

BUSINESS CONTINUITY AND CRISIS MANAGEMENT | COURSE BROCHURE

Flood and Natural Hazard Preparedness

5 days | Classroom training | English

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Why attend

Floods, storms, earthquakes and wildfires cause severe damage to buildings, operations and communities. This course covers natural hazard preparedness: hazard and exposure assessment, early warning, protective measures for sites, emergency plans, staff safety, business continuity, insurance and recovery.

Preparation significantly reduces losses from natural hazards. You will learn practical steps to protect people and assets.

Professional Problems This Course Is Designed to Solve

- Difficulty translating subject knowledge into practical workplace decisions.
- Inconsistent approaches to the activities covered in the course outline.
- Lack of a structured plan for applying and reviewing new skills.

Course methodology

Hazard mapping exercises, site protection workshops, case studies and preparedness planning.

Course objectives

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:
- Assess natural hazard exposure of sites
- Use early warning information
- Implement site protection measures
- Prepare hazard-specific emergency plans
- Protect staff before, during and after events
- Plan continuity, insurance and recovery

Target audience

This course is suitable for:
- Facility and site managers
- Business continuity managers
- HSE professionals
- Municipal emergency planners
- Risk and insurance managers



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Target competencies

Participants will develop competencies in:

- Hazard assessment
- Early warning use
- Site protection
- Emergency planning
- Recovery planning

Course outline

Day 1: Natural Hazards

09:00–10:08	Hazard types
10:08–11:00	Trends
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Trends (continued)
11:45–12:53	Case studies
12:53–14:00	Exercise

Day 2: Exposure Assessment

09:00–10:08	Hazard maps
10:08–11:00	Site vulnerability
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Site vulnerability (continued)
11:45–12:53	Critical assets
12:53–14:00	Workshop

Day 3: Protection and Warning

09:00–10:08	Flood defences
10:08–11:00	Building measures
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**



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11:30–11:45	Building measures (continued)
11:45–12:53	Early warning
12:53–14:00	Exercise

Day 4: Emergency Plans

09:00–10:08	Hazard-specific plans
10:08–11:00	Staff safety
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Staff safety (continued)
11:45–12:53	Evacuation
12:53–14:00	Case study

Day 5: Continuity and Recovery

09:00–10:08	Continuity measures
10:08–11:00	Insurance
11:00–11:30	**Coffee break**
11:30–11:45	Insurance (continued)
11:45–12:53	Recovery
12:53–14:00	Action plan

The timings provided are estimates and may vary depending on the number of participants and the discussions taking place during the sessions. They are indicative only and do not constitute a binding commitment.



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Dates, venues and fees

Current published course plans. Fees are per participant in GBP, excluding unconfirmed taxes.

Venue	Start date	End date	Fee (GBP)
Rome Confirmed dates	9 Nov 2026	13 Nov 2026	**£2,450.–**
Online Confirmed dates	9 Nov 2026	13 Nov 2026	**£1,250.–**
Frankfurt Confirmed dates	30 Nov 2026	4 Dec 2026	**£2,650.–**
Online Confirmed dates	30 Nov 2026	4 Dec 2026	**£1,250.–**
Dubai Confirmed dates	14 Dec 2026	18 Dec 2026	**£3,150.–**
Online Confirmed dates	14 Dec 2026	18 Dec 2026	**£1,250.–**
Vienna Confirmed dates	18 Jan 2027	22 Jan 2027	**£2,940.–**
Online Confirmed dates	18 Jan 2027	22 Jan 2027	**£1,250.–**
Cape Town Confirmed dates	8 Feb 2027	12 Feb 2027	**£1,890.–**



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Online Confirmed dates	8 Feb 2027	12 Feb 2027	**£1,250.–**
Dubai Confirmed dates	1 Mar 2027	5 Mar 2027	**£3,150.–**
Online Confirmed dates	1 Mar 2027	5 Mar 2027	**£1,250.–**
Cape Town Confirmed dates	22 Mar 2027	26 Mar 2027	**£1,890.–**
Online Confirmed dates	22 Mar 2027	26 Mar 2027	**£1,250.–**
London Confirmed dates	5 Apr 2027	9 Apr 2027	**£2,450.–**
Online Confirmed dates	5 Apr 2027	9 Apr 2027	**£1,250.–**
Rome Confirmed dates	26 Apr 2027	30 Apr 2027	**£2,450.–**
Online Confirmed dates	26 Apr 2027	30 Apr 2027	**£1,250.–**



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Dubai Confirmed dates	17 May 2027	21 May 2027	**£3,150.–**
Online Confirmed dates	17 May 2027	21 May 2027	**£1,250.–**
Barcelona Confirmed dates	7 Jun 2027	11 Jun 2027	**£2,840.–**
Online Confirmed dates	7 Jun 2027	11 Jun 2027	**£1,250.–**
Cape Town Confirmed dates	28 Jun 2027	2 Jul 2027	**£1,890.–**
Online Confirmed dates	28 Jun 2027	2 Jul 2027	**£1,250.–**
Vienna Confirmed dates	12 Jul 2027	16 Jul 2027	**£2,940.–**
Online Confirmed dates	12 Jul 2027	16 Jul 2027	**£1,250.–**
Istanbul Confirmed dates	2 Aug 2027	6 Aug 2027	**£2,650.–**



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Online Confirmed dates	2 Aug 2027	6 Aug 2027	**£1,250.-**
Paris Confirmed dates	23 Aug 2027	27 Aug 2027	**£2,860.-**
Online Confirmed dates	23 Aug 2027	27 Aug 2027	**£1,250.-**
Barcelona Confirmed dates	13 Sept 2027	17 Sept 2027	**£2,840.-**
Online Confirmed dates	13 Sept 2027	17 Sept 2027	**£1,250.-**
London Confirmed dates	4 Oct 2027	8 Oct 2027	**£2,450.-**
Online Confirmed dates	4 Oct 2027	8 Oct 2027	**£1,250.-**
Rome Confirmed dates	18 Oct 2027	22 Oct 2027	**£2,450.-**
Online Confirmed dates	18 Oct 2027	22 Oct 2027	**£1,250.-**



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Kuala Lumpur Confirmed dates	8 Nov 2027	12 Nov 2027	**£1,450.-**
Online Confirmed dates	8 Nov 2027	12 Nov 2027	**£1,250.-**
Amsterdam Confirmed dates	29 Nov 2027	3 Dec 2027	**£2,540.-**
Online Confirmed dates	29 Nov 2027	3 Dec 2027	**£1,250.-**

Plan your next step

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