

RN 8: Disaster and Social Crisis

Convener: Philip Buckle, Coventry University, UK & Graham Marsh, Coventry University, UK

Session 1

Wednesday 5th, 14.00 – 15.30, Room CLIC 4

Chair: Nicholas Petropoulos

1. Alan Kirschenbaum & Sharon Link: Disasters and Social Disruption: A Myth or Reality?
2. Kurt Imhof: Communication about catastrophes in modern age
3. Lindy Newlove-Eriksson: The Importance of 'Sheltering-in-Place' and 'Invacuation': Balancing Personal Responsibility, Public Accountability and the Role of Voluntary Organisations in Times of Crises
4. Maggie Kusenbach: Home, Community, and Disaster in Florida Mobile Home Parks

Session 2

Thursday 6th, 09.00 – 10.30, Room CLIC 4

Chair: TBC

1. Nicholas Petropoulos: Justice for Disaster Victims: Comparative Legal Outcomes in Disasters
2. José Manuel Mendes & Alexandre Oliveira: Hazard management, social vulnerabilities and local governance in Portugal
3. Susann Ullberg: 29A – The making of post disaster politics from within
4. Sverre Roed-Larsen: Modern accident investigation - six challenges

Session 3

Thursday 6th, 11.00 – 12.30, Room CLIC 4

Chair: Alan Kirschenbaum

1. Helga Pelizäus-Hoffmeister: Changes in Fear as a Social Construct and in Coping Strategies
2. José Rodrigues dos Santos: Is a general "crisology" possible? The foundations of the concept of "crisis" revisited
3. Michael Markwick: Deconstructing Invincible Justice
4. Eugen Mamontov, Abby Peterson & Nicola Bellomo: Managing panic-stricken crowds: The need in quantitative models for social dynamics
5. Agnieszka Heller & Piotr Matczak: Adaptation options for reducing extreme weather events: measuring social costs and benefits.

Session 4

Thursday 6th, 13.30 – 15.00, Room CLIC 4

Chair: Susann Ullberg

1. Patrick Chaskiel & Marie-Gabrielle Suraud: A Disaster and its Social Aftermath: Dealing with Industrial Hazards
2. Sandrine Revet: Natural disaster and "survival community"
3. Fatma Fatma Belkis Kumbetoglu & Meziyet Mozakoglu: Is gender matter in the recovery process after a big Disaster (Duzce earthquake)
5. Roine Johansson: Inter-organizational collaboration in response to crises