



## DiMaND

### EUSDR PA5 Disaster Management Working Group meeting & 3<sup>RD</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF EFFECTIVE RESPONSE

#### AGENDA

4-5 November 2021 – Békéscsaba, Hungary

#### EUSDR PA5 Disaster Management Working Group meeting

Back-to-back with the DiMaND conference, the EU Strategy for the Danube Region Environmental Risks Priority Area Disaster Management Working Group holds its meeting.

#### Conference summary

The Hungarian Red Cross organizes the **Third International Conference on Effective Response** on 5th November 2021 in Békéscsaba, Hungary. The interdisciplinary hybrid conference focuses on the role of humanitarian coordination and volunteer management in civil protection activities. Organizers call practitioners and researchers to present and discuss their field experiences, research results and theoretical frameworks.

The event is organized within the framework of UCP Knowledge Network project DiMaND.

**Abstract submission is still open; please refer to the Call for Abstracts document:** <https://bit.ly/3rdEffectiveResponse>.

4 NOV	13:00-14:00	<i>Business lunch</i>
	14:00-16:00	<b>EUSDR PA5 DM-WG meeting</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Exchange of Experts on flood response (within the framework of DAREnet project)</li> <li>- Western-Balkan preparedness programmes</li> <li>- Introduction of Tailings Management Facilities Concept</li> </ul>
	16:00-16:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
	16:30– 18:00	<b>DiMaND project management meeting (for project partners)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Project progress (deliverables and milestones)</li> <li>- Communication (Knowledge Portal and Video)</li> <li>- Financial questions</li> </ul>
	19:00	<i>Dinner</i>

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5 NOV	7:00-09:00	Breakfast Arrivals / registration
	09.00-09:30	<b>Welcome notes</b> Hungarian Red Cross - Dr Brigitta Sáfár, Head of Disaster Management Budapest Firefighter Association - Kinga Perge, Project director, DiMaND project coordinator
	9:30 – 11:00	<b>Keynote speeches</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Macro-regional approach in disaster response</b> - Zsolt Kelemen, Chairman of the EU Strategy for the Danube Region Environmental Risks Priority Area Disaster Management Working Group</li> <li>- <b>Operational aspects of a recent disaster in the region</b> - TBC</li> <li>- <b>Cooperation in wildfire response</b> - TBC</li> <li>- <b>Humanitarian coordination and synergies with civil protection</b> - TBC</li> </ul>
	11:00– 11:30	Coffee Break
	11:30-17:30	<b>Presentations in Sections as follows:</b> <b>Section: 11:30-13:00</b> /Lunch: 13:00-14:00/ <b>Section: 14:00-15:30</b> /Coffee break: 15:30-16:00/ <b>Section: 16:00-17:30</b>  <b>Topics:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coordination and cooperation in Civil Protection, Disaster Response and Humanitarian Operations;</li> <li>• Assessment methodologies and practices;</li> <li>• Innovative technologies assisting disaster response and humanitarian activities;</li> <li>• Disaster Risk Reduction and Preparedness;</li> <li>• Disaster Recovery Practices and Build Back Better;</li> <li>• Early warning and Early Action;</li> <li>• Psychosocial Support;</li> <li>• Climate Change Adaptation and Civil Protection;</li> <li>• Community-Based approaches;</li> <li>• Resilience research and resilience-building practices;</li> <li>• The implementation of EU Strategy for the Danube Region (EUSDR)</li> </ul>
19:00 -	social event / dinner	
6 NOV	7:30-09:00	Breakfast
		Departure of participants

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