





Center for Women's and Gender Studies

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Gender and Disaster Risk Reduction (GDRR) is a **four-week facilitated online learning course** that contributes to improving knowledge of relevant policies, regulations, and tools for **gender-responsive climate and disaster resilient cities**.

The course aims at improving your understanding of:

- The differences in disaster recovery experiences of men and women as a group in the context of various regional, administrative, cultural, and developmental settings;
- The socio-economic factors that mediate these differences;
- The gender needs in pre-and post-disaster phases with focus on preparedness, recovery, and reconstruction;
- The gender mainstreaming strategies, policies, and tools suitable for disaster management; and
- The role of various administrative levels in gender



Learn by doing



Week 1 - Assess

Understand the need for incorporating gender considerations in disaster management, then assess your own organization using the **Inclusive Resilience Scorecard**.



Week 2 - Understand

Analyze **key gender concerns** in individual phases of disasters with a focus on recovery and reconstruction.



Week 3 - Process

Learn the process of mainstreaming gender concerns for **equitable disaster recovery** using gender analytical tools.



Week 4 - Plan

Craft a **gender action plan** that will guide your organization to become inclusive and resilient.







Meet the team



Carolyn I. Sobritchea, Ph.D., is a former Dean of the UP Asian Center, alumna of the UP Department of Anthropology (BA and PhD), and a well-known anthropologist. Carol completed her A.B. Anthropology (1968), M.A. in Asian Studies, (1973) and Ph.D. in Anthropology (1987) from the University of the Philippines. She was a recipient of the Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Enrichment Studies in Anthropology, State University of New York (SUNY) from 1979-1980.



Marie Aubrey J. Villaceran, Ph.D., is a professor at the Department of English and Comparative Literature in the University of the Philippines, Diliman. Marby has a B.A. and an M.A. in Creative Writing from the University of the Philippines, and was conferred a Ph.D. in Sociology by La Trobe University in Melbourne, Australia. She teaches and writes creative nonfiction and her research interests are gender and migration.



Laniza R. Lacsamana is a university researcher in UP CWGS. Wanet organizes training-seminars, workshops, lectures, RTDs and other activities by the Center. She assists in designing programs and the preparation of training materials; coordinates the meetings and partnership projects with GOs, NGOs, private agencies, and other external clients; and organizes, coordinates, and manages the ICT promotion of the GAD programs and activities.



Jerome Zayas is EMI's Social Resilience and Sustainable Development Expert. With over 20 years of experience managing complex disaster risk management projects globally, Jerome supports organizations in building resilience using human-centered design and participatory processes in problem solving. He is also co-founder of an inclusion think tank IDEA (Inclusive Development and Empowerment Agenda) which supports research on post-disaster recovery focusing on gender equality, disability, and social inclusion.









