



# *Climate Change and Migration in the Asia-Pacific: Legal and Policy Responses*

NSW Parliament House, Sydney, 10-11 November 2011

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This two-day conference will bring together leading international experts, policymakers, and government officials from affected countries to discuss:

- What is climate change-related migration and displacement?
- Who will move? When? How? How many?
- Do countries have obligations to protect people who move? (so-called 'climate refugees')
- What is the role of human rights law?
- Does climate-related movement pose security risks?
- What does relocation mean for Pacific land tenure systems?
- Does climate change threaten statehood?
- Are new institutions and governance structures required?

## Confirmed speakers include:

- Prof Walter Kälin, University of Bern and former Representative of the UN Secretary-General on the Human Rights of Internally Displaced Persons
- Prof Graeme Hugo, University of Adelaide
- Prof Jon Barnett, University of Melbourne
- Dr François Gemenne, Sciences Po, Paris
- Prof Jane McAdam, University of NSW
- Prof Geoff Gilbert, University of Essex
- Prof Rosemary Rayfuse, UNSW
- Dr Lorraine Elliott, ANU
- Assoc Prof John Campbell, University of Waikato
- Scott Leckie, Displacement Solutions
- Representatives from Kiribati, Tuvalu, the Maldives and Bangladesh

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