



## Debarati Guha-Sapir

Job Title:  Professor, Dept of Public Health, Faculty of Medicine, University of Louvain  
 Professor Adjunct, Tulane University School of Public Health, New Orleans, USA  
 Director, WHO Collaborating Centre on Research on Epidemiology of Disaster

Organization: WHO Collaborating Centre on Research on Epidemiology of Disaster

Major Field: Health systems and operations research; Socio-economic correlates and determinants of health, Epidemiologic methods, Natural disasters and civil conflict

Education:  Ph.D in Epidemiology and Preventive Medicine, Catholic University of Louvain, Brussels, Belgium (1991)  
 Master's Degree in Public Health (M.S. - Epidemiology and Biostatistics), Johns Hopkins University (1977)  
 Bachelor's Degree in Humanities (B.A. Hons.), University of Calcutta (1974)

Job History: Teaching and related work:

- Teaching undergraduate and graduate medical students on health, development, humanitarian aid
- Follow up and supervision of interns and traineeships of Europeans abroad and non-Europeans in my team.
- Supervision of masters and doctoral thesis in Louvain and other European universities

Country Experience in programme development or technical support in:

- China, Mozambique, India, Bangladesh, Philippines, Ethiopia, Botswana, Indonesia, Sudan, Central America, Cambodia, Vietnam, Thailand

Project management

- Project co-ordinator since 1994 for major European Commission, USAID and Belgian government, UNDP projects in India, Sudan, Ethiopia, Caribbean, Central America, Philippines, Cambodia for

public health, reproductive health, disaster preparedness and conflict and health

Other

- Strong connections to European academic institutions and in developing countries
- Field collaboration links with North and South NGOs and UN agencies in particular WHO.