

15th Consultative Forum on Inclusive Insurance

“Climate and disaster risk: building resilience, bridging the protection gap”

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Leading question: What are the roles and responsibilities of each stakeholder to reduce the protection gap in climate risk/nat cat insurance and what are the urgent steps that they have to adopt to make this happen?

PROGRAMME

Master of Ceremony: Teresa Pelanda, Advisor Access to Insurance Initiative (A2ii)

08:30-09:00	Registration
09:00-09:15	<p>Welcome remarks Peter van den Broeke, International Association of Insurance Supervisors (IAIS) José Joaquín Riesen, Superintendent, Superintendencia de Seguros y Reaseguros de Panamá (SSRP) Katharine Pulvermacher, Executive Director, Microinsurance Network</p>
09:15-09:45	<p>Introductory presentation: Setting the scene: Enhancing resilience by closing the protection gap in climate risk and nat cat insurance</p> <p><u>Speaker:</u> Denis Garand, President at DGA, Canada</p>
09:45-11:00	<p>Panel: The role of insurance supervisors and policymakers in closing the gap. How have insurance supervisors gone about promoting climate risk/nat cat insurance in their markets? How can supervisors and policymakers promote protection on the sovereign level? What lessons have been learned?</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Alice Merry</p> <p><u>Speakers/experts:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dave Jones, CA Insurance Commissioner, Emeritus - Dario Luna, CCRIF SPC <p><u>Discussants:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Consumer: tbc - Luis Enrique Bandera, President of the Inter-American Federation of Insurance Companies (FIDES)
11:00-11:30	Coffee break
11:30-12:45	<p>Panel: The role of the insurance industry in closing the gap and enhancing the resilience to natural catastrophes related to climate change. What are successful initiatives that have emerged around the world and what are the challenges that still need to be overcome?</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Regina Simões</p> <p><u>Speakers/experts:</u></p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Edwin Vargas, Executive Director, Fundación Profin - Lourdes del Carpio, La Positiva Seguros y Reaseguros, Perú <p><u>Discussants:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - CMF Chile (tbc) - Gabriela María García Alas, Intendente de Seguros, El Salvador
12:45-14:00	Lunch – Indoor Picnic
14:00-16:00	<p>Workshop: Raising awareness on the struggles in climate risk insurance for all parties involved and elaborating alternatives to solve these struggles.</p> <p>Workshop following a role-play format, for instance the industry acting as a supervisory authority, and vice-versa – and both acting as the consumer.</p> <p><u>Facilitator:</u> Andrea Camargo support from a2ii/MiN</p>
16:00-16:30	Coffee break
16:30-17:15	<p>Feedback from each working group (industry, supervisor, consumer)</p> <p>Representative of each group to report back</p> <p><u>Facilitator:</u> Andrea Camargo</p>
17:15-17:30	<p>Closing remarks</p> <p>Regina Simões, Regional Coordinator for Latin America, Access to Insurance Initiative (A2ii)</p>
18:00	B2B Networking