

## Benefits of Course

- ◆ Enhancement of Knowledge base in Disaster Risk Management
- ◆ Sharing of experience with people across the world
- ◆ Helpful in Career Planning
- ◆ Quick and easy access to new innovations

## Admission Requirement

The basic requirement for admission in the course is Computer with access to the internet connectivity. The following specifications are preferred in the computer

- ◆ **HARDWARE** :- Pentium 166 or faster, 64 MB memory, CD/DVD ROM, Sound Card
- ◆ **SOFTWARE** :- Windows 95, 98, ME, NT 4, 2000 or XP  
Internet Explorer 4 or higher, Netscape 4 or higher MS office 2000.

## Language

The language of course delivery is English

## Course Fee

- ◆ For each Basic course - Rs.1500.00
- ◆ For each Specialized course - Rs.1000.00  
{Plus Bank Charges if paying through Bank Transfer}

The course fee can be paid through Bank Draft in favour of the Executive Director, NIDM, New Delhi, payable at New Delhi or through Bank Transfer within India and abroad.

**The Institute also offers concessional package for opting more than one course.**



For admission and other details, please visit :

[www.nidm.gov.in/online.asp](http://www.nidm.gov.in/online.asp)

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# Online Course on Disaster Risk Management

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## Background

On account of varied geo-climatic condition, India is prone to multiple disasters like Earthquakes, Floods, Landslides, Avalanches, Cyclones etc. They cause great loss of lives and properties every year. In order to minimize loss due to disasters and to inculcate a sense of preparedness among communities, we need to have an effective capacity building measures to be applied widely across the country. The Online Course conducted by NIDM is a step further to make our society disaster resilient.

The National Institute of Disaster Management constituted under the Disaster Management Act 2005 has been entrusted with the nodal national responsibility for human resource development, capacity building, training, research, documentation and policy advocacy in the field of Disaster Risk Management. The organization gives policy support to Union & State Governments for providing support and advises on Disaster Risk Reduction strategies. It conducts in-house as well as outreach training programmes in addition to Online Courses for various levels of stakeholders.

## NIDM Online Course

The Institute is offering Online Courses on Disaster Risk Management in collaboration with the World Bank (GFDRR) Washington. The aim of this Programme is to raise the level of Awareness and Preparedness as well as to enhance analytical skills and professional competencies of distant key stakeholders in different areas of Disaster Risk Management. The NIDM online course is first of its kind in India which helps distant users in acquiring knowledge base in the subject. The course also facilitates participants to globally share their views, ideas and information on a common platform.

## Why to join NIDM e-learning Courses?

- ◆ Courses are designed specifically to build competencies of disaster management professionals, development practitioners and general public.
- ◆ Beneficial for those who are not able to attend or does not have much time to attend face to face programmes.
- ◆ Flexi-time and flexi-space in course activities
- ◆ Courses are free from any face to face discussion or appearance in the examination.
- ◆ The online Discussion Forum facilitate participants to share their views, experiences, documents, images and videos
- ◆ Participants can receive Discussion Forum entries in their personal e-mail accounts.
- ◆ The success in the course largely depends on certain parameters like completion of Personal Profiles, Country Profile, participation in the discussion forum, timely submission of Assignments and End of the Course Projects etc.

## Online Courses on offer

The Institute conducts two types of Online Courses-

- ◆ **Basic Course** - The Basic Course- **Comprehensive Disaster Risk Management Framework** is the introductory course deals with the fundamental concepts of Disaster Risk Management and is open for all interested in acquiring basic knowledge of the subject.
- ◆ **Specialized courses** – There are 9 specialized courses on various topics which deal with the specific focus areas related to Disaster Risk Management and are open to those who have basic subject knowledge.

The ten (10) courses including Basic and Specialized offered by NIDM are as under:

- ◆ Comprehensive Disaster Risk Management Framework (CDRMF)
- ◆ Community Based Disaster Risk Management (CBDRM)
- ◆ Climate Change and Disaster Risk (CIC)
- ◆ Earthquake Risk Reduction (ERR)
- ◆ Risk Identification, Assessment and Analysis (RA)
- ◆ Safer Cities (SC)
- ◆ Financial Strategies for Managing Economic Impacts of Disasters (FS)
- ◆ Risk Sensitive Land Use Planning (RSLUP)
- ◆ Gender Aspects of Disaster Recovery and Reconstruction (GENDER)
- ◆ Damage and Reconstruction Needs Assessment (DRNA)

## Who should attend?

- ◆ General Development Practitioners
- ◆ Central & Local Government Officials
- ◆ Policy Makers
- ◆ Corporate & private Sector Professionals
- ◆ Professionals from UNO, World Bank, Red Cross & Red Crescent etc.
- ◆ Teachers and Students of Technical, Non Technical & Research Institutions, Universities etc.
- ◆ Consultants
- ◆ Researchers & Academicians
- ◆ NGO & INGO Professionals
- ◆ General Individuals etc.