

DISASTER MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE OF SOUTHERN AFRICA (DMISA) CONFERENCE 2014
17 – 18 SEPTEMBER
SIBAYA - IMBIZO CONFERENCE CENTRE, UMHLANGA ROCKS, DURBAN

"BUILDING DISASTER RESILIENCE IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS"

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER 2014 : CONFERENCE DAY 1

07:30 - 08:30	REGISTRATION AND TEA / COFFEE	
08:30 - 08:45	DELEGATES TO TAKE THEIR SEATS	
PROGRAMME DIRECTOR : SESSION 1 : DR JOHAN MINNIE : DEPUTY-PRESIDENT: DMISA		
08:45 - 09:00	ANNOUNCEMENTS	
09:00 - 09:45	OPENING CEREMONY	
	CANDLE LIGHTING CEREMONY AND MOMENT OF SILENT REFLECTION	DR MAL REDDY : PRESIDENT: DMISA
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	WELCOME	CLR N SHABALALA : DEPUTY MAYOR : eTHEKWINI MUNICIPALITY
	INTRODUCTION OF THE HONOURABLE MINISTER OF COOPERATIVE GOVERNANCE AND TRADITIONAL AFFAIRS	MS N DUBE-NCUBE MEC: CoGTA, KWAZULU-NATAL
	KEYNOTE ADDRESS AND OFFICIAL OPENING	THE HONOURABLE MINISTER PRAVIN GORDHAN : MINISTER OF COOPERATIVE GOVERNANCE AND TRADITIONAL AFFAIRS
09:50 - 10:00	LAUNCHING OF 1 ST ART ON DISASTERS EXHIBITION 2014	MS OLIVIA KUNGUMA, DiMTEC, UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE
10:00 - 10:35	<i>RESILIENCE AND BEYOND AS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS</i>	PROF ANDREW COLLINS, NORTHUMBRIA UNIVERSITY, UK
10:35 - 10:45	QUESTIONS	
10:45 - 11:15	TEA / COFFEE AND VIEWING OF EXHIBITION	
11:15 - 11:50	<i>A NATIONAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT PERSPECTIVE ON PROGRESS IN SOUTH AFRICA - WITH A FOCUS ON BUILDING DISASTER RESILIENCE</i>	MR KEN TERRY, HEAD: NATIONAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT CENTRE (NDMC)

11:50 - 12:00	QUESTIONS		
12:00 - 12:35	<i>THE FUTURE OF WEATHER FORECASTING IN SUPPORTING INCREASING RESILIENCE AGAINST WEATHER RELATED NATURAL DISASTERS</i>	MR MNIKELI NDABAMBI, SOUTH AFRICAN WEATHER SERVICE	
12:35 - 12:45	QUESTIONS		
12:45 - 13:45	LUNCH AND VIEWING OF EXHIBITION		
PROGRAMME DIRECTOR : SESSION 2 : MS ANÉ BRUWER : DMISA COUNCILLOR			
13:45 - 14:00	DELEGATES TO TAKE THEIR SEATS		
14:00 - 14:35	<i>WHAT ARE WE MANAGING? SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT THROUGH INFORMATION DRIVEN DISASTER RISK MANAGEMENT</i>	MR OWEN BECKER, DISASTER MANAGEMENT CENTRE, BUFFALO CITY METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY	
14:35 - 14:45	QUESTIONS		
14:50 - 15:35	SUB-PLENARY SESSIONS		
	(1) IMBIZO <i>THE ROLE OF CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION TOWARDS DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AT eTHEKWINI MUNICIPALITY</i> MS LISA GUASTELLA-SMITH, eTHEKWINI MUNICIPALITY	(2) A2A <i>A STRUCTURED APPROACH TO THE DECLARING OF A "STATE OF DISASTER" IN SOUTH AFRICA</i> MR GEOFF LASKEY, DISASTER MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS	(3) KRAKATOA <i>PLANNING FOR A DROUGHT RESILIENT LAND REFORM FARMING SECTOR: AN EVALUATION OF POLICIES, TOOLS (MODELS) AND STRATEGIES TOWARDS DROUGHT IMPACT MITIGATION</i> MR SIVIWE SHWABABA, DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM
15:40 - 16:00	TEA / COFFEE AND VIEWING OF EXHIBITION		
16:00 - 16:15	ANNOUNCEMENTS : DAY 1		
19:00	MAYORAL RECEPTION : CITY HALL		

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THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER 2014 : CONFERENCE DAY 2

08:00 - 08:45	REGISTRATION AND TEA / COFFEE		
08:45 - 08:50	DELEGATES TO TAKE THEIR SEATS		
PROGRAMME DIRECTOR : SESSION 3 : MR PAT ADAMS : DMISA COUNCILLOR			
08:50 - 09:00	ANNOUNCEMENTS		
	CANDLE LIGHTING AND MOMENT OF SILENT REFLECTION	PRESIDENT	
09:00 - 09:35	<i>PROGRESS ON DISASTER RISK REDUCTION IN AFRICA</i>		MS SHARON RUSU, HEAD : REGIONAL OFFICE FOR AFRICA, UNISDR
09:35 - 10:00	<i>SHOULD THE SONG REMAIN THE SAME? ROLES OF MUSIC IN DISASTER RISK COMMUNICATION AND REDUCTION</i>		DR BOB ALEXANDER, INDEPENDENT DRR & COMMUNITY RESILIENCE STRENGTHENING CONSULTANT
10:00 - 10:15	QUESTIONS		
10:15 - 11:00	SUB-PLENARY SESSIONS		
	<p>(4) IMBIZO</p> <p><i>THE GLOBAL ATMOSPHERIC WATCH PROGRAM AND ITS BEARING ON DISASTER RISKS</i></p> <p>DR NHLONIPHO NHLABATSI, SOUTH AFRICAN WEATHER SERVICE</p>	<p>(5) A2A</p> <p><i>BUILDING DISASTER RESILIENCE THROUGH PARTNERSHIPS – WORKING TOGETHER TOWARDS A MULTI STAKEHOLDER APPROACH TO BUILDING DISASTER RISK RESILIENCE IN COMMUNITIES</i></p> <p>MR JOHN LOMBERG, SANTAM</p>	<p>(6) KRAKATOA</p> <p><i>BUILDING DISASTER RESILIENCE WITHIN COMMUNITIES BY CONTRIBUTING TOWARDS FOOD SECURITY</i></p> <p>MR FERDIE MOCKE, DISASTER MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS</p>
11:00 - 11:30	TEA / COFFEE AND VIEWING OF EXHIBITION		
11:30 - 12:15	SUB-PLENARY SESSIONS		

	<p>(7) IMBIZO</p> <p><i>IMPACT-BASED FORECASTING: A NEW INTERNATIONAL EMPHASIS IN SEVERE WEATHER WARNING SERVICES</i></p> <p>MR EUGENE POOLMAN, SOUTH AFRICAN WEATHER SERVICE</p>	<p>(8) A2A</p> <p><i>MONITORING AND EVALUATION: ENHANCING THE BUILDING OF RESILIENCE</i></p> <p>MR TINUS DE BEER, DISASTER MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS</p>	<p>(9) KRAKATOA</p> <p><i>AN INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVE ON LEGISLATION FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF HUMAN-INDUCED SAFETY RISKS</i></p> <p>MR ALFONSO NIEMAND, DIMTEC, UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE</p>
12:20 - 13:05	SUB-PLENARY SESSIONS		
	<p>(10) IMBIZO</p> <p><i>BUILDING COMMUNITY RESILIENCE THROUGH COMMUNITY BASED RISK REDUCTION</i></p> <p>MS FRANCIS HOETS, DISASTER MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS</p>	<p>(11) A2A</p> <p><i>BUILDING COMMUNITY RESILIENCE THROUGH ECC/DRR/CCA: A CASE STUDY OF WETLANDS IN THE EASTERN FREE STATE</i></p> <p>MR JOHANES BELLE, DIMTEC, UNIVERSITY OF THE FREE STATE</p>	<p>(12) KRAKATOA</p> <p><i>FUTURE FLOOD RISK FROM HISTORICAL ANALYSIS</i></p> <p>MR RIAAN BOTES, UNIVERSITY OF KWAZULU-NATAL</p>
13:05 - 14:05	LUNCH AND VIEWING OF EXHIBITION		
14:05 - 14:15	DELEGATES TO TAKE THEIR SEATS		
PROGRAMME DIRECTOR : SESSION 4 : MR THOBELA MEMANI : DMISA COUNCILLOR			
14:15 - 14:50	<p><i>REGIONAL RESILIENCE FRAMEWORK DEVELOPED BY RIASCO (AFRICAN REGIONAL INTERAGENCY STANDING COMMITTEE)</i></p>		<p>MR DANIEL SINNATHAMBY, REGIONAL HUMANITARIAN COORDINATOR : OXFAM GB - SOUTHERN AFRICA REGIONAL MANAGEMENT CENTRE</p>
14:50 - 15:00	QUESTIONS		
15:00 - 15:30	TEA / COFFEE AND VIEWING OF EXHIBITION		
15:30 - 16:00	<p>CLOSING CEREMONY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - CONFERENCE RESOLUTIONS - SPECIAL AWARDS - ANNOUNCEMENTS - SUMMARY AND CLOSURE - NATIONAL ANTHEM 		PRESIDENT : DMISA

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