



## GFDRR Partnership Days 2024

Himeji, Japan

Agenda for Monday, June 17, 2024

Room 409

Lunch will be served from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m.

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1:30 p.m.

#### Welcome Remarks

Master of Ceremony: **Cristina Otano**, Senior Operations Officer, GFDRR

1:35 p.m.

#### Opening Remarks

**Victoria Hugelshofer**, Senior Policy Officer, BMZ, Germany

1:40 p.m.

#### Presentation about GFDRR

**Niels Holm-Nielsen**, Practice Manager, GFDRR

1:45 p.m.

#### Video Presentation

1:50 p.m.

#### Discussion: A Deep Dive into GFDRR Impacts Around the World

Moderator: **Zoe Trohanis**, Lead Disaster Risk Management Specialist, GFDRR

**Carolina Diaz Giraldo**, Director of Environment and Development, Department of National Planning, Colombia

**Mafua-'i-Vai'utukakau Maka**, Director of the National Disaster Risk Management Office (NDRM), Tonga

**Renato Solidum, Jr.**, Secretary of the Department of Science and Technology (DOST), the Philippines



**Raed Arafat**, State Secretary at the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Romania and Head of the Romanian Emergency Situations Department

2:45 p.m.

### **Q&A**

3:00 p.m.

### **Presentations on Priority Areas: From Knowledge to Impact**

#### *Disaster-FCV Nexus*

**Karima Ben Bih**, Senior Disaster Risk Management Specialist, GFDRR

#### *Nature-Based Solutions*

**Brenden Jongman**, Senior Disaster Risk Management Specialist, GFDRR

#### *Climate and Disaster Risk Management for Health Systems*

**Mersedeh Tariverdi**, Senior Data Scientist, World Bank

#### *Inclusive DRM and Gender Equality and Disability Inclusion*

**Zoe Trohanis**, Lead Disaster Risk Management Specialist, GFDRR

3:30 p.m.

### **Reflections from the Co-Chair**

**Takahiro Tsuda**, GFDRR Co-Chair and Director, Multilateral Development Banks Division at Japan's Ministry of Finance (TBC)

3:35 p.m.

### **Closing Remarks**

**Guangzhe Chen**, Vice President for Infrastructure, World Bank