

WELCOME TO OUR

Quarterly Newsletter



Welcome to the second edition of the ResiliEnhance Platform newsletter. Since our last update in June, our community has continued to make significant strides and this issue will provide a comprehensive overview of our recent progress.

We invite you to explore the highlights and learn more about how we are collectively driving positive change.

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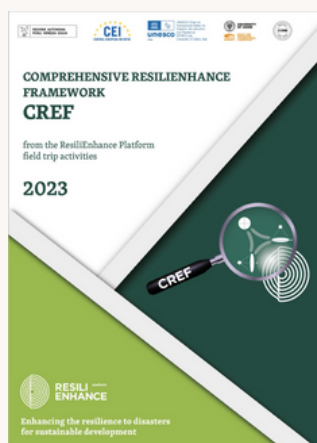
Previewing Our Upcoming Reports

As a follow-up to the successful launch of the ResiliEnhance Platform in Udine, we are pleased to announce that the two reports on the Platform's initial activities have been finalized and are currently under review by the Steering Committee.

The first report, focusing on the launch event and the subsequent development of the Udine Chart, provides a detailed overview of our early achievements.



The second report delves into the case study of the Friuli earthquake reconstruction, exploring the lessons learned and the development of the Comprehensive ResiliEnhance Framework (CREF).



Once the Steering Committee has completed its review, both reports will be made available on the ResiliEnhance website.

Key Takeaways from Our September 30th Web Meeting

During the web meeting, we discussed a variety of important topics related to the ResiliEnhance Platform.

Key takeaways include:

- **Recent Progress:** We shared updates on our latest achievements and milestones (e.g., ResiliEnhance website update, quarterly newsletter publication, coming reports, etc.).
- **Upcoming In-Person Meeting:** We discussed our in-person gathering that will be held from November 26 to 27 and during which a set of presentations on specific narratives to learn from past events will be given.
- **Special Issue Publication:** We explored the possibility of publishing a special issue on Disaster Risk Reduction and Resilience in an indexed journal and discussed potential topics and contributors.

More details about the in-person meeting and the potential special issue publication will be shared shortly.

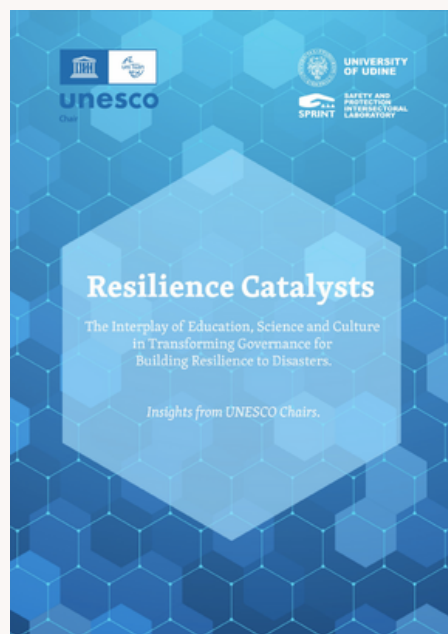
Resilience Catalyst Webinar Recap

On June 19th, 2024, the UNESCO Chair on Intersectoral Safety for Disaster risk reduction and Resilience of the University of Udine (Italy) hosted a global webinar titled "Resilience Catalysts: The Interplay of Education, Science and Culture in Transforming Governance for Building Resilience to Disasters – Insights from UNESCO Chairs." This online event explored the crucial role of UNESCO Chairs in fostering collaboration between education, science, and culture to enhance resilience and mitigate disasters.

The two-hour event fostered collaboration among thirty-six participants representing fourteen UNESCO Chairs, UNESCO, and other organizations and institutions. Participants delved into a critical discussion on how education, science, and cultural knowledge can be leveraged to achieve transformative governance in disaster preparedness.



A comprehensive report summarizing the key findings and discussions from the webinar has been released.



This report also outlines plans for future collaborations, including the upcoming UNESCO Chair-Led Talks Series. This series will involve presentations and discussions led by experts from different UNESCO Chairs. The first Resilience Catalyst Talk, featuring the UNESCO Chair on Disaster Risk Reduction and Resilience Engineering from UCL (UK), will be held in November 2024. The confirmed date and time will be communicated shortly.

The webinar video recording, the report as well as the calendar of the Talk series are available on the following [dedicated webpage of the ResiliEnhance website.](#)

Stay tuned!

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