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# GEM

**GLOBAL EARTHQUAKE MODEL FOUNDATION**

a world resilient to earthquakes

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*GEM will provide communities with a great opportunity to strengthen their capacity to respond to disasters, invest in disaster reduction and therefore make themselves stronger and more resilient.*

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**Claudio Boettcher**  
Zurich Insurance Group

## WHY JOIN GEM?

Availability and access to data, information and tools have always been a perennial problem in accurately assessing earthquake risks. This problem is further amplified because harmonized, high quality, open data and free assessment tools on earthquake hazard and risk is limited, non-existent or too expensive resulting to reduced efficiency in disaster prevention, preparedness, response and recovery management.

## BENEFITS

- 1** Be part of a global team in shaping the direction of global earthquake modeling
- 2** Connect with public and private participants from around the world
- 3** Be at the forefront of developing GEM's state-of-the-art earthquake hazard and risk assessment software: the OpenQuake engine
- 4** Contribute to maintenance and improvement of GEM products for public good
- 5** Demonstrates corporate social responsibility
- 6** Use of the GEM brand

## JOIN US

Support high quality data and tools sharing on free, open and transparent platform



initiated by OECD in 2004 and legally established in 2009 as a non-profit in Italy with a vision of **a world resilient to earthquakes**.



supported by public and private institutions worldwide including academia and UN agencies



developer of the OpenQuake engine - a state-of-the-art computational software for earthquake hazard and risk assessment



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