



Risk Management

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Technical Committee 'Environmental Informatics' TC 4.6
GI (German Computer Society)
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This international workshop on Risk Management related to ICT for the environment will enable sharing of best practice as well as giving space for discussing methodological problems in risk modelling from the information system point of view.

The following areas will be of central interest in this workshop, others will be considered as far as the scope of GI TC 4.6 is concerned.

- technical, chemical risks at regional and transboundary
- risk and multi-risk cartographic issues
- risk modelling issues for infrastructure (e.g. factories, railways, highways, pipelines, maritime traffic etc.)
- disaster management and emergency preparedness, prevention, alert, response and mitigation
- data processing related to risk management issues with special regard to information system structural aspects and Risk Model Methodology and implementation
- health and biological risks issues for humans and the environment
- aircraft crash risks on infrastructure
- user-group specific risk management issues

There is growing concern on local, regional, national and international level to increase preparedness and substantially support decisionmaking at various levels of actions to be taken in environmental risk situations. These fields are both related to the follow-up of legislation and management for authorities on all spatial levels as well as for factories owners of SME's and of transnational companies.

All involved stakeholders are welcome: decisionmakers, users, civil servants, technicians and researchers from the private and public sector in EU and other regions are invited to communicate experiences and discuss the necessary strategies for methodological, technical and managerial improvements. The workshops aim is also to elaborate a general methodology of risk modelling and find recommendations for adequate information system components.



This workshop will continue discussions from

- International CODATA Symposium "Risk Models and Applications" in Kiev, Ukraine, on October 5, 2008
- DPRI Forum on Integrated Disaster Risk Management Sept. 1/2, .2008 organized by the JRC-Major Hazard Bureau, Ispra, Italy
- Meeting of the WG within the scope of ENVIROINFO Sept. 2008 (Lüneburg, Germany)
- International Conference on Cartography in Crisis Management and Early Response (C4C) of ICA (International Association of Cartography), Prague, Czech Rep. January 2008
- European eEnvironment Conference, March 24-27, Prague, Czech Rep.
- Int. Workshop on "Cartographic Challenges: Participation, Mouvement, Emergencies", Bergamo, Italy
- TIEMS Conference June 9-12, 2009, Istanbul, Turkey

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