

# 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](#).