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**SESSION 12: Closing Discussion in
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Moderated by: Winston Chang, INSARAG Unit Head, Global Lead.

Agenda:

1. Questions, Suggestions and Assignments for the WG
2. Announcements by Member States
3. INSARAG Calendar 2022
4. Outcomes and Recommendations of this WG/TL meeting and Development of TL Meeting Summary
5. Survey for all participants
6. Closing Statements by Qatar and INSARAG Secretariat

1. Questions, Suggestions and Assignments for the WG

2. Announcements by Member States

3.INSARAG Calendar 2022

Draft INSARAG Calendar 2022 (Version 16 February 2022)

	Event #	Start Date	End Date	Event Name	Event type	Region	Country	Location	Format
JAN	1	12-Jan-22	12-Jan-22	INSARAG New Year Teleconference	Conference	Global	Switzerland		Remote
	2	16-Jan-22	16-Jan-22	AP Regional Troika New Year Call	Conference	Asia-Pacific			Remote
	3	17-Jan-22	20-Jan-22	INSARAG NAP Workshop	Meeting	Global			Remote
	4	18-Jan-22	19-Jan-22	AP Regional TSG/TRG Workshop	Training	Asia-Pacific			Remote
	5	23-Jan-22	29-Jan-22	INSARAG Awareness and Scoping Mission for ROWCA and ECOWAS	Mission	AEME - Africa	Senegal and Nigeria		In-Person
	6	31-Jan-22	5-Feb-22	II Regional Simulation Exercise - CEPREDENAC	Exercise	Americas	Guatemala		In-Person
FEB	7	6-Feb-22	12-Feb-22	First Responders Training for Somalia	Training	AEME - Africa	Somalia	Mogadishu	In-Person
	8	14-Feb-22	17-Feb-22	USAR Coordination Course (ISAR Germany)	Meeting	AEME - Europe + CIS	Germany	Mosbach	In-Person
	9	24-Feb-22	25-Feb-22	Virtual ERSIMEX AEME - POSTPONED	Exercise	AEME - Europe + CIS			Remote
MAR	10	6-Mar-22	11-Mar-22	Technical Working Groups (WG) and Team Leaders (TL) Meeting	Meeting	Global	Qatar	Doha	In-Person
	11	7-Mar-22	11-Mar-22	South Africa SADC USAR Support Preparation and Flexible Response Partnership Support	Consultation	AEME - Africa	South Africa	Johannesburg	Hybrid

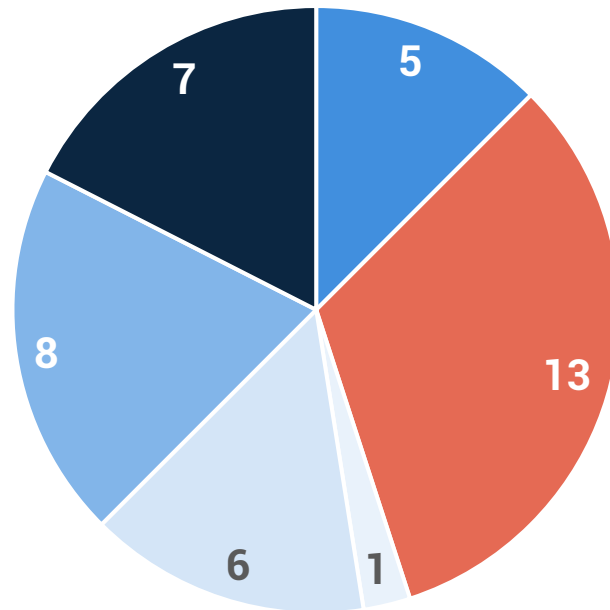
APR	12	25-Apr-22	1-May-22	IER (USA 1 Fairfax)	IER	Americas	USA	Fairfax County, Virginia	In-Person
	13	TBC	TBC	National UCC Course	Training	Americas			In-Person
MAY	14	9-May-22	12-May-22	HNPW - INSARAG Sessions	Meeting	Global	Switzerland	Geneva (CICG)	Hybrid
	15	10-May-22	10-May-22	HNPW - ISG Hybrid Meeting	Meeting	Global	Switzerland	Geneva (CICG)	Hybrid
	16	TBC	TBC	IEC/R Team Leaders/Deputy Team Leaders/Mentors Training	Training	Global	Netherlands		TBC
JUN	17	14-Jun-22	16-Jun-22	IER New Zealand	IER	Asia-Pacific	New Zealand		In-Person
	18	15-Jun-22	19-Jun-22	IRNAP Cyprus	Exercise	AEME - Europe + CIS	Cyprus		In-Person
	19	27-Jun-22	30-Jun-22	IEC Tunisia	IEC	AEME - MENA	Tunisia		In-Person
	20	28-Jun-22	29-Jun-22	ERSIMEX Asia-Pacific	Exercise	Asia-Pacific			Remote
JUL	21	TBC	TBC	INSARAG Mid-year Call	Meeting	Global			Remote
AUG	22	27-Aug-22	30-Aug-22	IEC Turkey (GEA)	IEC	AEME - Europe + CIS	Turkey		In-Person
	23	TBC	TBC	Americas IRNAP Course for TSG/TRG	Training	Americas			In-Person
SEP	24	1-Sep-22	4-Sep-22	IER Armenia	IER	AEME - Europe + CIS	Armenia		In-Person
	25	5-Sep-22	9-Sep-22	INSARAG Awareness and Scoping Mission	Mission	AEME - Africa	Kenya	Nairobi	In-Person
	26	19-Sep-22	25-Sep-22	IEC UK (SARAID)	IEC	AEME - Europe + CIS			In-Person
	27	TBC	TBC	AP ERE	Exercise	Asia-Pacific	Indonesia		Hybrid

OCT	28	3-Oct-22	7-Oct-22	First Responders Training for Zimbabwe	Training	AEME - Africa	Zimbabwe		In-Person
	29	11-Oct-22	13-Oct-22	Regional Meeting AP	Meeting	Asia-Pacific	South Korea	Seoul	In-Person
	30	10-Oct-22	12-Oct-22	AEME ERE	Exercise	AEME	Turkey		In-Person
	31	13-Oct-22	14-Oct-22	Regional Meeting AEME	Meeting	AEME	Turkey	Istanbul	In-Person
	32	17-Oct-22	21-Oct-22	EC-UN UCC 2022	Meeting	AEME - Europe + CIS	Italy	Rome	In-Person
	33	TBC	TBC	Singapore first IRNAP Exercise	Exercise	Asia-Pacific	Singapore		Hybrid
NOV	34	8-Nov-22	11-Nov-22	IER Japan (JPN-01)	IER	Asia-Pacific	Japan		In-Person
	35	TBC	TBC	IEC Azerbaijan	IEC	AEME - Europe + CIS	Azerbaijan		In-Person
	36	TBC	TBC	Regional Meeting Americas	Meeting	Americas			Hybrid
	37	TBC	TBC	Americas ERE	Exercise	Americas			Hybrid
DEC	38	8-Dec-22	13-Dec-22	IEC Cyprus	IEC	AEME - Europe + CIS	Cyprus		In-Person
	39	29-Nov-22	2-Dec-22	IER Estonia	IER	AEME - Europe + CIS	Estonia		In-Person
	40	TBC	TBC	IEC Saudi Arabia	IEC	AEME - Europe + CIS			In-Person

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Events by Regional Group



- AEME - Africa
- AEME - Europe + CIS
- AEME - MENA
- Americas
- Asia-Pacific
- Global

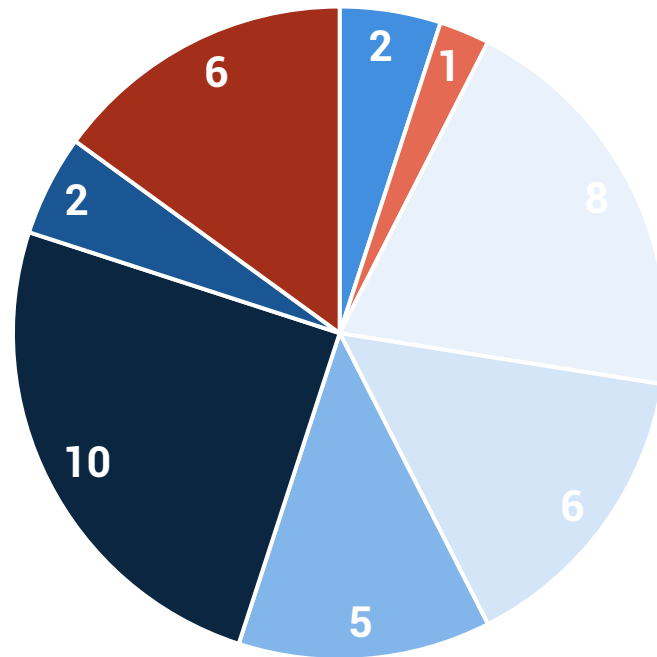
40 Events in total

The calendar is available on <https://www.insarag.org/>

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Events by Type



- Conference
- Consultation
- Exercise
- IEC
- IER
- Meeting
- Mission
- Training

4. Outcomes and Recommendations of this WG/TL meeting and Development of TL Meeting Summary

SESSION 12 - Outcomes and Recommendations

The Team Leaders Agreed on the Following:

1. **IRNAP Technical Guidance Note**/Manual is recommended for endorsement at the ISG 2022, and following Regional workshops planned for all 3 regions before the ISG 2022 in May.
2. **UC Manual V2.0** is recommended for endorsement at the ISG. UC V2.0 ToT Course in Iceland in 2022.
3. **First Responders Program (FRP) V2.0** is recommended for endorsement at the ISG 2022.
4. **LTWG** will transition to a reference group and play an advisory role to new teams applying for Light IEC.
5. **ICMS** supported for 2022-24 (3-years) by the network and incorporated into the UC Training.
6. **MWG** will plan to meet during the HNPW-ISG in 9-13 May in Geneva. Meetings with WHO EMT in the same week.

SESSION 12 – Draft Outcomes and Recommendations

The Team Leaders Agreed on the Following:

7. Flexible Response:

- a) **Global Position** on Flexible Response to present a progress update at the ISG 2022. The survey results on Flex-R teams will be analyzed and this includes a recommendation to consult all INSARAG teams from the USAR directory as a first step.
- b) **DACC Manual** still being developed in consultation with the network.
- c) The S—FRWG response to the **Cultural Heritage** has summarized the feedbacks of the existing Guideline to the Cultural heritage and integrated a primary recommendation on the Manual. The basic principle of the existing cultural heritage draft Guideline is endorsed by the group, and the structural modification to the Guideline under the INSARAG guide would be the next step.

8. The **IMWG** will meet during the HNPW-ISG in 9-13 May in Geneva

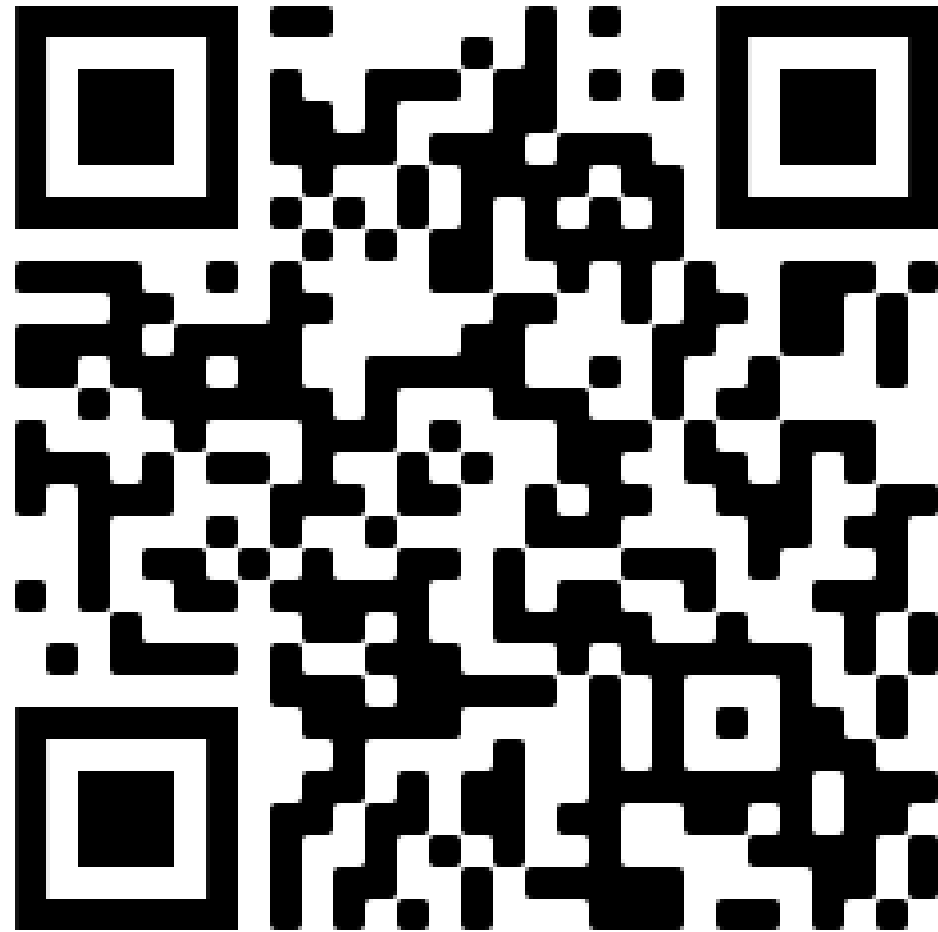
9. The **Transitional Guidelines Review Group** will develop and consult on a draft Guidance Note on “bilateral response to affected countries” and share an update at the ISG 2022 including plans for the GRG 2023 - 25.

SESSION 12 – Draft Outcomes and Recommendations

The Team Leaders Agreed on the Following:

10. Consult the network on a **revised IER system** to tackle the exponential increase of IERs by 2025 – IEC/R Review WG. IEC/R Leadership training in the Netherlands in 2022.
11. The **Next WG / TL Meeting 2023 in the Asia Pacific Region (regional rotation)** is proposed to be hosted by XXXX
12. WG members who are **overwhelmed by workload** or are not able to commit due to a change in circumstances are encouraged to inform the Secretariat.
13. To be fit for the future it is necessary to investigate how the **organization, mandate and staffing of WGs** can be improved.
14. On basis of the experience of the first Hybrid TL meeting we start **preparing the agenda in an early stage** in combination with presenters and moderators in.
15. The **Team Leaders Meeting Summary** will be shared by March 20th

5.Survey



6. Closing Statements by Qatar and INSARAG Secretariat

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