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# CRISIS MANAGEMENT INNOVATION NETWORK EUROPE

A COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE TO FOSTER  
INNOVATION IN CRISIS MANAGEMENT  
AND DISASTER RISK REDUCTION

In 2014, dedicated and forward-thinking practitioner organisations, research institutes, industries and SMEs teamed up to drive innovation in Crisis Management for European resilience. The DRIVER+ project valorises the wealth of European innovation in Crisis Management through approaches that seek to improve the way capability development is tackled and potentially innovative solutions are assessed.

DRIVER+ has committed to deliver five sustainable outputs to the European Crisis Management community: a pan-European Test-bed, a Trial Guidance Methodology, a European Crisis Management Innovation Network, a Portfolio of Solutions and a Centres of Expertise framework.

## WHAT IS IT?

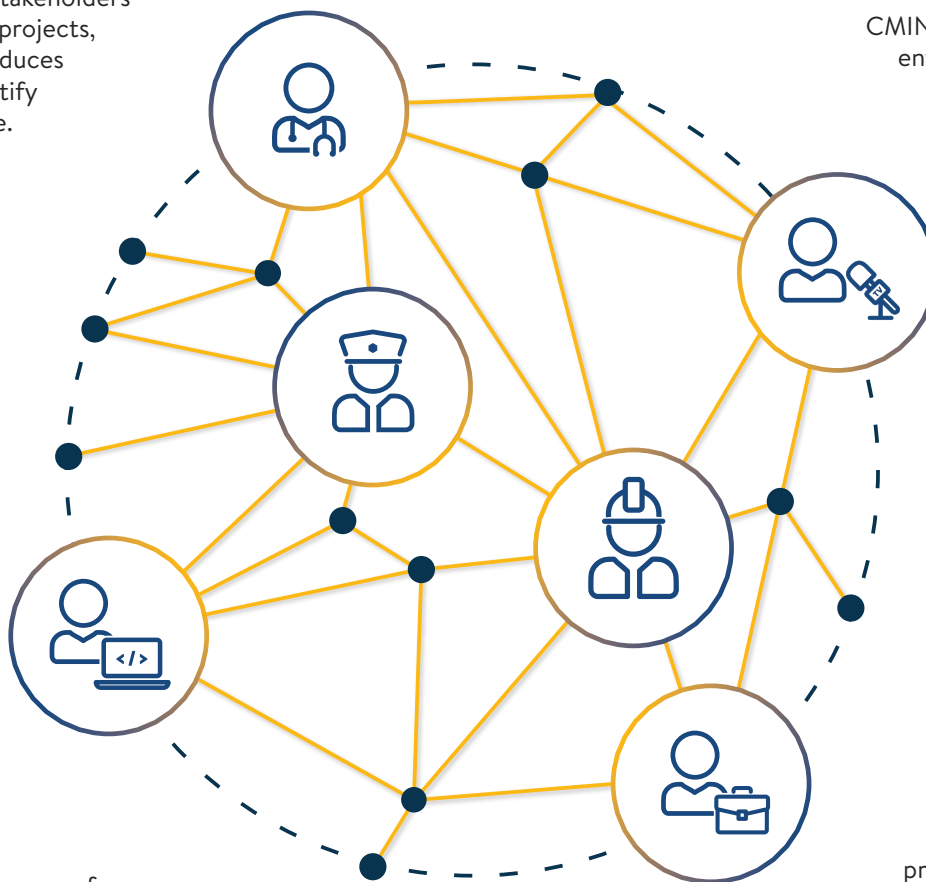
The Crisis Management Innovation Network Europe (CMINE) is a Community of Practice that fosters innovation and enhances a shared understanding in the fields of Crisis Management and Disaster Risk Reduction in Europe. CMINE is creating an umbrella network of stakeholders active in Crisis Management by linking existing projects, networks and initiatives. By doing so, CMINE reduces fragmentation, generates ideas and helps to identify innovative solutions to improve European resilience.

CMINE comprises an online community platform and face-to-face meetings and workshops with the aim of tackling current and future challenges and facilitating the uptake of research and innovation by practitioner organisations. Different Task Groups have been set up to develop approaches aimed at resolving current issues in different Crisis Management domains, such as Floods, Wildfires or Volunteer Management.

CMINE is designed to evolve continuously through collaboration with the aim of becoming a pan-European platform, which is centred on the exchanges between various Crisis Management professionals.

## WHO IS IT FOR?

CMINE aims to bring together a diverse group of stakeholders that would not normally interact with each other on a regular basis. This includes policymakers, practitioners, members of the private sector, NGOs /CSOs, science & research, training & education, media and standardisation representatives.



## ADDED VALUE? WHAT IS THE

CMINE offers its members an online and offline environment to actively engage with other Crisis Management professionals. Its guiding principles and ambitions are to:

**Foster multi-stakeholder and cross-sectoral interaction:** Join a diverse group of stakeholders active in Crisis Management, share knowledge, ideas and work together to solve current and future challenges

**Engage members through a content-driven approach:** Benefit from a structured, moderated and open space to generate ideas and foster innovation through interaction

**Become a hub for Crisis Management Innovation in Europe:** Discover key information such as results of research projects and cutting-edge Crisis Management solutions and stay up to date on Crisis Management news and events

**Provide visibility and networking opportunities to the Crisis Management community:** Showcase your results (e.g. EU-funded research projects) to increase visibility, while expanding your networks through our expert database