

Margins of the Sea

PEACE | GLOBAL UNDERSTANDING | CLIMATE CHANGE

May 14 & 15, 2019

East-West Center, Keoni Auditorium

University of Hawai'i Campus

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We are pleased to announce *The Margins of the Sea* preview, introducing an annual series of international summits that value peace, greater global awareness and environmental stewardship. Celebrated speakers will help create connections to elevate thinking and suggest alternative solutions to climate change by engaging people through the arts, humanities, film and literature.

Registration

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May 14

Keynote Address & Reception
\$40

May 15

Panel Presentation, Film Clips & Reception
\$40

Parking

Available for \$6 at the University of Hawai'i Kennedy Theatre and School of Engineering lots

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East-West Center at University of Hawai'i, Honolulu Museum of Art, Matsunaga Institute for Peace and Conflict Resolution at the University of Hawai'i, Shangri La Museum of Islamic Art, Culture & Design, and Bintang Beer.



KEYNOTE ADDRESS

The Pacific: Where Geopolitics & Nature Intersect

Tuesday, May 14
5:30 pm - 7 pm

Reception to Follow

It is conventionally accepted that the Pacific will be the stage for some kind of confrontation between the United States and China, or one of her proxies. But what if other forces were at work, more dangerous still, and with consequences likely to affect everyone around the planet's largest and most important ocean?

Simon Winchester, OBE, a best-selling British writer, journalist and broadcaster, has spent his career as a correspondent in the UK, US, Middle East, South America and Asia. In 1997, he moved to New York and penned the *New York Times* best-seller, *The Professor and the Madman*. He now works entirely as an author having written many successful non-fiction titles including *Pacific*, *Krakatoa* and *The Map that Changed the World*. Mr. Winchester was made an Officer of the Order of the British Empire 'for services to journalism and literature' in 2006.



PANEL DISCUSSION

Climate Change & Social Justice

Wednesday, May 15
5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Reception to Follow

Maxine Burkett is a professor at University of Hawaii School of Law and Co-Founder and Executive Director of Institute for Climate and Peace. She is a Global Fellow of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars.

James Redford is a serial storyteller, social change filmmaker, co-founder of KPJR Films and Chair of the Redford Center.

Maya Soetoro-Ng is a consultant to the Obama Foundation working to develop international programs in the Asia Pacific region and co-founder of the Institute for Climate and Peace. She was previously Director of the Matsunaga Institute of Peace and Conflict Resolution at University of Hawai'i and currently teaches courses on peace and leadership at the University.

Moderated by **Chip Fletcher**, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Professor of Earth Science in the School of Ocean and Earth Science and Technology, University of Hawai'i.

