

DM513 Disaster Governance

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Course Content

Introduction to disaster governance: Risk governance, environmental governance, driving forces of globalization, system dynamics, social inequality, and socio-demographic trends; Disaster management policy: Principles of disaster management policy, features of disaster management policy, policy making procedures, policy makers, command and coordination in disaster management; Disaster management administration: National disaster management policy, institutional framework for disaster management, existing institutional arrangement in India, state disaster management policy, international strategy for disaster risk reduction, international organizations involved in disaster management; Political economy of disaster: Theories of political economy and disasters, institutional influences on disaster risk management policy, incentive structures, information gaps, intra-governmental relations and local governance, shock responsive policies; Disaster Risk Governance in India: disaster governance and legal systems in India, governance for rapid response, case studies on pre-disaster and post-disaster phases

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