**HEUREKA Regional Workshop**

**Civil protection knowledge partnership platform – Middle East**

Date and Location: **26-27 May, 2022**; **Nicosia, Cyprus and online via webex**

Venue location: Civil Defence Headquarters, John Kennedy 23, 2314, Nicosia

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AGENDA – Day 1

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| **Time (EET)** | **Content** | **Speaker** |
| 11:30 | Registration |  |
| 12:00 | Welcome remarks | Ms. Maria Papa, Civil Defence Commander |
| 12:10 | Presentation of the HEUREKA Project | René Kastner (Gov. Styria - CD)  HEUREKA project management |
| 12:25 | Presentation of Cyprus’ Civil Defence | Civil Defence Officer |
| 12:40 | Presentation of the use of drones by the Civil Defence | Civil Defence Officer |
| 13:00 | Risk assessment in Cyprus | Dr. Nicholas Paris, Senior Civil Defence Officer |
| 13:20 | Presentation on climate change - Cyprus | Dr. Theodoulos Mesimeris, Senior Environment Officer, Department of Environment |
| 13:40 | Presentation on climate change – regional aspect- TBC | Lebanese speaker – via LRI |
| 14:00 | Presentation on earthquakes and tsunami risk - Cyprus | Dr. Iordanis Dimitriadis, Geological Survey Department |
| 14:20 | Presentation on forest fire risks- Cyprus | Mr. Georgios Georgiou, Forest Conservator, Department of Forests |
| **14:40** | **Lunch break** |  |
| 15:10 | Presentation on project deliverables - Knowledge Summary | Dr. Jamal Al Dabeek and Eng. AbdelHakeem Al Jawhari , Urban Planning and Disaster Risk Reduction Center, Al-Najah National University |
| 15:30 | Presentation on project deliverables -Thematic Workshops | Dr. Christos Dimopoulos, European University Cyprus |
| 15:45 | Presentation on project deliverables- humanitarian workshop & webinar | Gov. Styria - CD)  HEUREKA project management |
| 16:00 | Presentation on project deliverables- interactive web platform | Lebanon Reforestation Initiative |
| 16:15 | round table - discussion on the way forward and knowledge gained | Selected panel and all participants |
| **17:15** | **End of first day** |  |

AGENDA – Day 2

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| Time | Content | Speaker |
| 08:30 | registration |  |
| 09:00 | Short presentation and then discussion about knowledge development | Dr. Christos Dimopoulos, European University Cyprus |
| 10:00 | Presentation of potential Governance structure and discussion with all participants | Christian Resch, Disaster Competence Network Austria |
| 11:00 | Round-table discussion on future activities in the legacy of HEUREKA with local/regional stakeholders | Representatives of  LEB, PAL, CYP, AUT  (moderated) |
| **12:00** | **End for external guests** |  |
| 12:00 | Coffee break- finger food |  |
| 12:45 | Meeting of all project partners to evaluate the project and discuss further steps | Moderated by René Kastner (Gov. Styria – CD) |
| **15:15** | **End of regional final workshop** |  |