

CatIQ In The News



Insurance Business Canada's Alicja Grzadkowska was among the media presence at CatIQ Connect's February webinar, Catastrophes - 2020 Review, 2021 Preview. Her article, "Biggest Canadian catastrophes of 2020 reveal a significant rise in risk," focuses on the 2020 CATs in Review presentation, given by our own Laura Twidle.

"The past year hasn't just been a unique one in Canada due to the pandemic - it's also been an interesting year because of the variety in severe weather we've seen, and the impact events have had across the country. Notably, 2020 was ranked as the [fourth highest in insured losses since 1983](#).

During CatIQ Connect's February webinar, managing director Laura Twidle outlined the major weather events from the past year, and while it may be hard for many of us to remember what exactly happened in January 2020 when we were living out the last few blissful weeks of our pre-COVID existence, the CatIQ database never forgets."

Read the full article at **Insurance Business Canada**, [here](#).

About CatIQ

Toronto-based Catastrophe Indices and Quantification Inc. (CatIQ) is a subsidiary of Zurich-based PERILS A.G. and delivers detailed analytical and meteorological information on Canadian natural and man-made catastrophes. Through its online subscription-based platform, CatIQ combines comprehensive insured loss and exposure indices and other related information to better serve the needs of the insurance / reinsurance / ILS industries, public sector and other stakeholders www.catiq.com. CatIQ was established in 2014 with the support of the overwhelming majority of the Canadian insurance and reinsurance industry and is widely recognized as the most reliable source of catastrophe loss information in Canada. CatIQ also partners with MSA Research to host the Canadian catastrophe conference, CatIQ Connect, connect.catiq.com which will run quarterly online until Feb 2022 when it will be back in-person on an annual basis.

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