
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	Welcome remarks International Association of Insurance Supervisors (IAIS) Representative of the host (ASSAL/SSRP) Microinsurance Network
09:15-09:45	Introductory presentation: Setting the scene: Enhancing resilience by closing the protection gap in climate risk and nat cat insurance
09:45-11:00	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?
11:00-11:30	Coffee break
11:30-12:45	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?
12:45-14:00	Lunch – Indoor Picnic
14:00-16:00	Workshop: Raising awareness on the struggles in climate risk insurance for all parties involved and elaborating alternatives to solve these struggles. Workshop following a role-play format, for instance the industry acting as a supervisory authority, and vice-versa – and both acting as the consumer.
16:00-16:30	Coffee break
16:30-17:15	Feedback from each working group (industry, supervisor, consumer) Representative of each group to report back
17:15-17:30	Closing remarks Regina Simoes, Regional Coordinator for Latin America, Access to Insurance Initiative (A2ii)