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Climate Change Adaptation and Disaster Risk Management: What do we miss?

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Session type: Presentation(s) with Question and Answers and Workshop

Level of access: Open

Session description:

Frequencies and magnitudes of processes such as floods, heat waves, storms or landslides challenge disaster risk management (DRM) in many ways. Urgent questions for disaster managers arise: Will areas for settlement remain safe? Do forecasts meet the needs of disaster managers? How can Climate Change Adaptation and DRM go hand in hand? The master program “Disaster Management and Risk Governance” at Bonn University trains DRM professionals to reflect such issues. The chief of the fire brigade Bonn, alumni and lecturers of the program will discuss theory and practice of interlinking Climate Change Adaptation and Disaster Risk Management.