

DISASTER & RISK REDUCTION SHORT COURSES



COMMUNITY RISK ASSESSMENT

[12 - 16 November 2018]

The course focuses on strengthening community-based risk assessment capabilities in disaster-prone informal settlements. The course gives priority to assessing household and community risks using a range of participatory methods as well as other quantitative and spatial risk-related data. It is useful and relevant to disaster management practitioners working in at-risk communities, local councillors / political leaders. However, the course is equally important for development practitioners, as well as those concerned with capacity-building, poverty reduction or sustainable development.

Key Content Areas:

- Role of CRA in development planning/ risk reduction
- Principles, practice and ethics of CRA
- Introduction to critical data sources for assessing risk
- Capturing and mapping spatial data using GPS
- Introduction to participatory CRA methods
- Conducting a preliminary scoping exercise
- Applied CRA: Fieldwork in an informal settlement
- Effective analysis/consolidation of CRA findings
- Effective communication of CRA findings

Important Information:

- Course Cost: R7000.00 / +-USD 500.00
- 40% reduction for registered SU students
- Course duration: 5 days
- Course instruction in English

Certificate of competence (5 credits) issued upon successful completion of take-home assignment

Short course online registration: <http://shortcourses.sun.ac.za/application-form.html?offeringid=96a0a680-488d-e711-904e-0050568000ff>

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