



Workshop on 'Capacity Building for Measuring Multi-Hazard Livelihood Security and Resilience in the Lower Mekong Basin'

24 – 25 November 2022, An Giang University, Vietnam

A 'Workshop on Capacity Building for Measuring Multi-Hazard Livelihood Security and Resilience in the Lower Mekong Basin' was organized at An Giang University in Vietnam on 24th – 25th November 2022. The objectives of the workshop were to discuss the national and local perspectives of multi-hazard resilience and livelihood security in the Lower Mekong River Basin in Vietnam. The workshop served as a platform for information sharing among project team, experts and stakeholders including community members and representatives from government agencies, community organizations, academia, and private sector.

During the workshop, participants shared experiences and discussed the situation of natural hazards and disasters in Lower Mekong River Basin, their impacts on livelihood, local aspects of community resilience and efforts in risk reduction, livelihood security and disaster management. Dr. Indrajit Pal, Project Leader, presented on the development of the LiSeRA framework for assessment of multi-hazard resilience and livelihood security and demonstrated the application of the tool in LMR region in Vietnam.

In addition, a group exercise was also conducted to demonstrate the use of the framework to the participants. Participants including experts from various sectors engaged in discussions and pair-wise comparison of the different dimensions, sub-dimensions and indicators in the LiSeRA framework library. The exercise will provide expert opinion on the comparative weightage and ranking of the indicators through Analytical Hierarchical Process (AHP) and assist in further enhancing the quality of the toolkit for application.



Dr. Indrajit Pal, AIT shares about the LiSeRA framework (left). Experts and stakeholders from various sectors participating in the workshop (right)



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