Kyoto Landslide Commitment 2020

The Kyoto Landslide Commitment 2020 is a global framework to promote understanding and reducing landslide disaster risk. The core activities are publication of a biannual open access book series "Progress in Landslide Research and Technology". IUGG support enables open access for dissemination of knowledge & information, and education & outreach in developing countries.

The full title of the Kyoto Landslide Commitment 2020 includes the objectives, namely it is a commitment to the United Nations, and other global and international initiatives as below. The Kyoto 2020 Commitment for Global Promotion of Understanding and Reducing Landslide Disaster Risk (Kyoto Landslide Commitment 2020: KLC2020): A Commitment to the ISDR-ICL Sendai Partnerships 2015-2025, the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015-2030, the 2030 United Nations Agenda Sustainable Development Goals, the New Urban Agenda and the Paris Climate Agreement.

The main motivation of the KLC2020 is to extend the ISDR-ICL Sendai Landslide Partnerships 2015-2025 after 2025 and beyond, which was proposed and adopted at the Second World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction on 16 March 2015, and signed by IUGG as well as UNDRR, UNESCO, WMO, UNU, ISC, WFEO et al.