SESSION 1: The Mainstreaming of Disaster Risk Reduction as a Challenge to the Implementation of the Sendai Framework

PANEL 4: Disaster Reduction in the housing, public works (schools and hospitals), transport and urban planning, environment and livelihoods adaptation sectors

Goals:
- Introduce through successful experiences, the way sectors considered the integration of disaster risk reduction in development and sectoral policies.
- Establish a set of national guidelines on how to advance the integration of reducing disaster risk in sectoral policies for housing, transport, public works (schools and hospitals) and planning, and protection and adaptation of livelihoods.

Chair:
- **Joaquín Roa**, Minister, Ministry of National Emergency, Paraguay

Co-chairs:
- **Juan Carlos Baruja**, Minister of Agriculture, Paraguay (tbc)

Presentations:
- Each speaker will have 10 minutes and must address the guiding questions listed below.

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<td>• <strong>Joaquín Roa</strong>, Minister, Ministry of National Emergency, Paraguay</td>
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| 100 min | 2. National experiences on sectoral integration of DRR | • Edmond Castro, Minister of Transport and National Emergency Management, Belize  
• Luis Fernando Correa, Chief - Office for land management, emergencies and disasters, Health Ministry, Colombia  
• Rosendo Pujol, Minister of Housing, Costa Rica  
• Zoraima Cuello, Vice-Minister of the Presidency, Dominican Republic  
• Orlando Manuel Quinteros Aguilar, Minister of Public Works, El Salvador  
• Oscar Hugo Lopez Rivas, Minister of Education, Guatemala  
• Jose Antonio Galdames, Minister of Environment (CCAD President pro tempore), Honduras (tbc)  
• Desmond McKenzie, Minister of Local Government and Community Development, Jamaica  
• Ricardo Vidal Núñez, Deputy Minister of Housing and Urban Development, Peru  
• Morine Williams, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Education, National Reconciliation & Ecclesiastical Affairs, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines |
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1. To what extent the integration of disaster risk reduction in your sector has contributed to:
   - Better informed decisions and more strategic public investment?
   - Increase the resilience of development efforts in your sector?

2. What are the challenges and opportunities observed based on the experience of your country to achieve an effective integration of disaster risk reduction in terms of:
   - Legal frameworks, policies and planning tools;
   - Effective allocation of human and financial resources;
   - Creation of institutional mechanisms and structures dedicated specifically to disaster risk reduction and management within sectors.