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Under the 2013 theme "Acting As One", the UN Sasakawa Award for Disaster Risk Reduction recognizes excellence in reducing disaster risk for a safer, more sustainable world.

- > [Brazil and Bangladesh share UN Sasakawa Award at Global Platform](#)
- > [UN Sasakawa Award short-list announced](#)
- > [Past award winners](#)

THE CEREMONY

During a ceremony hosted by Senegalese musician Ismael Lo, Brazil and Bangladesh share UN Sasakawa Award at the Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction - the US\$50,000 prize goes to Belo Horizonte and NARRI (\$20,000 each) and the TDMMO (\$10,000).

- > [Read the Press Release](#)
- > [Learn more about the ceremony](#)

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NOMINEES FOR 2013

Cities and municipalities

- > [Butuan City, Philippines](#)
- > [City Council of Belo Horizonte, Brazil](#)
- > [City of Kamaishi, Japan](#)
- > [Karlstadt Municipality and MSB, Sweden](#)
- > [Lockyer Valley Regional Council, Australia](#)
- > [Mashhad Municipality](#)
- > [Municipality of Amadora, Portugal](#)
- > [Saint Bernard Municipality, Philippines](#)

- > Saint Quentin City, France
- > Tehran City Amaken Project, Iran

Individuals

- > H.E. Mr. Gjorge Ivanov, President of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
- > Mr. Prem Kumar, India
- > Ms. Zoila Guzmán, Secretary of Civil Defense, Mexico
- > Colonel Nagar M. Verma, India

Institutions and Projects

- > Association Prevention 2000
- > CARITAS, India
- > Chinese Academy of Governance - National Institute of Emergency Management
- > Focus Humanitarian Assistance, Afghanistan
- > Indonesia National Disaster Management Agency
- > Islamic Relief Bangladesh
- > Limpopo Dept of Cooperative Governance
- > LORE Rescue Team, Armenia
- > NARRI, Bangladesh
- > Philippine Senate Committee on Climate Change
- > Proteccion Civil Panama
- > SM Supermalls, Philippines
- > University of Salford Centre for Disaster Resilience
- > Zelzele Azma Ye Shahr Institute, Iran

The call for nominations is now closed.

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