
6th NERIS Workshop

27-29 May 2020, Barcelona, Spain

“Operational and research achievements and needs to further strengthen preparedness in emergency management, recovery and response”

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First announcement



Objectives of the Workshop

The NERIS Workshop 2020 will focus on “Operational and research achievements and needs to further strengthen preparedness in emergency management, recovery and response” as well as common topics with international organisations and Radiation Protection Platforms.

This will be an opportunity to **discuss and exchange views** with NERIS Members, international organisations and European research communities on research developments and priorities for the European NERIS Platform.

The Workshop will take place on 27-29th May 2020 and the 11th General Assembly will take place on 27 May morning (9.30 to 12.00).

Venue

The Workshop will take place in Barcelona, Spain, at Palau Macaya. It is one of the Catalan Modernism buildings designed by architect Josep Puig i Cadafalch in 1901. Nowadays the palace is owned by La Caixa and is used for exhibitions and workshops. There is also an exhibit about the palace itself and the Catalan Modernism movement.

Address:

Passeig de Sant Joan, 108
08037, Barcelona

Main topics selected

Plenary sessions will be organised on topics related to the following challenges:

- ▶ Operational aspects: from theory to practice
- ▶ Disaster management and resilience in communities
- ▶ Preparedness for a sustainable recovery: including non radiological consequences and effects
- ▶ Updating handbooks, guidelines and recommendations to support decision making
- ▶ Future research needs



As accommodation in Barcelona is in high demand in May, we advise to book rooms as soon as possible. We recommend the chain of hotels H10.

Call for abstracts

Persons willing to present an oral or poster communication are invited to fill in the **abstract submission form to the NERIS Secretariat** (sec@eu-neris.net) before **31st January 2020**.

The abstract submission form is available on the NERIS website (www.eu-neris.net).

The selection of presentations will be made by the Programme Committee. Authors will be notified by mid-February.



Programme committee


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NERIS Young Scientist award

The NERIS Platform sets up again the '**NERIS Young Scientist Award**', to promote young people whose professional or scientific works have been noted for their quality and originality.

To compete for this award, candidates are required to:

- ▶ be **under 35 years old** by May 2020;
- ▶ be the **main author** of the paper presented;
- ▶ **mention on the abstract submission** that they wish to compete for the '**NERIS Young Scientist Award**'.

 The award winner will be selected according to criteria established by the Programme Committee. The award will be announced and presented at the end of the 6th NERIS Workshop, and will consist of a diploma and a free registration to the next NERIS Workshop.

Target audience

The target audience for this workshop is **researchers and organisations involved or interested in emergency and recovery preparedness and management** from all levels and sectors.

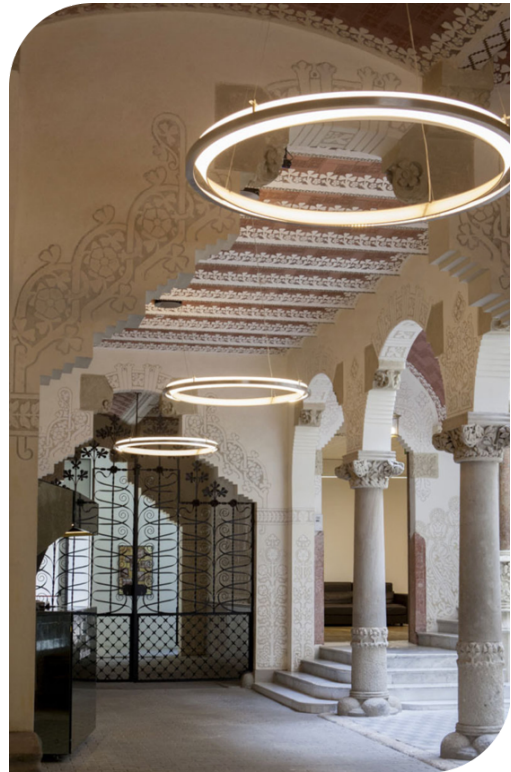
Registration and fees

Registration will be opened in **early January 2019**.

Participation fees will be requested for the Workshop organisation and dinner:

- ▶ **200€ for NERIS supporting organisations**
- ▶ **250€ for NERIS members or other organisations**

Participation fees include lunches, coffee breaks and the Workshop dinner.



Further information

For further information on the NERIS Workshop and the venue, feel free to contact the Organising Committee:

- ▶ NERIS Secretariat

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- ▶ ISGlobal

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You can also visit the NERIS website (<https://eu-neris.net>).

Important dates

- ▶ Registration opening: **Early January 2020**
- ▶ Abstract deadline: **31st January 2020**
- ▶ Registration deadline: **Early May 2020**
- ▶ 6th NERIS Workshop: **27-29 May 2020**