Interactive comment on “Hazard impact on settlements: the role of urban and structural morphology” by M. Bostenaru Dan and I. Armas

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We are writing to thank the referee for his positive and valuable feedback.

Indeed, we are developing a methodology to be used in decision making processes to prioritise interventions in historic city centres, exemplified for Bucharest City Centre.

Cultural heritage is a valuable asset in itself, but also because of its contribution to the creation of the identity of locals. Interventions have to be made to preserve cultural heritage in all phases of the disaster cycle: from the preventive retrofit to the reconstruction. We have addressed the importance of the local’s perception in the previous reply. The paper shows which items can be included in the prioritisation. Even more, based on methods, like this one presented in our paper, a local seismic culture can be
created and recorded for the interwar buildings.

Thank you for your efforts to improve our paper. We will amend the abstract, the introduction and the title based on your recommendations.

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