

Satellite-based Services for Disaster Risk Management

National Workshop Cyprus

17th May 2023

09.30 a.m. – 15:30 p.m.

HILTON NICOSIA (Achaion 1, Egkomi, Nicosia)

Agenda

09.30 – 10.00 Registrations and welcome coffee

KEYNOTE PRESENTATIONS

Moderated by Marie Menard, EUSPA

10.00 – 10.10 **Annalisa Donati**, Secretary General, Eurisy, Opening Remarks

10.10 – 10.20 **Department of Electronic Communications**, Cyprus National Space Strategy

10.20 – 10.30 **Jean-François Pekel**, On-demand Mapping component of the Copernicus Emergency Management Service, European Commission, Joint Research Centre (JRC)

10.30 – 10.40 **Demetrios Pyrros**, President, European Emergency Number Association (EENA), The implementation of AML in the EU and the role of EENA

10.40 – 10.50 **Georgios Andreas Synnefakis**, GOVSATCOM for disaster management, EUSPA

10.50 – 11.10 **Coffee Break**

PANEL PRESENTATIONS

Panel 1: Space assets supporting the Disaster Risk Management Cycle (1 hour 15 min)

What can space data contribute to prevention, preparedness, response, and recovery?

Moderated by EUSPA

11.10 – 11.25 **Dr. Kyriacos Themistocleous** Researcher A, ERATOSTHENES Centre of Excellence, Department of Civil Engineering and Geomatics (CEG), Cyprus University of Technology (CUT), Use cases of satellite-based services for Disaster Risk Management

11.25 – 11.40 **Dr Chris Danezis**, Associate Professor of Geodesy, Head of the CUT Laboratory of Geodesy at Cyprus University of Technology, Cyprus Continuously Operating Natural Hazards Monitoring & Prevention System (CyCLOPS) project

11.40 – 11.55 **Dr Athos Agapiou**, Assistant Professor, "Geoinformatics and Earth Observation," Department of Civil Engineering & Geomatics, Cyprus University of Technology, Disaster Risk Management for Cultural Heritage, Examples from Cyprus:

11:55 – 12.10 **Dr Skevi Perdikou**, Technology Manager of GEOFEM, Addressing the impact of climate change on infrastructure using space technology

12.10 –12.25 **Mr. George Milis**, Director and Innovations Manager, PHOEBE Research and Innovation Ltd, Water Quality Monitoring Service as a candidate evolution service element of the Copernicus Emergency Management Service

12.25 – 12.40 Civil Protection, User Perspective **TBC**

12.40 – 12.55 Joint Rescue Coordination Centre, User Perspective **TBC**

12.55 – 13.10 Coffee Break

HIGH LEVEL POLICY PANEL

Moderated by Annalisa Donati, Secretary General, Eurisy

13.10 – 13.20 Deputy Minister of Research, Innovation and Digital Policy, Mr. Philippos Hadjizacharias

13.20 – 13.30 EC DG DEFIS representative

13.30 – 13.40 Rodrigo da Costa, Executive Director, EUSPA, Space assets for disaster management

13.40 – 13.50 Dominique Tilmans, Hon. Senator of Belgium. President, Eurisy

WRAP UP AND CONCLUSIVE REMARKS

by Annalisa Donati, Secretary General, Eurisy

13.50 – 15.30 LUNCH BREAK

15.30 – 16.00 Press conference