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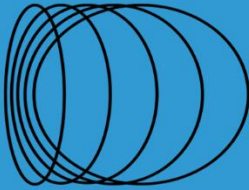
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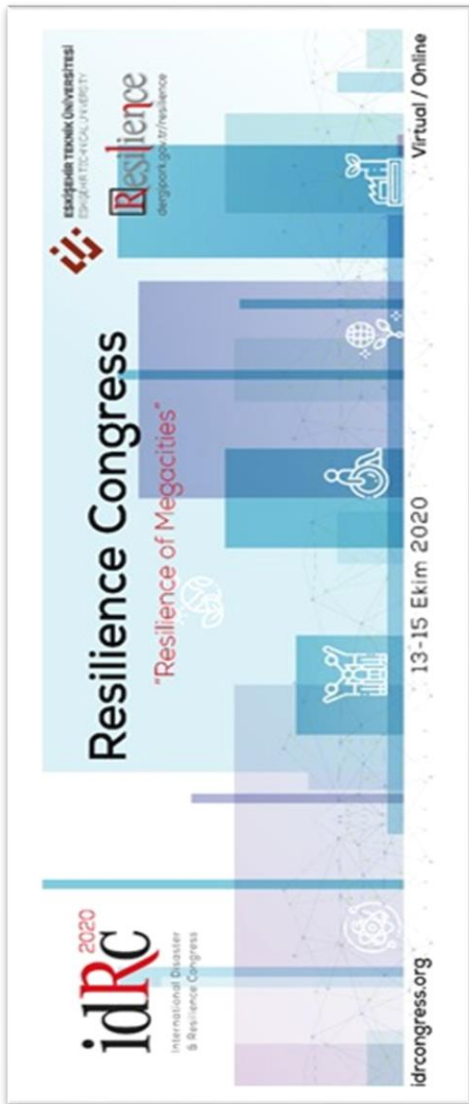
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2. International Resilience Congress

As Disaster Training Application and Research Center (AFAM), we provide support to the International Resilience Congress, which will be held online between 13-15 October 2020 under the coordination of Eskişehir Technical University, in the fields of regulatory board membership and risk communication scientific topics.

It will be held in cooperation with Istanbul Aydın University, Middle East Technical University, Yıldız Technical University, Istanbul Technical University, Bezmîâlem Vakıf University, Muğla Sıtkı Kocman University, Kutahya Health Sciences University, UMKEDER, Geographical Education Association, Sustainability Academy, Turkish - Japanese Foundation, JICA and AYAYDER. Researchers who want to present a notice at the congress can send their study abstracts via <http://www.idrcongress.org/ozetgonderimi>.



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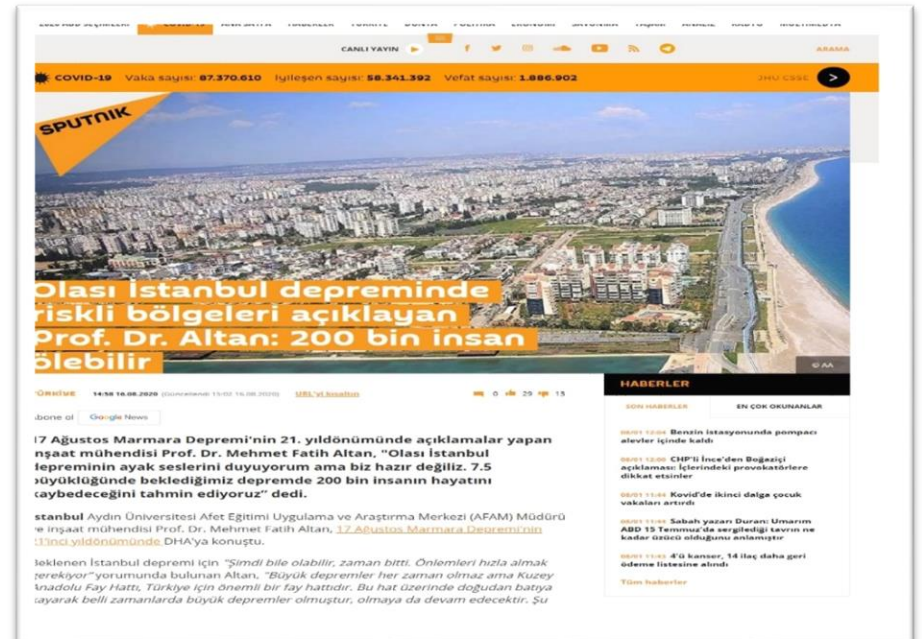


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17 August 1999 Earthquake 21st Year

It has been 21 years since the 7.4 magnitude earthquake, the epicenter of which was determined as Kocaeli's Gölcük district on August 17, 1999. According to official figures, 17 thousand 480 people lost their lives in the earthquake that lasted for 45 seconds, 35 thousand 180 houses and 5 thousand 770 workplaces became unusable. In addition, 40 thousand 757 residences and 6 thousand 57 workplaces received moderate damage, while 45 thousand 86 residences and 6 thousand 128 workplaces received light damage.

Despite the fact that 21 years have passed since this earthquake, which clearly demonstrates the need for a change in the understanding of disaster management in Turkey, it is still discussed how ready our country is against a possible earthquake. Istanbul Aydın University Disaster Training Application and Research Center Director Prof. Dr. Within the framework of these discussions, Mehmet Fatih Altan's interview on the damages to be caused by a possible earthquake in Istanbul took place as news in many national presses. You can access the full text of the news by clicking the links below the images.



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