

# Fighting Mega-Disasters

**Research and policy systems capable of managing risk of catastrophic consequence**

*What role do groups like the Centre for Natural Hazard Research, SFU, play?*

**\*\*REGISTRATION\*\*  
IS FREE**

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**Friday, April 26, 2013**

**8:30 am - 5:00 pm**

**Halpern Centre, SFU, Burnaby, BC**

## **PURPOSE**

Bring together diverse group to discuss concepts & practices in managing mega-disasters.

## **FORMAT**

Informal presentation with lots of discussion time;  
Poster space & viewing time;  
Refreshment breaks and sandwich lunch for sharing ideas.

## **PRESENTATION / POSTER PROPOSALS**

Include a title, list of authors and their affiliations, and abstract (<250 words).  
E-mail proposal to [martyz@sfu.ca](mailto:martyz@sfu.ca) by April 5, 2013.

## **WHO SHOULD ATTEND**

*Stakeholders in economic security, sustainability, safety and security.*

*Examples: city managers, critical-infrastructure managers, insurers, researchers, geotechnical engineers, risk and emergency*

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Deepwater Horizon Explosion and Oil Spill, April 2010



New Orleans 2003



Sendai earthquake, tsunami, nuclear reactor meltdown 2011

## REGISTRATION

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Before April 17, 2013 to reserve one of the limited spaces

Free registration includes:

continental breakfast

refreshments

lunch

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