



# PLACARD PROJECT Demi-journée interne de l'environnement ISE Uni Carl-Vogt

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# **H2020 PROJECT**

### **PLACARD**

# Platform for Climate Change Adaptation and Disaster Risk Reduction

www.placard-network.eu

EU H2020

CSA - Coordination and Support Action

5 years project (started in June 2015)

10 partners Coordinator: Mario Pulquerio FFCUL

Budget: € 3 million Euros (180'000 € UNIGE)

- No research project
- Coordination and networking activities (of projects, programs and policies)
- Standardization
- Dissemination
- Policy dialogues
- Etc.

























The Netherlands Red Cross



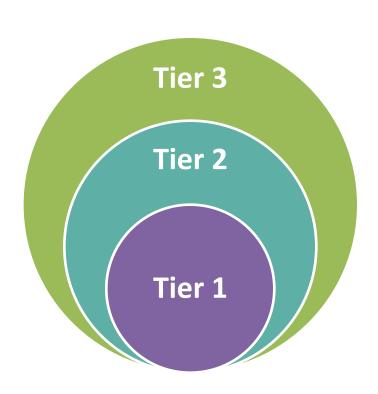
## **KEY PRINCIPLES**

- Provide a common "space" to share knowledge and experiences and create opportunities for collaboration
- Facilitate communication, information and knowledge exchange at the science-policy-practice interface
- Support the coordination and coherence of CCA and DRR research, policy and practices

#### CCA DRR **PLACARD** Researchers Researchers Common 'space' Research funders Research funders Policymakers Policymakers Communication Practitioners Practitioners **Knowledge** Other stakeholders Other stakeholders exchange Information & Information & Cooperation knowledge knowledge **Research & policy** • International, EU & International, EU & coherence national intiatives national intiatives



# **PRODUCTS**



# PLACARD INTERCHANGE 3 complementary levels of knowledge sharing

- Tier 1: In-depth analysis
- Tier 2: Scanning, mediating and information synthesis
- Tier 3: Transmitting information and knowledge sharing

# PLACARD BLOG http://www.placard-network.eu

PLACARD interchange









#### Blog

#### Adaptation, mitigation and disaster risk reduction in cities: Open European Day at Resilient Cities 2016

A well-attended Resilient Cities event raised some interesting questions about terminology and the benefits of nature-based adaptation solutions.

Mário Pulquério & Markus Leitner | 27 July, 2016 | Blog |

### Global climate adaptation will only succeed by dovetailing Paris & Sendai

Only by dovetailing Sendai and Paris will the outcomes of these international negotiations be mutually strengthened.

Reimund Schwarze | 30 June, 2016 | Blog

#### PLACARD at the Understanding Risk Forum 2016

Eleni Karali and Elisa Calliari report from the Understanding Risk Forum 2016 in Venice on the role of risk assessments for disaster risk reduction and climate risk management, and the application of disaster risk modelling and impacts of extreme weather and climate related

# PLACARD TWITTER

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# **CCA & DRR INTERACTIVE EVOLVING MAP**

Register your activity and/or your organization active in the field of CCA and/or DRR

Several answers accepted for same organization or activity!



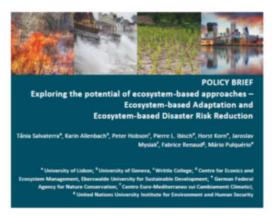
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## **THEMES**



Platform for climate adaptation & disaster risk reduction



#### Introduction

Climate Change Adaptation (CCA) and Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) share similar goals but originate from different conceptual frameworks. They differ in other ways, namely, in the terminology used, tools and methods, and the audience targeted to carry out the planning and implementation of practices. In its current form, the independent development and activities of CCA and DRR appear to ignore the complementary strategies of both communities, which may lead to sub-optimal responses to climate hazards<sup>1</sup>. There is an urgent need to integrate the activities of both practices under a unifying concept and set of "principles-to-practice" strategies. The use of ecosystem-based approaches<sup>1</sup> in dealing with the complex problems of climate change offers opportunities for developing novel strategies to adapt to rapid change and to reduce risk (Figure 1). In the 'everyday' world of dealing with crises and unexpected risks, it is almost impossible to predict and plan for cause-effect events. In most cases, conventional and linear science-based models of practice are replaced by more pragmatic approaches. From this practical perspective, and considering climate hazards, the divisions between Ecosystem-based Adaptation (EbA)<sup>a</sup> and Ecosystem-based DRR (Eco-DRR)<sup>a</sup> can be counterproductive. As, per definition, both approaches fully embrace the sustainable ecosystem management approach, it would make common sense to dissolve the divisions between them.

Organization and/or participation in various events (15)

Gathering lessons on specific topics:

- Harmonisation of CCA and DRR at different scales and governance levels
- Risk management and risk assessment
- Terminology, narratives
- Use of nature-based solutions (e.g. policy brief)



# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

# http://www.placard-network.eu/

- 4-6.10.2016 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the European Forum for DRR, Helsinki, UNISDR
- 4.10.2016 3<sup>rd</sup> RAMSES stakeholder dialogue vulnerabilities, economic gains and transformative potential of cities, Rome, RAMSES project
- 13.10.2016 International day for disaster reduction
- 24-25.10.2016 PLACARD Workshop: Foresight workshop reducing vulnerability to climate-related hazards, Vienna (will be preceded by an online discussion)