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REGIONAL COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE MEETINGS: MARCH 16/17

Are you a professional engaged in capacity development related to Earth observations? Join our Communities of Practice to connect to global experts, identify resources for your work, help set capacity building priorities in your region, and find new collaboration partners.

What is EOTEC DevNet? We are a network of networks created in 2021 to bring the power of satellite-derived Earth information to more users around the globe. Our aims are to 1) make Earth observation (EO) capacity building more accessible and relevant and 2) increase the use of EO in decision-making.

How we work: By improving collaboration among institutions around the world that provide EO capacity building. We seek to fill gaps, leverage resources, and reduce duplication of effort. We also foster knowledge-sharing and promote best practices on training needs assessment. Our leadership includes United Nations agencies and other partners committed to sustainable development.

We are currently scaling up Communities of Practice in four regions: **Africa**, **Americas**, **Asia/Oceania** and **Europe**.

Our focus: Sustainable development outcomes related to disaster risk reduction and climate adaptation and mitigation. This work is aligned with 3 major frameworks: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, the Paris Agreement on Climate Change, and the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015-2030.

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Schedule:

AFRICA region

March 16, 12:00 UTC

AMERICAS region

March 16, 16:00 UTC

ASIA/OCEANIA region March 17, 03:00 UTC

EUROPE region

March 17, 15:00 UTC

Meetings are 75 minutes

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