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Governing the Climate: Woodrow Wilson Center, Jan. 12

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Jan. 8, 2009 – “**Governing the Climate: Lessons from the National Conference on Climate Governance**,” a panel comprised of five leading climate change scholars whose work was recently featured at the **National Conference on Climate Governance** at the University of Virginia’s Miller Center of Public Affairs, will take place **Monday, Jan. 12 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.**, at the **Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars in Washington, D.C.** The panel, co-hosted by the Canada Institute and the Environmental Change and Security Program, is supported by the Stockholm Environment Institute. It will be **webcast live** at <http://www.wilsoncenter.org>. In-person attendance is **waiting list only**.

The University of Michigan’s **Barry Rabe** will examine the Congressional capacity to forge coherent climate legislation; **Leigh Raymond** of Purdue University will assess the challenges involved in the development of a carbon cap-and-trade system; the University of New Hampshire’s **Stacy VanDeveer**, along with **Henrik Selin** of Boston University, will discuss the direction of U.S. re-engagement with the world on climate change; and **Christopher Borick** of Muhlenberg College’s Institute of Public Opinion will speak on changing public attitudes toward climate change.

The National Conference on Climate Governance took place at the Miller Center Dec. 11–12, 2008. Audio and video are archived online at <http://www.millercenter.org>.

The Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars is located at the Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center at One Woodrow Wilson Plaza, 1300 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20004-3027.

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