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EDUCATION

- Post-doc. Research** 2004 South Asian Tsunami Project, Resilience Centre,
Final Report: "Research and Overview of Newspapers Reporting
Findings of Tsunami 2004 Event", Cranfield University, Feb. 2005- Sept.
2006
- Ph.D** Disaster Management,
Cranfield Disaster Management Centre, Cranfield University, September
2004, Swindon, UK
Dissertation: Bridging the Generations: A Critical Assessment of Disaster
Education in the Development of a Seismic Safety Culture in Iran, 683
pages, Under the Supervision of Prof. Ian Davis
- MEd.** Education,
Department of Education and Literature, Azad Islamic University,
February 1993, Tehran, Iran
Thesis: Short Context Technique: An Alternative Method in Testing
Reading Comprehension
- BA.** English Language and Literature,
Department of English Literature,
Shahid Beheshti University, (Former Melli), July 1989, Tehran, Iran.
Final Research Seminar: A Critical Review of Shakespeare's Tragedy
"Anthony & Cleopatra"

FELLOWSHPS

Chevening Scholarship granted by British Council, Tehran, January 2000, Second Rank, Hilary Term,
University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom, *Research Topic: "Natural Disasters and Displaced People"*.

Three Week Short Course, UNDP Senior Managers Course, July 2004.

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WORK EXPERIENCE/POSITIONS

- 1990-2001 Senior Expert, International Institute of Earthquake Engineering and Seismology (IIEES), Iran.
Executive Dept.'s = International Relations Dept., and Head Office.
Research Dept.'s = Disaster and Public Education Dept's.
- 2001-2004 On leave (PhD Research).
2005-2006 Research Associate, (Post-doctoral), Resilience Centre, Cranfield University, UK.
2006-2010 Research Consultant, Resilience Centre, Cranfield University, UK.
2006-2015 Assistant Professor, Risk Management Research Centre, IIEES, Iran.
2015- Present Associate Professor, Grade 20 (as of 2023), Risk Management Research Centre, IIEES.
2019- 2022 Director of Public and International Relations Office, IIEES.
2022-Present Head of Socio-Economic & Cultural Dept., Risk Management Research Center, IIEES.

SKILLS

- * Computer Programs= Word for Windows, Page maker, Excel, Power Point, SPSS, Photoshop
- * Persian Language = Native
- * English Language = Excellent
- * German Language = Functional.

ACADEMIC CERTIFICATIONS

- Review of Scientific papers, June 2018- Present
- Short Course/Author Workshop/Writing and Review papers /Elsevier/ October 2010
- GRM Two Day Short Course, Davos, Switzerland, May 2010
- International Conferences on Integrated Natural Disaster Management, 2007, 2008 &2009
- Mainstreaming Gender in Disaster Risk Management, UNDP, July 2008
- Attendance IAEM Emergency Managers and DM Course, Tehran, Iran September 2007
- Trans-methodic Project Management (TPM) Germany, Tehran Oct. 2007
- Supervising Master Students, January 2006
- Protecting Business from Terrorist Attack, Cranfield University UK, November 2004
- UNDP Senior Managers Course, UK, July 2004
- Training of Trainers Course, Cranfield University, UK August 2002
- International Disaster Management Course, Cranfield University, UK, July 2002
- Sixth National Training Course on Disaster Based-Learning, (Earthquakes), Disaster Mitigation Institute, India February 2002

RESEARCH/EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Author/co-author of 144 research papers including 81 conference papers, 48 peer-reviewed journal (ISI and Scientific Research) & bulletin papers, 4 book chapters, 10 poster and electronic papers and 1 paper under preparation.
- Disaster Management Short courses: International Institute of Earthquake Engineering and Seismology (IIEES), 2006 and 2009.
- Editor and proofreader of many English informative and educational brochures and catalogues, more than 15 books and 150 journal papers and reports.
- Reviewer of more than 100 peer-reviewed and research journal papers.

- Cooperation with Disaster Reduction Hyper Base-Asian Application (DRH-Asia) DRH in Preparing for Disaster Reduction Technology and Knowledge under Implementation Strategies “Earthquake Risk Reduction and Education, 2007.
- Contributor to the “Guidance Notes on Safer School Construction”, Published by INEE, Inter-agency Network for Education in Emergencies, 2009.
- Review of research proposals for “Disaster Risk Reduction Programme” of ProVention Consortium, 2007.
- Participation in Preparing Package for IIEES "Earthquake Risk Management" MSc., 2007.
- Contributor to “School Safety Case Study of Iran” and many international online websites, such as <http://www.interragate.info/cogss/iran.html>, 2006 (both Persian and English).
- Member of group of experts in “Evaluation of UNICEF’s Support to Mine Action project”, Methodology and Analysis, 2006.

TRANSLATION EXPERIENCES

- Translator and editor of many disaster reports into English, 2000 to present.
- Translator of children educational book on “Tsunami and Earthquakes”, May 2005.
- Translator of various Natural Disaster related articles, papers and films:
Published Selection: “Manjil-Roudbar Earthquake”, Maher and Izadkhah, 1990, “Earthquakes, a Threat to Social Development”, Izadkhah, 1996, Lessons Learnt from Major Earthquakes, 1996, “Recent Earthquakes in Japan, Izadkhah, 1997, and introducing a “Series of World Research Institutions” in IIEES Persian Bulletin from 1998 to 2004.
- Translator of the book "Yoshi and Derolin, A Story of Earthquake and Tsunami", by Koji Ichii, Japan. 2005.
- Translator and Editor of the educational book “Earthquake Preparedness” in English, Joint project, IIEES+UNDP, 1997.
- Translator of the educational book “E for Earthquake” on disasters from Persian to English, Joint project, IIEES+UNDP, 1996.

ACTIVE PROJECTS

- Project Manager: An Assessment of Libraries from the Earthquake Risk Reduction Perspective and Enhancing Preparedness, and Providing Applicable Suggestions, Started June 2022-ongoing.

ACCOMPLISHED PROJECTS AND TECHNICAL REPORTS

- Project Contributor: Comprehensive Earthquake Preparedness Education Plan for Iranian Children with Special Needs and Disabilities, UNESCO, January 2022.
- Project Manager: Evaluation of Incentive Methods for Cooperation of Local Communities in Disaster Risk Reduction Programs and Increasing Resilience, Finalized: July 2021.
- Project Contributor: Support to the design of temporary shelter standards and disaster preparedness and response capacity-building for women and vulnerable groups, Translation of two chapters into English, 2021.

- Project Contributor: Evaluating and Producing Materials for Improving Public Earthquake Preparedness, Finalized: February 2021.
- Project Contributor: Support Implementation Arrangement for Emergency Response in Local Communities (5 Countries), IIEES and UNDP, September 2020.
- Project Contributor: PDNA Assessment, Gender Section, English and Persian Versions, UNDP, 2020.
- Project Manager: Guidelines for Improving Earthquake Public Awareness and Preparedness in Entertainment and Shopping Centers: Case Study of Cinemas and Supermarket Chains, Started 2017, Finalized: 2020.
- Project Contributor: Needs Assessment and Early Recovery Plans in 3 Affected Provinces by 2019 Floods, UNDP, Finalized: September 2019.
- Project Manager: Recommendations for Improving Earthquake Awareness and Preparedness (Case Study: Cinemas and Chain Supermarkets), Finalized: 2019.
- Project Manager: Capacity Building at Neighborhood Level for Improving Emergency Response Considering Buildings with Effective Performance, April 2016, Finalized: 2017.
- Project Manager: A Study of Few Selected Jobs towards Seismic Risk Reduction and Suggestions for Improving their Roles, Finalized: May 2017.
- Project Manager: A Study of the Elderly Vulnerability and Needs in Earthquakes, Finalized: February 2016.
- Project Manager: “An Assessment of Constructive Role of Women in Earthquake Disaster Mitigation”, Finalized: March 2013.
- Project Contributor: "Correct Sheltering During Earthquakes", January 2012- Sept. 2013.
- Project Manager “An Assessment of the Applicable Methods in Teaching Earthquakes to Preschool Children”, October 2009-April 2011.
- Contributor to Workshops for Secondary School Children, Teaching Disaster Management Issues, 2008, 2010.
- Member of Supporting Study Team “Local Disaster Management Assessment and Implementation Strategy” Final Report Task 4, Analyzing the Effectiveness of Existing Disaster Management System with Respect to the Manjil, Avaj, Bam and Silakhor Earthquakes, World Bank Project, 2009.
- Reviewer of first section of the project entitled “Iran: Earthquake Emergency Reconstruction, Facilitation of Community Participation, Evaluation of Fields and Local Participation Capacities to Reconstruct Qazvin Province Affected Regions”, Ministry of Interior and World Bank, 2010.
- Contributor to “Teaching Earthquakes to Kindergarten Children” and Discussions with Teachers, 2010.

- Project Manager “Neighborhood Sustainable Development, a Key to Disaster Risk Reduction in Iran”, March 2008- September 2009.
- Contribution as a Research Disaster Management Expert in World Bank Project on “Implementation of Local Disaster Management in Iran”, Jan. 2008- June 2009.

BOOKS

- Co-editor of compiled Book “Summary of Research Projects, 2014-2018”, **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Tatar, M. IIEES, 258 pages, Published Summer 2020.
- Co-editor of Proceeding Volume IDRiM Conference, Ghafory-Ashtiany, M., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, and Parsizadeh, F., 2016.
- Co-editor of compiled Book “Summary of Research Projects, 2009-2013”, Tasnimi, A.A., **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Jafarian, Y. IIEES, 199 pages, Published May 2014.
- Co-author of Book “Earthquake, Awareness and Safety”, Nateghi, A., F. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Azad Islamic University, 72 pages, Published March 2009.
- Co-author of the Booklet, “Teaching Guidelines on Earthquake and Safety for Kindergarten Teachers” in English, Parsizadeh, F., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, and Heshmati, V. Project with UNESCO, May 2007.
- Author of a Booklet in two languages, “Earth, Science, and Safety”, **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, a joint project of IIEES, UNDP and UNESCO, 1998.

ACADEMIC PAPERS (MOST RECENT FIRST)

ISI, Peer-Reviewed and Scientific Papers

42. Guidelines on Earthquake Emergency Response Planning for Evacuation of Tehran Unsafe Subway Stations (2024), Hosseini, M. and Izadkhah, Y.O., *Journal of Safety Promotion and Injury Prevention* (In Persian).
41. Developing Gender-Sensitive Post-Disaster Needs Assessment National Guideline based on the Impacts of 2019, Iran Floods, (2023). Amini, K. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Published online, *Journal of International Development*, Wiley Online Library.
40. A Feasibility Assessment Framework (FAF) for Creating a Natural Disaster Information Management Open-Access Repository (NDIM-OAR) in Iran, (2022). Rashidi Sh., Naghshineh, N., Fahimnia, F., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, and Saghafi, F., *Academic Librarianship and Information Research Journal*, Vol. 55(4), 26-43.
39. How Feasible is Creating a Natural Disaster Information Management Open-access Repository (NDIM-OAR) in Iran? (2022). Rashidi Sh., Naghshineh, N., Fahimnia, F., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, and Saghafi, F., *Library and Information Science Research Journal*, Vol.44, Elsevier.

38. An Empirical Model for Fatality Estimation of Earthquakes in Iran (2020). Firouzi, E., Amini, K., Ansari, A., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Rashidabadi, M., *Natural Hazards*, Vol. 103(1), 231-250.
37. From “Earthquake and Safety” School Drills to “Safe School-Resilient Communities”: A Continuous Attempt for Promoting Community-Based Disaster Risk Management in Iran (2020), Amini, K. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction (IJDRR)*, Vol. 45.
36. Developing a Holistic Model for Earthquake Risk Assessment and Disaster Management Interventions in Urban Fabrics, (2017), Milli, R., Amini, K. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction (IJDRR)*.
35. A Study of Preschoolers' Perceptions of Earthquakes through Drawing (2015). Izadkhah, Y.O. and Gibbs, L. *International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction (IJDRR)*, 14 (2)132-139.
34. Use of Comic Strips in Teaching Earthquakes to Kindergarten Children (2014). Sharpe, J. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *Disaster Management and Prevention Journal*, 23(2)138-156.
33. Main Challenges on Community-based Approaches in Earthquake Risk Reduction: Case study of Tehran, Iran (2014). Amini, K., Hosseini, M. **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Mansouri, B. and Shaw, T., *International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction (IJDRR)*, Vol. 8, 114-124.
32. A Comparative Study on Community-Based Disaster Management in Selected Countries and Designing a Model for Iran, (2011). Jahangiri, K., **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Tabibi, S. *Disaster Prevention & Management*, 20(1)82-94.
31. Sustainable Neighbourhood Earthquake Emergency Planning in Megacities (2010). **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and M. Hosseini, *Disaster Prevention & Management Journal*, 13 (3)345-357.
30. Training Emergency Managers for Earthquake Response: Challenges and Opportunities (2010). Hosseini, M., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *Disaster Prevention & Management Journal*, 19(2)185-195.
29. Tsunami Early Warning System (EWS) and Its Integration within the Chain of Seismic Safety (2008). Davis, I. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.** *Disaster Management and Prevention Journal*, 17(2)281-291.
28. Management of Floods in Malawi: Case Study of the Lower Shire River Valley (2006). Mijoni, P. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *Disaster Prevention & Management Journal*, 18(5)490-503.
27. Impact of the 2003 Bam, Iran, Earthquake on the Personnel and Functioning of Local Government Organizations (2005). Parsizadeh, F., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Special Issue on Bam Earthquake, *Earthquake Spectra*, USA.
26. Incentive Methods for Cooperation of Local Communities in Disaster Risk Reduction Programs and Increasing Resilience (2022), **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *Journal of Safety Promotion and Injury Prevention* (In Persian, accepted for publication).
25. Increasing Earthquake Awareness and Preparedness in Cinemas, (2022), **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *Journal of Safety Promotion and Injury Prevention* (In Persian).
24. Introducing a Framework for Planning and Selecting Suitable Evacuation and Emergency

- Sheltering in Disasters: Case Study of Tehranpars, (2021). Mirhakimi, A., Amini, K., Mansouri, B, **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *Journal of Safety Promotion and Injury Prevention* (In Persian).
23. Upgrading the Evaluation Methods of Influential Buildings for Post-Earthquake Emergency Response (2020). Shoghi, M. H., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, and Hosseini, M., *Bulletin of Earthquake Science and Engineering*, Vol. 7 (2) Summer (In Persian).
 22. Access to Information in Natural Disaster Management in Iran: Stakeholders Perspective (2020). Rashidi, Sh., Naghshineh, N., Fahiminia, F., Izadkhah, Y.O., and Saghafi, F. *Disaster Prevention and Management Knowledge*. Vol. 10, No.3, serial 37, (In Persian).
 21. Evaluating Tehran Taxi Drivers' Views on Earthquake Awareness and Preparedness (2020). **Izadkhah Y.O.**, *Journal of Safety Promotion and Injury Prevention*; 8(1):18- 23, (In Persian).
 20. Emergency Settlements Considering the Influential Buildings: Chizar District of Tehran (2017). Shoghi Kalkhoran, H., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, and Hosseini, M. *Scientific Journal of Rescue and Relief*, Winter Issue (In Persian).
 19. Proposing a Model for to Improve the Safety of Urban Fabrics for the Development of Search and Rescue Sites (2017). Milli, R., Amini, K. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *Bulletin of Earthquake Science and Technology*, Fall Issue (In Persian).
 18. Evaluating the process of Information Dissemination in Twin Ahar-Varzaghan Earthquakes and the Associated Risks (2015). Pishnamazi, P. and **Izadkhah Y.O.** *Journal of Hazards Science*, Vol. 2(2) 157-170 (In Persian).
 17. Evaluation of Perspectives and Behaviors of Bam People on Earthquake and Safety Ten Years after the Earthquake (2014). Parsizadeh, F. **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Heshmati, V., Eskandari, M. and Seif, A. E. *Pajooheshnameh* (In Persian).
 16. Hospital Safety Index (HSI) Analysis in Confronting Disasters: A Case Study (2014). Jahangiri, K. **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Lari, A., *Journal of Health System and Disaster Management*, Isfahan, Iran Vol.1(1) 44-49.
 15. Women's Health in Natural Disasters: A Vulnerability Analysis (2014). Jahangiri, K. **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Sedighi, J. *Planet & Risk Journal*, 2(1).
 14. Models and Definitions of Resilience in Natural Disasters (2012). **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *Disaster Management and Knowledge Journal*, 1(4) (In Persian).
 13. An Evaluation of People's Knowledge of Tsunami: Case Study of Chabahar (2012). **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Hajizadeh Zaker N., Salehi I. and Fakhri B.E. *Quarterly Scientific Journal of Rescue&Relief*, 4 (2)16-27, (In Persian).
 12. A Survey on Evacuation Planning and its Challenges for Potential Earthquake in Tehran (2014). Amini Hosseini, K., Hosseini, M., Hosseinioon, S., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Shaw, T., and R. Takahashi, *International Journal of Disaster Resilience in the Built Environment*, 5(1) 38-52.
 11. Increasing the Resilience of Construction Industry and Its Role in Upgrading the Quality of

- Sheltering in Earthquake Disasters (2013). Pirata, P. Hosseini, M. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *Journal of BANNA*, No. 54, July (In Persian).
10. People's Participation in Confronting Natural Disasters in Khuzestan Province: the Officials' Perspectives (2011). Jahangiri, K., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Azin S.A., and Jarvandi F. *Research Journal of R & R*, 2(4).
 9. An Evaluation of Disaster Preparedness in Four Major Earthquakes in Iran (2010). **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Amini, K. *JSEE Journal*, Spring and Summer.
 8. Patterns on Earthquake and Safety at School and Preschool Levels (2010). Heshmati, V. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *Quarterly Journal of Rescue & Relief* (In Persian).
 7. Appropriate and Correct Reactions during Earthquakes: Drop, Cover and Hold on or Triangle of Life (2009). MahdaviFar, M.R., **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Heshmati, V., *JSEE Journal*, 11(1)41-48.
 6. People's Perspectives and Expectations on Preparedness against Earthquakes: Tehran Case Study (2009). Jahangiri, K., **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Montazeri, A., & Hosseini, M., *JIVR Journal*, 1(2), Tehran, Iran.
 5. Earthquake Disaster Management Planning in Schools (2006). Hosseini, M. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.** *Disaster Management and Prevention Journal*, 15(4)649-661.
 4. Building Resilient Urban Communities (2006). Davis, I. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Special Issue on South Asian Tsunami, *Open House International Journal*, 31(1)11-21.
 3. Towards Resilient Communities in Developing Countries through Education of Children for Disaster Preparedness (2005). **Izadkhah Y.O.**, Hosseini, M., *International Journal of Emergency Management*, 2(3)138-148.
 2. Earthquake Disaster Management Planning in Health Care Facilities (2004). Nateghi, F. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, *Disaster Management and Prevention Journal*, 13(2).
 1. Reducing Preschool Children's Stress in Earthquake Preparedness through Proper Education, (2003). **Izadkhah Y.O.** and M. Hosseini, VIII. European Conference on Traumatic Stress, Berlin, Germany, May 2003, Abstract published in *Scientific European Psychotherapy Journal*, special Edition, 4.

Bulletin Papers

6. **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Amini, K. (2017). "Nationwide School Earthquake and Safety Drills in Iran", GADRRRES Comprehensive School Safety Policy Case Studies Series.
5. **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Hosseini, M. (2009). "Using ICT for DRR in Iran with Special look at Country Villages", Bohran Message, Fifth Year, No. 18, (In Persian).
4. **Izadkhah, Y.O.** (2005). "Disaster Education, A Right to the Generation's Safety". Education for Sustainable Development, Case Studies and Best Practices, A contribution to the United Nations World Conf. on Disaster Reduction, World Conf. on Disaster Reduction, Kobe, Japan.
3. Parsizadeh, F. and **Izadkhah Y.O.** (2001). "An Assessment of the Effects of Parent's Familiarity

with Earthquakes on their Children", IIEES Bulletin, (In Persian).

2. Nateghi-Alahi, F. and **Izadkhah Y.O.** (1999). "A Proposed Disaster Management System for Hospitals", BANA Bulletin (In Persian).
1. Parsizadeh, F., Fallahi, V. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.** (1998). "Ghaen Earthquake, the Response and Behavior among the Rural People", UNCRD Report Series, Japan.

Conference Papers

81. "Museum Preventive Conservation against Earthquakes through Digital Documentation", SEE 9 Conference, February 2024, Iran.
80. "Earthquake Emergency Response Planning for Evacuation of Insecure Subway Stations – Case Study: Tehran Megacity Subway", Hosseini M., **Izadkhah Y.O.**, IDRiM, 2023, India.
79. "Emergency Shelter Site Selection in the Neighborhood Level and Optimal Guidance of Earthquake Affected People to the Corresponding Site – Case Study: Chizar Neighborhood in Tehran" Hosseini M., **Izadkhah Y.O.**, and Shoghi, M.H., Milan, Italy, WCEE2024.
78. "Resilience in Construction Industry and Its Role in Upgrading the Quality of Post-Earthquake Sheltering and Reconstruction", Hosseini M., **Izadkhah Y.O.**, and Pir-Ata, Peyman, Submitted to 15th Advances in Civil Engr. Congress, ACE2023, EMU University, Famagusta, North Cyprus.
77. "The Role of Business Syndicates in Capacity Building for Earthquake Disaster Management", Hosseini M., and **Izadkhah Y.O.**, 2022, IDRIM Conference, University of Cluj-Napoca, Romania.
76. "Exploring the Cultural Barriers Facing Women in Disasters", **Izadkhah Y.O.**, 2022, IDRIM Conf., University of Cluj-Napoca, Romania.
75. "Making Women's Contributions Visible in Community Disaster Risk Reduction and Resilience", **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, IDRiM Virtual Conference, 2021, Japan.
74. "Maintaining Public Security and Safety after Major Earthquakes", **Izadkhah Y.O.**, 2020, 17WCEE, Sendai, Japan.
73. "Natural Disaster Management Open Access Repository in Iran (NDM-OAR): The Importance and Necessity of a Feasibility Study", Rashidi, Sh., Naghshineh, N., Fahiminia, F., **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Saghafi, F. November 2019, SEE 8 Conference, Iran.
72. "Improving Earthquake Disaster Management in Chain Supermarkets", **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Asadzadeh, S., November 2019, SEE 8 Conference, Iran.
71. "Women's Dual Roles in Kermanshah Earthquake: Challenges and Contributions", **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Hosseini, M., CCEE 2019, Quebec City, Canada.
70. "Community Engagements and Challenges Following November 12, 2017, Kermanshah Earthquake", **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Amini, K. 2018, IDRiM Conf., Sydney, Australia.

69. "Improving the Role of a Selected Skilled Profession towards Seismic Risk Reduction through Training", **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Hosseini, M. 2018, 16th ECEE Conference, Greece.
68. "Towards Identifying the Roles of Local Supermarket Managers in Disaster Preparedness and Response", **Izadkhah Y.O.** and Hosseini M., IDRiM Conf., 2017, Iceland (Extended Abstract).
67. "Executive Policies for Improving Local Participation and Networking in Risk Management", **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Amini, K. IDRiM Conference, 2016, Isfahan, Iran.
66. "Earthquake Disaster Management Planning in Zoos: Case study of Tehran Eram Zoo", **Izadkhah Y.O.** and Hosseini M., IDRC Conference, 2016, Davos, Switzerland.
65. "Proposed Strategies for Disaster Preparedness: Silakhor Earthquake, Iran", **Izadkhah, Y.O.** 2015, SEE 7 Conference, Tehran, Iran.
64. "Challenges in Distribution of Emergency Relief Supply: Case Studies of Three Earthquakes in Iran", **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Hosseini-Amini, K. 2015, SEE 7 Conference, Tehran, Iran.
63. "An Assessment of Preschoolers Knowledge on Earthquakes and a Review on Existing Educational Methods", **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Heshmati, V., 2015, SEE 7 Conference, Tehran, Iran.
62. "The Process of Public Information Dissemination in Twin Ahar-Varzaghan 2012 Earthquakes in Iran, Pishnamazi, P. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.** August 2014, IDRC Conference, Davos, Switzerland.
61. "The Elderly in Disaster Situations: Vulnerable or Resilient", **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, August 2014, IDRC Conference, Davos, Switzerland.
60. "Towards Sustainable Earthquake Disaster Reduction through Neighborhood Self-Help Planning", **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, Fifth International Conference on Integrated Disaster Management, Feb. 2014, Tehran, Iran.
59. "Main Lines of Action for Seismic Risk Reduction", Hosseini, M. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, International Conference on Disaster Mitigation, Preparedness, Response, and Sustainable Reconstruction, Boston, USA, May 2014.
58. "Strengthening Women's Participation in Development Planning and Post-Earthquake Reconstruction", **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Hosseini, M. 2013, SE-50EEE, Skopje, Macedonia.
57. "Vulnerability Analysis of Women's Health in Natural Disasters and Proposed Strategies for Risk Reduction", Jahangiri, K. **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Sadighi, J., August 2012, IDRC, Davos, Switzerland.
56. "An Evaluation of Tsunami Awareness in Bandar Chabahar: South of Iran", and **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Fakhri Bafghi, August 2012, IDRC, Davos, Switzerland.
55. "Training Teachers on Disaster Risk Reduction in Developing Countries: Challenges and Opportunities", **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and M. Hosseini, 2012, 15thWCEE, Lisbon, Portugal.

54. "Seismic Safety of Non-structural Elements in Hospitals", M. Hosseini and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, First National Conference on Disaster Management and Lifelines, 2011, Ministry of Interior, Tehran.
53. "A Catastrophe Worse than the Earthquake Itself", Ahmadi, M.H. and **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, SEE6 Conference, 2011, Tehran, Iran.
52. "Using Puppet Gloves in Teaching Earthquake to Preschool Children", **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, and Heshmati, V. 2011, SEE6 Conference, Tehran, Iran.
51. "On the Use of Mobile Phones in Earthquake Emergency Response", **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, and M. Hosseini, 2011, SEE6 Conference, Tehran, Iran.
50. "Earthquake Preparedness: Experiences from the Bam Earthquake", **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, 2011, SEE6 Conference, Tehran, Iran.
49. "Vulnerability of Elderly People in the Aftermath of Earthquakes", Rebuilding Sustainable Communities with the Elderly and Disabled People after Disasters" Conference, **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and V. Heshmati, 2010, Boston, USA.
48. "Using ICT for DRR with Special Attention to Villages in Iran, **Y.O. Izadkhah** and M. Hosseini, 2010, First Conference on Seismology and Earthquake Geodynamics, Kerman, Iran.
47. "Factors Affecting Tehran Residents' Earthquake Preparedness: A Logistic Regression Analysis, K. Jahangiri, **Izadkhah, Y.O.**, and S.A. Azin, 2010, IDRC, Davos, Switzerland.
46. "The Role of ICT in Disaster Risk Reduction in Iran", 2010. **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and M. Hosseini, IDRC, Davos, Switzerland.
45. "Earthquake Disaster Education for Sustainable Development", **Izadkhah, Y.O.** and Hosseini. M.. 9th US National and 10th Canadian Conference on Earthquake Engineering: Reaching Beyond Borders, July 2010, Toronto, Canada.
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Peer- Reviewer/Disasters Journal	2007-present
Reviewer, Emerald International Journal of Emergency Services (IJES)	Feb. 2012- present
Board Member of IJDRR Journal	March 2012- present
Member of Editorial Committee, CRSCAD Newsletter, UMASS, Boston	2012-present
Board Member of Planet & Risk Newsletter	May 2012- present

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICE

Executive Secretary	SEE-1, 2, 3, International Conf.'s, 1991, 1995, 1999
Executive Secretary	First Iran-Japan Workshop on Recent Eq. in Iran & Japan, 1998
Production Manager	JSEE Journal, 1998-2007

Facilitator	MSc Student's visit to Gujarat, India, 2002
Honorary Coordinator	Pre-school Earthquake Drills, 2002
Member of Executive Committee	SEE-4 and SEE-5 Conference, 2003, 2006
COGSS-DPE Child and Youth Participation Co-animator	September 2008-present
Member of Scientific Committee, 3rd and 4th INDM Conferences	November 2007-Feb. 2009
Representative of IIEES Risk Center in Kindergarten Annual Drills	2007-present
Member of Scientific Committee, SEE6 Conference	April 2010-May 2011
Member of Scientific Committee- IDRC 2012	April 2011- August 2012
Representative of Risk Management Research Center, Bam Symposium	May 2013-present
Member of Executive and Scientific Committees, SEE-7 Conference	Feb. 2014- May 2015
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2016 Young Scientist Session Program Planner, IDRiM	May 2016-October 2016
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- Gender and Disasters
- Public awareness of Disaster Risks
- Disaster Protection and Preparedness
- Public Education for Disasters
- Disaster Education and Communication
- Disaster Management Training
- Community-Based Risk Management
- Vulnerability and Development
- Disasters and Cultural Studies
- Earthquake Emergency Response and Recovery
- Climate Change Effects
- ICT in Disaster Management
- Natural Disaster Case Studies.

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