

Associated Experts

At times, BCPR-DRU also relies upon assistance from experts in the region where need may arise for certain projects. Some of our associated experts include the following people:

Linda Zilbert

Profile:

- Architecture and planning
- Disaster prevention, preparedness, mitigation, management, and risk reduction and management

Experience:

- International Consultant/Disaster Prevention Specialist, "Disaster Prevention and Social Reconstruction - PREDERES" project (CORPOVARGAS - Comunidad Europea), Venezuela
- Team Coordinator - Systematization (on behalf of LA RED), UNDP project "Systematization of Good Practices in Disaster Preparedness and Local Level Risk Management in the Andean Region"
- Consultant/Specialist (reconstruction and recovery of housing, risk management, disaster reduction), UNDP Cuba
- Consultant, "Risk Mitigation in Central America" project, CARE Nicaragua
- Consultant/Coordinator, project "Training of Human Resources for the Integration of National Disaster Prevention, Mitigation, and Response System (SNPMAD)", UNDP Nicaragua
- Researcher and member of "LA RED" (network for social studies in disaster prevention in Latin America)
- Executive Secretary, Habitat Commission, Peru
- Representative member, Housing, Environment, and Health Network (promoted by CEPIS, WHO/ PAHO), Peru
- Manager, Disaster Program, Intermediate Technology Development Group (ITDG), Peru
- Project Chief, Disaster Program, ITDG, Peru
- Researcher and Technical Specialist, Disaster Program, ITDG, Peru
- Architect/Technical Team Coordinator/Directive Committee member, Disaster Studies and Prevention Center (PREDES)
- Architect/Technical Team member/Director of Social Promotion, Training, and Communications Unit, Municipality of Metropolitan Lima
- Architect, Municipality of the El Agustino District
- Field Evaluator, National Urban Development Institute (INADUR), Ministry of Housing and Construction
- Professor, Escuela Superior de Education Profesional METROPOLITANO (civil construction major)
- Consultancies with UNDP-BCPR, UNDP Cuba, UNDP Honduras, UNDP El Salvador, UNDP Nicaragua, and CARE Nicaragua, among others.
- Plethora of publications, research, proposals, capacity development/training, and participation in numerous international seminars in areas of disaster prevention, preparedness, mitigation, management, and risk reduction and management.

Academic Background:

- Bachelors in Architecture and Planning, Universidad "Ricardo Palma", Architecture Department, Lima Peru

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