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Women's Leadership in Reducing Disaster Risks

Journey from 1989



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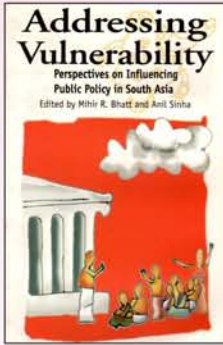
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Impact study on Drought and Women through Report Card. **1989**

Pilots and Capacity Development Actions for Rainwater Harvesting Structures in drought prone areas with women.

Exchange for Change Internship Programme initiated. So far 61 female interns out of 122 to promote and strengthen young women leadership in DRR. **1997**



Addressing Vulnerability: Public Policy in South Asia. **1999**



Design and conduct more than 50 women-led (Relief and Response, Preparedness and Mitigation, Livelihood Security) trainings, covering more than 1500 women leaders. **2002**



Launch of first Southasiadisasters .net, so far 180 issues developed that have contributions from 300 women leaders. **2004**



Tsunami Evaluation Coalition with one objective to assess gender differences and experiences. **2006**



Bringing Gender in the Disaster Management Planning process at district, city, state, and department levels. It was started in 2011 and so far developed / review / audit more than 89 plans. **2011**



Assam 27 district CDDP training with 1055 participants, covering 697 women. **2015**

1996

Joint the Evaluation of Latur Earthquake Recovery Programmes (Gender as one of the core area).

1998

Facilitation of Women-led Action Planning in 1998 Kandla Cyclone.

Set up Livelihood Relief Fund for disaster victims. Reach out 7000 women.



2001

Set up School Safety Campaign that reached out more than 10,000 schools addressing girls' vulnerability issues and teachers as DRR promoters.

Community capacity building cycles, more than 18 subjects, 579 trainings with Gender and DRR as one of the key parts. So far 21,098 participants. Covering 8800 women.

Experience Learning Series on Importance of Women's Role in Disaster Mitigation.

2003

Support to set up Community Learning Cycle in rural areas as disaster recovery efforts for local women leaders.



2005

Launch of Risk Transfer and Insurance mechanism for more than 5000 women clients and women as strong campaigners for the grassroots actions.

Women in Recovery: Issues and Integrated Approaches of UNIFEM Partners in Sri Lanka.

Tsunami, Gender and Recovery: Special issue of Southasiadisasters.net for IDDR.

2008

Impact Assessment of Disaster Micro-insurance: Gender Evidence from South Asia.



2013

Disaster Insurance Impact Study with Women Leaders in Puri, Odisha.

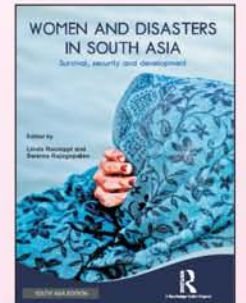


2016

AMCDRR 2016 Gender and DRR Guidelines with UNISDR.

Chapter in book on Women and Disasters in South Asia.

Contribution to SADR on "Building Back Better" with focus on gender sensitive approach.



Color indicators:
■ Sub-national
■ National
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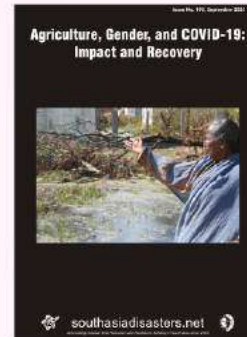
Pan-India Study on the Existing Mechanisms of Ensuring Accountability to the Affected Population in India.

Documenting Lessons Learnt and Good Practices on WASH by Women Leaders.

Documenting Case Studies of Women Farmers from 7 States of India.

Documenting Efforts and Plan Ahead of "Agroecology Measures in Rural Areas" for and with Women Farmers.

Incorporating Disaster and Climate Risk in Women-led Campaign for Empowerment and Gender Equality.



Electricity Usage Trend and Hidden Needs in Indian Rural Sector Project.

Supporting teachers for building safety against COVID-19.

Case of Ahmedabad City. 2021

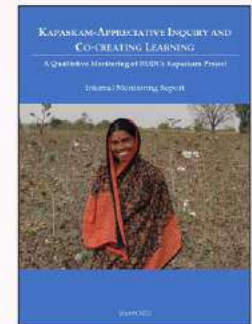
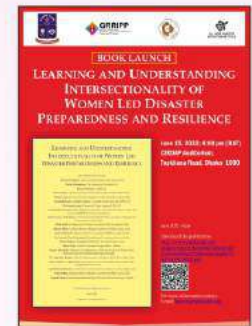


Publication on Learning and Understanding Intersectionality of Women Led Disaster Preparedness and Resilience

Sustainable Cotton: Women Farmers and Climate Smart Cotton Farming (Process Document) with 2100 women farmers.

Policy, gender, and governance during double disasters in Sri Lanka with Duryog Nivaran (DN), supported by Asia Foundation.

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2018

Development of 3 years action plan with women leaders for setting up Community Resource Centre (at Leh and Ganderbal, Jammu and Kashmir and South Sikkim, Sikkim).

Documentation of 'Bharat Darshan' - 8 exposure visits by 196 girls and women as peace building and



better local economic connection of women from Jammu & Kashmir.

Celebration of "World Toilet Day" with Rural Women of Jaipur and Dungarpur, Rajasthan.

Community Survey (Officials from Government, Civil Society, and Private Sector on "Clean Air")

Exposure Visit of Women Leaders from Rajasthan on Women-led Organisation Management.

AMCDRR 2018 Gender and DRR Report with UNFPA and CA.

2020

Training and Capacity Building of 2100 Women Farmers for Sustainable Cotton Producing Practices.

Documenting response to COVID-19 pandemic by women driven businesses.

India Agriculture Scoping Study.

Impact of COVID-19 and Lockdown on 300 Women in Informal Business.



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Training on Women's Leadership in Disaster Preparedness of 130 Women from Maharashtra.

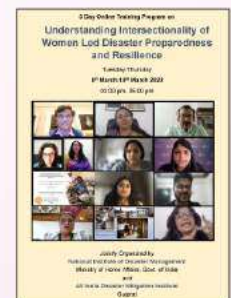
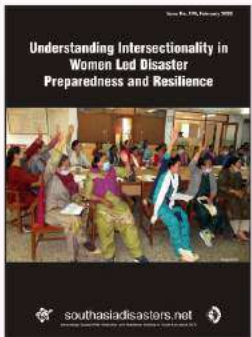
Community Learning and Business Resource Centre: Women Led Livelihood Development in Ladakh.

Support quantitative and systematic data collection for agriculture and climate change information services for 4000 vulnerable women farmers in 8 districts of Gujarat.

Appreciative inquiry of women farmers to strengthen adaptation practices with 96,855 women farmers in 3 States of India.

Conduct a 3 National Training Programme on Intersectionality, Gender, and DRR for over 500 participants from local authorities and NGOs.

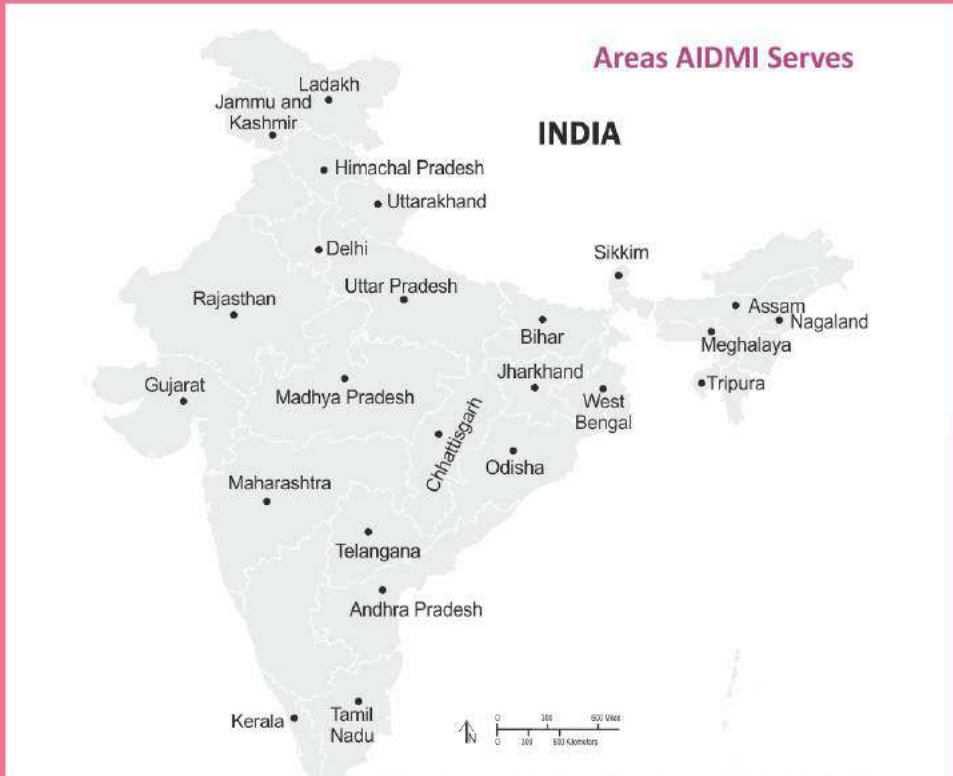
Study of 7 women led enterprises with focus on impact, response and recovery from the pandemic.



Thematic Areas – Women’s Leadership in DRR

AIDMI and Priorities of Action of Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction

Priority 1 Understanding Disaster Risk	Priority 2 Strengthening disaster risk governance to manage disaster risk	Priority 3 Investing in disaster risk reduction for resilience	Priority 4 Enhancing disaster preparedness for effective response, and to Build Back Better in recovery, rehabilitation and reconstruction
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Key Role in Peace and Security Programmes for and with Women Enhancing Women’s voice by engaging Men and Boys 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participation in Local Actions Role of Active Young Girls Governance and Local Planning 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Implementation of SDGs, NDCs and SFDRR Education, Health and Social Protection Services Ownership and control of physical and financial assets – Land, Housing, Finance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sustainable Economic Empowerment Making Humanitarian Action Flexible Removing constraints for more and better jobs for young girls



AIDMI also works in the neighboring countries in South Asia.

Knowledge Products

WOMEN AND DISASTERS IN SOUTH ASIA
Survival, security and development
Edited by Linda Rajopel and Swarna Rajopel

Rural Development: Women Leadership and Economic Development
Progress and Governance Studies 2019 and 2020

Learning Intersectionality of Women Led Disaster Preparedness and Resilience

Gender and Inclusiveness

Gender Inclusion & Women’s Empowerment at the Centre of Resilience Building
Operationalising the Asia Regional Plan for Implementation of the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction

Tsunami, Gender, and Recovery

Engendering Disaster Risk Reduction in Recovery: Profile of a Resilient Community

Gender Issues in the Char Areas of Assam

Women’s Leadership in Forest Recovery Nepal

NATURAL HAZARD INDUCED DISASTERS AND THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC IN INDIA: AN INTERSECTIONALITY PERSPECTIVE

Women in Recovery: Issues and Integrated Approaches of UNIFEM Partners in Sri Lanka

Women Reducing Risk After the Tsunami in Sri Lanka

Situational Analysis of Women and Children in Char Areas, Assam

UNDP