## ON RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN CLIMATE CHANGE RESPONSES AND NATURAL HAZARDS AND DISASTER RISK REDUCTION

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## **Conceptual Linkages Are Strengthening:**

- As both communities increase their attention to multi-hazard contingencies and resilience
- As climate change adaptation research and practice move toward a risk management paradigm
- As DRR research and practice increase their attention to pre-disaster vulnerability reduction as well as post-disaster coping

## ACC Included Some Representation of the Hazards Response Research Communities:

- The Adapting Panel included Bob Kates,
   Howard Kunreuther, and Bruce Baughman
- The Informing Panel included Kathleen Tierney
- All panel deliberations included attention to the natural hazards/disaster risk reduction research literatures, wherever relevant

## IPCC Has Shown Leadership in Promoting Stronger Collaboration:

- A Special Report is under way:
  - Entitled "Managing the Risks of Extreme Events and Disasters to Advance Climate Change Adaptation" (SREX)
  - Includes Susan Cutter, Allan Lavell (FLACSO), and Gordon McBean as CLAs, and such others as Silvia Llosa, Andrew Maskrey, and Robert Muir-Wood as LAs
  - Report due out in mid-2011: external reviews of drafts begin this summer