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Workshop on Policy Analysis and Decision Making for Disaster Risk Governance

This one-day workshop will provide an opportunity to learn decision-making techniques useful for disaster risk governance. In the first half of the workshop, the participants will learn policy analysis – a decision-making technique that systematically compares alternative courses of action to arrive at a well-thought-out decision. An example of the use of policy analysis for disaster risk mitigation will be presented. The latter half of the workshop will address a variety of governance options for policy makers to consider for reconstruction planning. The participants will be asked to deliberate on how they would have designed the reconstruction governance for a tsunami-ravaged town in Tohoku, Japan.

Date: Monday, 25 July 2022

Japan Time	Agenda	Speaker
10:00 – 10:05	Opening Remark	ADB I Dean Tetsushi Sonobe
10:05 – 11:20	Session 1 Policy Analysis I: An Overview of Approaches, Advantages, and Limitations	Prof. Naomi Aoki
11:20 – 11:30	<i>Break</i>	
11:30 – 13:00	Session 2 Policy Analysis II: Practical Application for Reconstruction	Prof. Mikio Ishiwatari
13:00 – 14:00	<i>Break</i>	
14:00 – 15:20	Session 3 Participatory Decision Making for Reconstruction I: Options for Policy Makers	Prof. Naomi Aoki
15:20 – 15:30	<i>Break</i>	
15:30 – 16:50	Session 4 Participatory Decision Making for Reconstruction II: A Case Study of a Tsunami-Ravaged Town	Prof. Naomi Aoki
16:50 – 17:00	Closing Ceremony	Dr KE Seetha Ram