Dear reader

With this week's announcement of the terms of reference for the government's 2017 Climate Review, we're hoping for a thorough, insightful and transparent review of Australia’s climate goals and the mechanisms for achieving them. ANU is aiming to have various inputs into this process - please contact us if you’re interested in participating.

Do also stay tuned for preliminary results of the National Energy Market Security Review (the Finkel Review) on Friday.

This month we’re focussing on international climate action with articles on the impact of Trump’s election, Marrakesh outcomes and a worldwide shift to unilateral climate measures.

Finally, to celebrate the end of the hottest year ever recorded, we hope to see you at our Christmas Drinks on Tuesday evening, following our seminar "Can Humans Survive Human Nature? The Political Psychology of Climate Change" - scroll down for details and to register.

Regards

Professor Mark Howden
Director, Climate Change Institute
Nature? The Political Psychology of Climate Change
4.30-6pm, Tuesday 13 December
Followed by Christmas drinks

Before the Flood
Organised by 350.org
5.30pm, Wednesday 14 December

Marrakech climate talks produced defiance towards Trump, but little else
Dr Luke Kemp, The Conversation, 22 November

Publications

Book Launch - Climate Change and the Health of Nations
5-7pm, Tuesday 7 February

Why governments are going it alone on Climate Change
Professor Peter Drahos & Dr Christian Downey, Global Policy

Presentations from ANU Energy Update, ACT Solar Oration and Energy Change Institute Open Day

Bringing Australia's electricity system into the 21st Century
Professor Ken Baldwin, ANU Reporter
Other ANU News

New ARC Centre of Excellence for Climate Extremes

Dr Nerilie Abraham has been awarded a Vice-Chancellor’s Award for Advancing the Reputation of the University through Media for her work on anthropogenic climate change.

Dr Christopher Fulton has been awarded $25,000 by the Academy of Science to study how marine climate change will affect seaweed growth on coral reefs.