

# **Inclusive and participatory disaster risk management in cities**

## **Challenges and opportunities of self-organized citizens in crisis management**

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# History and conditions for the voluntary movement

- **Structural conditions (Sweden)**
  - Centralized state vs federal state
  - Demography
  - History
- **Voluntary movement**
  - voluntary Activities
  - History and development
  - levels of resilience
  - Citizens' relationship with the state



Case 1

# Act of terror, Stockholm 2017

- Transportation
- The unorganized community as an asset
- First aid
- Hosting



## Case 2

# Extensive forest fire 2014

- Transportation
- Food delivery
- Evacuation
- Animal care
- Documentation
- Staff work



**VOLUNTEER POWER**  
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**Thank you for your attention!**

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