

Seminar programme

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Disaster and crisis management Learning from disasters for the future

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Whether the consequences of climate change such as flooding, natural hazards such as earthquakes, disease epidemics such as the COVID pandemic, demographic trends or the political and economic impact of international crises: Disasters seem to be on the rise. They jeopardise and affect the lives of the population and disrupt the normality and naturalness of public life. Disasters can bring out the best and the worst in people: Greed and ruthless selfishness on the one hand, helpfulness, and compassion on the other. With their complex structures, modern societies can react quickly to crises and disasters. The seminar provides an overview of the current state of disaster research. The role of security organisations and their employees in crisis management will be discussed as well as the cooperation between security actors and the population. Experiences and findings from past events play an important role here. Another focus is on the influence of social media in crisis situations and explores the value of special social media tools. Resilience and psychological stress among victims and professional helpers will be addressed.

Seminar leader: Mr Jürgen Mathies, former State Secretary of North-Rhine Westphalia

Price: 495 € | for IPA members 365 €

Further information on the seminar and the complete conditions of participation can be found on our homepage www.ibz-gimborn.de

Monday

until 10:30	Journey	
10:45 - 11:00	Welcome by the house management, Introduction of the seminar leader, organisational matters and seminar planning Round of introductions	House management (director, pedagogical management) Seminar chair
11:00 - 12:15	Introduction, expectations of the seminar	Seminar chair .
12:15 - 13:30	Lunch	
13.30 - 16:45	Crisis management, crisis resolution in - public institutions - Companies Crisis communication	Jörg Trauboth , author, entrepreneur, reserve officer
	Civil-military cooperation in the event of a disaster	Christian Seel , Commissioner for Civil- Military Cooperation and Civil Protection, Saarland
16:45 - 19:00	<i>Time for sport, discussion rounds, participant exchange</i>	
19:00 - 19:45	Dinner	

Tuesday

08:00 - 08:45	Breakfast	
09:00 - 12:15	Flood disaster	Michael Tiedemann , Senior Police Director
12:15 - 13:30	Lunch	
13:30 - 16:45	Crowds - mass panic; lessons learnt from the 2010 Love Parade in Duisburg	Klaus-Stephan Becker , Chief Director of Criminal Investigation
16:45 - 19:00	<i>Time for sport, discussions, dialogue</i>	
19:00 - 19:45	Dinner	

Wednesday

08:00 - 08:45	Breakfast	
09:00 - 12:15	When the power goes out...Be prepared for a blackout	Manfred Riediger , Blackout consultant, Zülpich
12.15 - 13:30	Lunch	
13:15	Trip to Cologne	
14:00 - 16:00	Professional fire brigade and civil protection Preparation of a metropolis for crisis management: - Flood situations - Firefighting - Explosions Overview of scenarios for which the fire service prepares Insight into the management of a crisis team	Fire Fighter Unit Cologne
16:00	Leisure time	
21:00	Return journey to Gimborn	

Thursday

08:00 - 08:45	Breakfast	
09:00 - 12:15	The Manchester Arena Attack 2017 and the findings of the MAI (Manchester Arena Inquiry)	Martin Keneally , British Transport Police, Manchester Areana Inquiry Team
12.15 - 13:30	Lunch	
13:30 - 16:30	State of disaster research - Lessons learnt?	Prof Dr Martin Voss Disaster research centre of the Free University Berlin
16:30	<i>Time for sport, discussions, dialogue</i>	
19:00	Dinner	

Friday

08:00 - 08:45	Breakfast and check-out	
09:00 - 12:15	Findings from research: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cooperation with spontaneous helpers • State crisis communication during operations 	Frank Meurer , Federal Office of Civil Protection and Disaster Assistance PENDING
12:15 - 13:30	Lunch	
13:30 - 15:00	Feedback round and seminar evaluation	House management (director, pedagogical management) Seminar chair
from 15:00	Departure	