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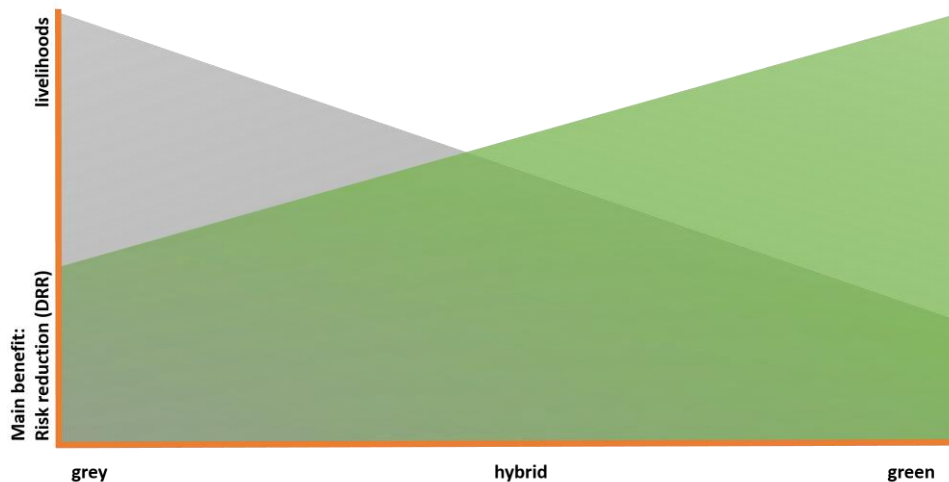
**Grey, Green or Hybrid – The value of nature-based solutions for DRR**

6 - 8 December 2017



**Outline:** So-called grey solutions; conventional civil engineering infrastructure for Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) are often used to mitigate disaster impacts and protect people and assets. Nature-based solutions, on the other hand, refer to solutions using nature and its ecosystems services, which can complement or even replace grey measures as they are increasingly recognized as being more sustainable, providing tangible co-benefits and building more resilient systems.

This face-to-face event will draw on existing knowledge and experience of experts in Sustainable Land Management (SLM) and DRR to illustrate the multiple benefits of nature-based solutions for risk reduction, which yield co-benefits for agriculture, land management and water resources.



Further information via <http://drrplatform.org/events/11-events/34-f2f-2017>

## Programme

<b>WORKSHOP DAY 1</b>		
<b>Wednesday, 6 December 2017</b>		
<i>Time</i>	<i>Topic</i>	<i>Who</i>
8:30 – 9:00	Arrival of participants and welcome coffee/tea	
9:00 – 9:45	Welcome and introduction	Jana Junghardt, CARITAS
	Participants round: introduction and expectations	Babette Pfander, bp_consulting
	Guiding through the programme	Babette Pfander
<b>Block I: Setting the Scene – Nature-based solutions for Disaster Risk Reduction</b>		
9:45 – 10:45	What are nature-based solutions for DRR? Concepts, trends and figures	Karen Sudmeier-Rieux, consultant
10:45 – 11:15 Coffee / Tea		
11:15 – 12:15	A long-term perspective on investments in nature-based solutions for DRR – case study from Jordan	Peter Laban, consultant
12:15 – 13:00	The World Overview of Conservation Approaches and Technologies (WOCAT) – A tool to capture nature-based solutions for DRR?	Panel discussion between CDE and Swiss NGO DRR Platform
13:00 – 14:15 Lunch		
<b>Block II: Along the continuum – Grey, Green and Hybrid approaches to DRR</b>		
14:15 – 15:00	Teasers for WOCAT case studies	
15:00 – 16:45	Parallel session incl. group works: case studies for nature-based solutions <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Swiss Red Cross:</b> Soil-bioengineering for DRR, Honduras</li> <li>2. <b>Tearfund:</b> Integrated Water Resource Management, Uganda</li> <li>3. <b>Caritas:</b> Rock Catchments, Kenya</li> </ol>	Carlos Montes, SRC Philip Tibenderana, Tearfund Fredrick Ochieng, CARITAS
Coffee/Tea included		
16:45 – 17:30	Feedback to plenary: Golden nuggets and burning questions of parallel sessions	Rapporteurs
17:30 – 17:45	Wrap up of day one	Babette Pfander
19:00 Dinner		

<b>WORKSHOP DAY 2</b>		
<b>Thursday, 7 December 2017</b>		
<i>Time</i>	<i>Topic</i>	<i>Responsible</i>
8:00 – 8:15	Review of day 1	Babette Pfander
<b>Block III: Assessing the value of nature-based solutions to bring them to scale</b>		
8:15 – 9:00	How to assess the value of nature-based solutions for DRR?	Peter Laban
9:00 – 9:45	Poster fair: What’s happening in NbS for DRR (2 rounds à 20’) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. IUCN: Helping nature help us – EPIC Report</li> <li>2. Swiss Red Cross : Climate change observatory using bio-indicators, El Salvador</li> <li>3. Helvetas: Green and Grey measures for Aksu watershed, Tajikistan</li> <li>4. Terre des hommes: Keyhole gardens, Bangladesh</li> </ol> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5. Worldvision: Farmer Managed Natural Regeneration</li> <li>6. CARITAS: Integrated Watershed Management in disaster-prone contexts, Tajikistan</li> <li>7. HEKS: Increasing food security in Niger</li> <li>8. CDE: Making the Sendai framework for DRR work for sustainable mountain development</li> </ol>	Poster presenters  Round 1  Round 2
9:45 – 11:00	Group work : “Burning questions: How to apply and integrate nature-based solutions for DRR”	Moderated by Babette Pfander
11:00 – 11:30 – Coffee/Tea		
11:30 – 12:30	Feedback session from group work: Steps towards more “green” in DRR	Moderated by Babette Pfander
12:30 – 13:00	Reflection, key messages and closing of the workshop	Jana Junghardt,
13:00 – 14:15 Lunch		
14:15 – 16:30	Afternoon excursion to Kanderdurchstich, close to Spiez  <div style="background-color: yellow; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;"><b>Please bring good shoes and warm clothes</b></div>	Markus Zimmermann, NDR Consulting
16:30 – 18:00	Apéro & Winetasting at Winery in Spiez	
19:00 Dinner		

<b>PUBLIC DAY</b>		
<b>Friday, 8 December 2017 - Hotel Kreuz, Bern</b>		
<i>Time</i>	<i>Topic</i>	<i>Responsible</i>
09:00 – 09:30	Arrival of participants and welcome coffee/tea	
9:30 – 9:45	Welcome	
09:45 – 10:00	Report back from F2F workshop and key messages	Jana Junghardt, CARITAS Switzerland
10:00 – 10:40	Keynote address: “Eco-DRR – a nature-based solution for one of the gravest challenges faced by societies: Disasters”	Radhika Murti, IUCN
10:40 – 12:00	Panel discussion: Nature-based solutions: A trend or a hype?	<p>Moderated by: Nina Saalisma, zoi environment network</p> <p>Panel members: Radhika Murti, IUCN Tatiana Fedotova, World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) Hanspeter Liniger (CDE) Carlo Scapozza (FOEN)</p>
12:00 – 12:30	Launch of publication «Where people and their land are safer» CDE/WOCAT and Swiss NGO DRR Platform	Nicole Harari (CDE) Swiss NGO DRR Platform
12:30 Lunch Apéro		