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**CLIMATE CRISIS TEACH-IN
OCTOBER 4-9
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**WAKE UP TO
CLIMATE CHANGE**

Climate Migration Panel

People on the Move in a Changing Climate

Tom Herrington, UCI Associate Director

Comprehensive Mitigation & Resilience at the Community Level

Thomas Flynn, Floodplain Manager, Township of Woodbridge, NJ

Ready or Not, Here They Come!: Climate Migrants and Rural Communities

Kevin Geiger, Senior Planner, Two Rivers-Ottawaquechee Regional Commission

Live and Zoom presentation

Live Location: Student Center Anacon B

For invites to in-person class PR 459, the Science and Politics of Climate Change

(maximum 15 seats available)

email cduckett@monmouth.edu no later than 5:00 pm on Monday-October 4.

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Tuesday, October 5, 2021 | 11:40 a.m.– 1:00 p.m.

A recent study by the World Bank determined that as many as 216 million people could move within their own countries due to slow-onset climate change impacts by 2050. More than 13 million Americans could be displaced in U.S. coastal regions due to rising sea levels by 2100 as a result of climate change. Despite the growing body of evidence that the link between climate change and human mobility is inevitable, there is a dearth of knowledge on how shifts in population patterns intersect with underlying socioeconomic, cultural, political, and environmental processes that either enable or constrain the ability of people to cope where they are, or force them to move. Recent migration away from natural disasters offers a typology of domestic climate migration impacts in US cities allowing researchers, planners, and practitioners an opportunity to develop managed migration frameworks for the future. This panel discusses the emerging typology, how climate migration can create equity, and local planning to relocate communities at risk to climate change impacts.