



Saturday, March 14
1300 – 1500h

Room B104, Tohoku University

Strengthening Disaster Recovery Systems for Resilience

Featuring discussion with:

Ede Jorge Ijjasz-Vasquez, *Senior Director, Social, Urban, Rural and Resilience Global Practice, World Bank Group*

Izumi Nakamitsu, *Assistant Secretary-General, Assistant Administrator and Director Crisis Response Unit, United Nations Development Programme*

and representatives from the European Union, Turkey, Serbia, Bangladesh, CEPREDENAC, and the Global Network of Civil Society Organizations for Disaster Reduction.



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Discussion on the importance of resilient recovery as an imperative for sustainable development

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