

Prepared International Selected current projects w relevance for SEE

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Group of Experts from United Nations, World Bank, EU and Academia

Focused on disaster risk management and disaster resilience building

Long-term experience with disaster preparedness, disaster coordination, evacuation preparedness, large-scale population movements.

Team members need to deploy with stand-by teams to disasters (e.g. UNDAC, GLC, UPCM) to understand problems and to design solutions.

Specific experience in cross-border disaster preparedness, conflict-sensitive DRR, small islands, mountain regions, protection and rescue.





EU-Project to strengthen resilience by integration of a maximum part of the population into urban resilience building and emergency preparedness

- Identified as a key problem of resilience building
- Design of an toolkit to strengthen integration and inclusion in response and resilience
- Mentoring of interested cities



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Skopje is one of the four champion cities that are rolling out this project and will speak about their experience in the Resilient Cities World Conference (June 2019)

The finalized toolkit will be available for every city by early 2020 via www.amare-project.eu

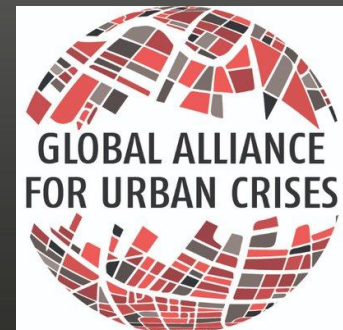
A mentoring project for cities in SEE could be potentially requested by donor e.g. ECHO



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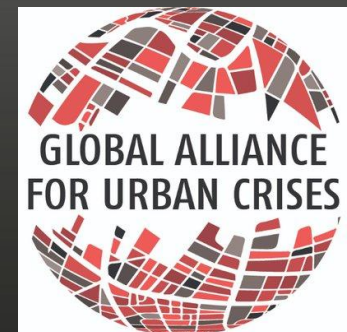
Urban Response Preparedness

- Urban Response and the lack of preparedness for it is more and more internationally in the focus
- If it is technical, if it is about evacuations, sheltering, profiling or coordination, normal training does not prepare us for an response in today's urban environment
- PPI works with the Global Alliance for Urban Crisis and ICLEI to strengthen urban response preparedness by capacity building



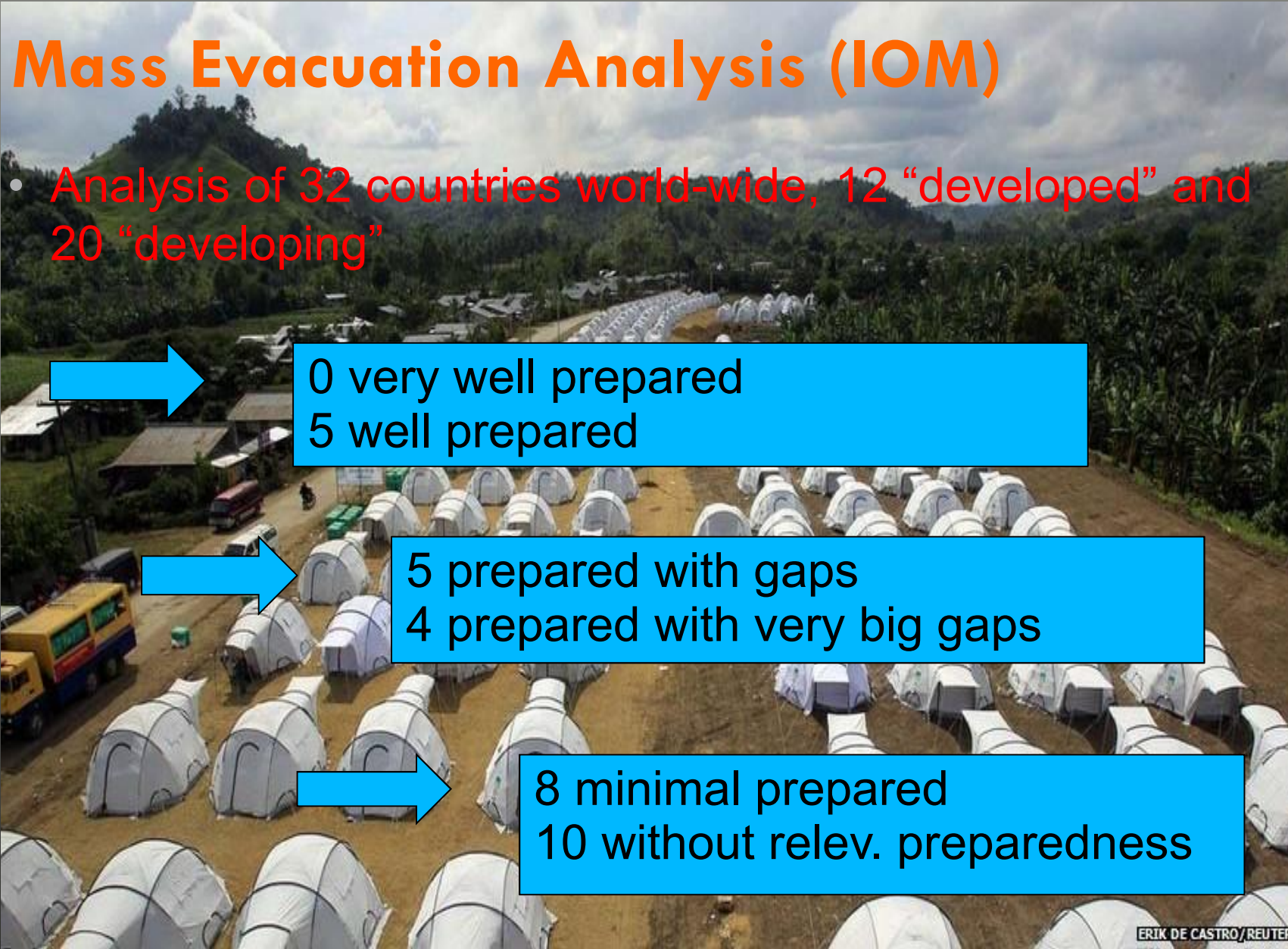
Urban Response for South Eastern Europe

- The future is Urban – this also counts for SEE
- The main cities are the population and economical centre of the countries in SEE
- Therefore, a key focus in civil protection should be on the specific challenges that an urban environment poses
- Products of GAUC on webpage since Feb 2019
- A common project with a key donor like e.g. WB should be envisaged
- Connected to this, evacuation could be a topic



Mass Evacuation Analysis (IOM)

- Analysis of 32 countries world-wide, 12 “developed” and 20 “developing”



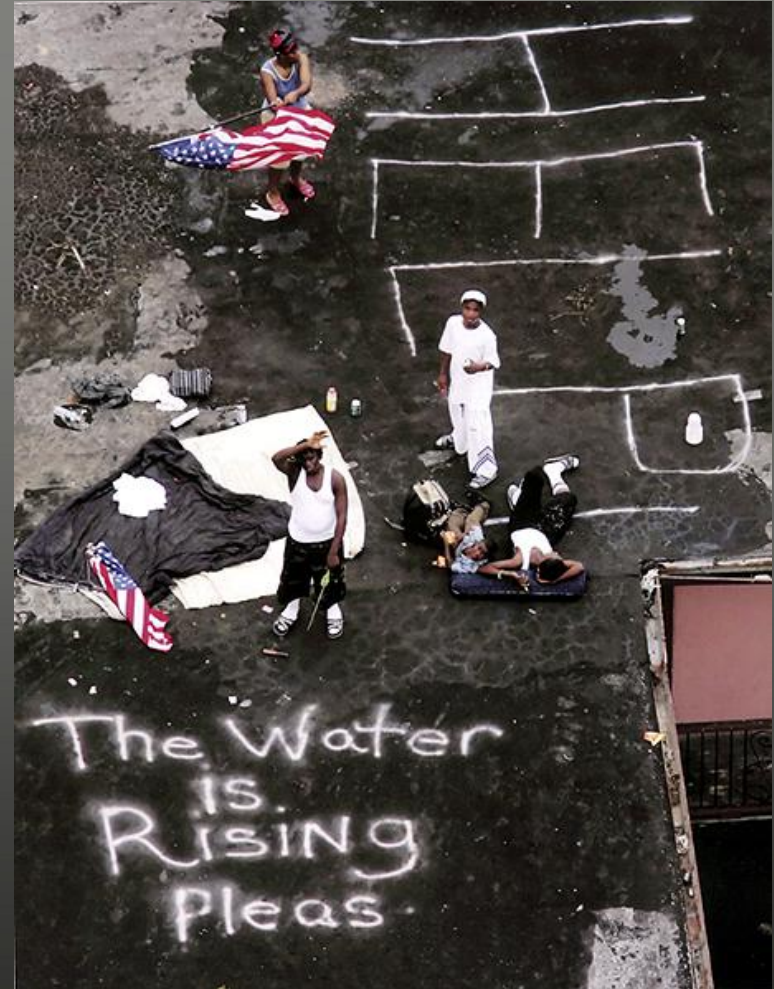
0 very well prepared
5 well prepared

5 prepared with gaps
4 prepared with very big gaps

8 minimal prepared
10 without relev. preparedness

Hurricane Katrina, Evacuations and SEE

- Lack of adequate planning and failure of coordination-sign of developed states
- PPI concentrates on supporting states and cities to get correct and adequate planning in place
- Mass-events, more and more high-rised buildings, but also water dams are causing additional need for spec. planning



Future Development of HNS

- Strong Host-Nation-Support still often a challenge
- Current EU HNS Guidelines very valid, but not enough
- ECHO requested update including e.g. EMT, Mass Evacuations, Consular Issues, but also Urban Response
- Albania one of our three champions: ToT WS and TTX exercise
- Valid also for other DPPI partners



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