We invite you to attend the first gathering of the Flinders Migration and Refugee Research Cluster (MARRC)

3:00-5:00 pm
Monday, 14 September 2009
Noel Stockdale Room, Library

Theme: Development, Disasters and Displacement

Professor Xudong Zhao (Dept of Sociology, China Agricultural University) ‘Displacement and resettlement in China’

Dr Yan Tan (NILS, Flinders University) ‘Development induced migration and resettlement’

Other participants invited to share their research interests

Visiting Research Fellow, Professor Xudong Zhao from China Agricultural University, Beijing, will talk briefly about his research which focuses on the resettlement of minority Chinese in the aftermath of the Wenchuan earthquake. Dr Tan will talk about migration and resettlement caused by large scale development projects and climate change. Members are invited to talk about their own research.

MARRC was created in July 2009, and is a focussing and enabling organisation that draws together a wide variety of research, teaching and community outreach activities across Education, Humanities, Law and Theology, the Faculty of Social Science and the Faculty of Health Sciences.

Afternoon tea – for catering purposes please RSVP Mary.Lyons@flinders.edu.au by Thursday, 17 September 09