

Weekly news on ecosystem-based disaster risk reduction and climate change adaptation

PEDRR Shoutouts

The MSc module on Disasters, Environment and Risk Reduction (Eco-DRR) is now available online. Click [here](#) to watch or go to:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6sXJyKTksvU&feature=player_embedded



Featured Publications

Disaster Risk Reduction in the United Nations 2013

Published by UNISDR

On its 3rd edition, this document is an overview of the mandates and work done by UN entities with regards to disaster risk reduction. It also provides background for each agency as well as relevant contact details. Eight UN System organization DRR profiles have been added this year. For the full document, click [here](#).

Disaster Risk Management in Post-2015 Development Goals: Potential Targets and Indicators

Edited by Mitchell T., Jones L., Lovell E., and Comba E. (2013)

The authors have put forward the following three main options on how to include DRM in the post-2015 development agenda, along with concrete targets and useful indicators:

- As a standalone development goal, which main objectives are to reduce economic and human losses
- As a means to increase resilience within communities also under threat of violence, food security and environmental degradation.
- As a cross-cutting issue to be integrated into other development goals such as poverty reduction or education.

To read the full document, click [here](#).

The Hyogo Framework of Action: Evaluation and Outlook

(The Lancet, 11 May 2013) The article looks back on the history of one of the most important references in the field of disaster risk reduction and its successes (and failures) as the target year of 2015 approaches. Experts give their opinion on the issues they would like to be included to the follow-up document to the HFA. To read the full article, click [here](#).

Job Vacancy

Mobilization-Operations Manager

Key functions: to assist with the overall management of GHI's operations in Haiti, develop financial controls and reporting procedures for GHI's operations in Haiti, etc.

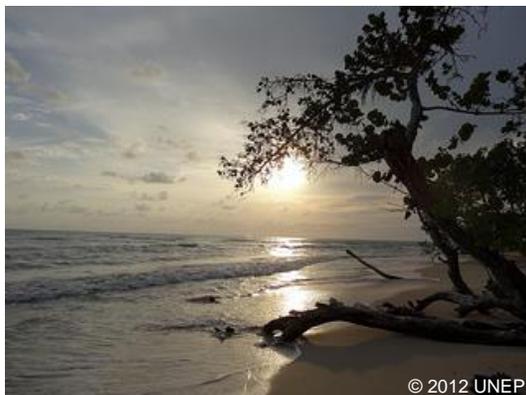
Employer: GeoHazards International

Location: Cap-Haitien, Nord, Haiti

Duration: Three months with possibility of extension

Application Deadline: 19 April 2014

For more details, click [here](#).



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Port Salut Beach (Haiti) at Sunset

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