

# International Climate Change Law: Views from the Global South

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This lecture will view climate change from the perspective of the Global South, including the outsized impact Climate Change will have on unindustrialized countries; the Paris Agreement, which is the international communities' latest attempt to address the problem; the potential role of technology in mitigation and adaptation; and the potential for South-South cooperation. China, the largest emitter of GHGs has now too undertaken a leadership role in climate change mitigation and thus its part in this mosaic will be briefly addressed.



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