

IDRiM2021 Special Issue

In conjunction with the 2021 International Society for Integrated Disaster Risk Management (IDRiM) conference, IDRiM Journal invites submissions of research papers (~8,000 words), technical notes (~4,000 words), and thematic summaries (~2,000 words) addressing the conference theme: **“Reviewing the Effectiveness of Integrated Disaster Risk Management Initiatives”**. This special issue will be managed by guest editors: Dr. Thalia Balkaran (University of the West Indies, Mona); Dr. Yasmin Bhattacharya (Shibaura Institute of Technology); Dr. Hamilton Bean (University of Colorado Denver); Dr. Xinyu Jiang (Wuhan University of Technology); Dr. Hitomu Kotani (Kyoto University); and Dr. Shingo Nagamatsu (Kansai University/NIED). General questions about the Special Issue can be directed to Dr. Hamilton Bean (hamilton.bean@ucdenver.edu).

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Northumbria Disaster and Development Society 2nd Annual Conference

(30 November; Online)



Early Career Researchers (ECR) are a unique group of researchers in academia, as they are a constant stream of people that have innovative ideas and research; which can support or challenge existing ways of thinking. However, the majority of ECR leave academia within three years of their research programme. Quite often, many of these ideas and research leave as well, without the exposure they deserve. Therefore, this conference organized by the **Disaster and Development Society of Northumbria University** has a dual purpose. Firstly, to promote new ideas and research

by ECR. Secondly, it provides ECRs a platform to develop their presentation skills and potential to build new networks with other ECR's outside their institution. **Abstracts are welcome until 17 November 2021 from graduate students, postdoctoral scholars, and those who have earned their degrees within the last 3 years.**

<https://northumbriadds.wordpress.com/2nd-disaster-and-development-society-conference/>

Mendenhall Postdoctoral Fellowship – Research Social Scientists for Volcano Science Center

The [U.S. Geological Survey](https://www.usgs.gov/) is advertising for a research social scientist PhD candidate or early career researcher (5 years or less post PhD) for the Volcano Science program. The prospective Mendenhall fellow will develop a 2-year research proposal in their area of interest and expertise that advances USGS priorities in the VHP, NHMA, and Risk Plan. The goal of this Mendenhall opportunity is to recruit a talented and creative social scientist whose “home base” will be the VHP but will seek collaborations with other USGS programs/centers. This opportunity is designed for candidates possessing strong qualitative research skills and demonstrated expertise in social science or related fields. **It is highly recommended to contact research advisors early, as they can help craft a research proposal with the applicant to tailor it to applicant's interests.** We invite creative proposals that will enhance USGS's ability to meet its obligations to “[E]nhance public safety and minimize social and economic disruption from eruptions...” for all. Therefore, proposals must clearly articulate a plan for meaningful, sincere, and equitable service to groups that have been made vulnerable through practices such as historically discriminatory policies and geographic isolation, for example Sovereign Tribal Nations, small and remote population centers, lower income urban area residents, and BIPOC communities.



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