



## The University of Melbourne EU Centre on Shared Complex Challenges

presents

a public forum on:

### 'People and Climate Change: Science from Europe'

Monday 8 September 2014

6.00pm-7.30pm

Woodward Conference Centre  
Level 10, 185 Pelham Street, Carlton

A public forum on Monday 8 September is being held to mark Climate Day – designated a joint day of climate action by the governments of the UK, Germany and France. Climate Day celebrates efforts around the world to prepare for an ambitious, achievable and sustainable global deal on climate at the 21st Conference of the Parties (COP 21) in Paris in November 2015.

The event is co-hosted by the Australian German College of Climate and Energy Transitions, the Melbourne Sustainable Society Institute in collaboration with the German Embassy, the Embassy of France and the British High Commission.

Hear from distinguished Australian climate scientists with German and French heritage:



#### Associate Professor Malte Meinshausen

Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research (Germany) and  
Director, Australian-German College of Climate & Energy Transitions

*"5th IPCC Report – Insights on carbon budgets and emission trajectories to stay below 2°C warming"*



#### Dr Bertrand Timbal

Research Scientist, Centre for Australian Weather and Climate Research  
(a partnership between the Bureau of Meteorology and CSIRO)

*"The implications of global climate projections at a regional scale: a perspective from South-Eastern Australia, its recent evolution and likely future direction"*

The forum will also mark the Australian launch by videolink of the UK Met Office report '*Human Dynamics of Climate Change*' which highlights the complex interactions of climate change, water and food availability, population trends and trade patterns; and how these will change significantly by the end of this century, if there is no lowering of global emissions.

Speaker presentations will be followed by an audience Q&A session chaired by:



#### Professor John Wiseman

Deputy Director, Melbourne Sustainable Society Institute

Attendance is free but bookings are essential.

Please register by **5 September** at: [climate-day.eventbrite.com.au](http://climate-day.eventbrite.com.au)

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