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Session material

Hazard groups

We grouped the presentations in the following order:

- papers dealing with multi-hazard to infrastructure (4 papers)
- papers dealing with climate change effects on infrastructure (2 papers)
- papers dealing with climate change related hazards such as water as hazard (3 papers)
- papers dealing with geological hazards such as earthquakes (3 papers).

Therefore for the chat we propose discussions among papers dealing with the same hazard groups and to relate these to multihazard.

Methodology/case studies

The papers are either presenting general methodology (ex. the RESISTO H2020 project looks at communication infrastructure at natural and human-made hazards, including decision support systems; decision making for industrial parks, vulnerability assessment of airports)

or case studies from Russia, Germany, Austria, China (2 papers), UK, India, Romania, Hungary. The case study reports use as methodology database development, literature review and policy analysis, user surveys, statistics on indicators, simulations, stochastic programming of cost estimation of protection alternatives, remote sensing and GIS mapping, mapping combined with stochastics and cascading failure.

Therefore for discussion we propose discussing some methodologies such as:

- from indicators for statistics and stochastics (incl. Monte Carlo simulation) to decision making (including Fuzziness).
- the relationship between natural and human-made hazards
- methods to collect data, such as literature review, user surveys, remote sensing. Which is the difference between field trips and collection from data providers (ex. land records)
- methods to aggregate the data (database, visualisation through mapping)
- the study areas themselves: what is common in the results, and what can be applied from the general methodologies to the particular case studies? How can be results replicated?

**Infrastructure categories**

The introductory paper refers to transport and lifelines infrastructure. Some infrastructures included in the following papers in both methodology papers and case study papers are railways, dams, airports, lifelines (such as power grids or communication networks, or in general), dams, industrial parks.

Therefore for the chat we recommend to look to papers dealing with the same infrastructure compared across countries.

**Contributions from previous sessions and publications**

Please take a look to the previous sessions and special issues for a general frame.

EGU 2013

NH9.9

Multi-hazard natural and technological risks: assessment and impacts

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EGU 2014

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EGU 2016
NH9.4
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EGU 2017
NH9.4
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Conveners: Martin Klose, Elena Petrova  | Co-Conveners: Benjamin Postance, Michal Bil, Elisabeth Krausmann, Maria Bostenaru Dan, Bruce D. Malamud, Bodo Damm

EGU 2018
NH9.4
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**Special issues in NHESS**

Natural hazards and technological disasters

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2011

https://www.nat-hazards-earth-syst-sci.net/special_issue127.html

Natural hazard impacts on technological systems and infrastructures

Editor(s): E. G. Petrova, E. Krausmann, M. Bostenaru Dan, and H. Kreibich

2018-2019

https://www.nat-hazards-earth-syst-sci.net/special_issue1003.html

Editions with a slightly different focus till 2011 – a review
