



SESSION A4:

Decolonizing policy, practice and research on planned relocation

13th September 2023, Wednesday
08:30 – 10:00 CEST



What do decolonial research and implementation methods look like in contexts faced with growing risks to habitability and potential relocation need?

What changes to research, planning, narratives and funding processes need to happen for communities to truly have a voice and power over decision-making?

How can local and indigenous knowledges be meaningfully integrated into these processes?

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Presentations

- *Reconstructing atoll life on a limestone island: Stories of displacement and resilience by the Gilbertese People*
- Tammy Tabe, East-West Centre, Hawai'i, USA
- *Climate-related voluntary immobility in Fiji*
- Merewalesi Yee, University of Queensland, Australia
- *Thinking forced mobility through a relational lens*
- Dr Giovanna Gini, Queen Mary University of London, United Kingdom
- *"They just deport you back": Lessons from the Ad-hoc Migration of Tuvaluans and I-Kiribati to Aotearoa New Zealand*
- Olivia Yates, University of Auckland, Australia

Moderated Discussion and Q&A
Claudia Fry, UNU-EHS