only)