

## WORKSHOP ANNOUNCEMENT BUILDING AFRICAN LEADERSHIP ON POPULATION AND CLIMATE CHANGE

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**Speke Resort and Conference Center Munyonyo  
Kampala, Uganda, November 15, 2009**

**WHAT:** In coordination with the International Family Planning Conference in Uganda, the Population Reference Bureau (PRB), with support from the Compton Foundation, is organizing a one day workshop to offer African professionals, researchers, and policymakers the opportunity to learn about and discuss population and climate change linkages and the role of family planning. The workshop will be held on Sunday, the 15th of November, 2009, at the Speke Resort Hotel, prior to the opening of the International Family Planning Conference.

**WHY:** Climate change poses one of the greatest challenges for health and development in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. Countries in the developing world least responsible for emissions are likely to experience the greatest impacts. At the same time, rapid population growth, in regions such as sub-Saharan Africa, increases vulnerability to the consequences of climate change. Recent experts meetings have discussed population-climate change relationships, but unfortunately there have been few African participants.

**GOAL:** The goal of this workshop is to create a cadre of African professionals, researchers, and policymakers who are knowledgeable about population and climate change and who are empowered to participate in discussions of the role of social adaptation strategies, including family planning, in national action plans and organizational strategies that address climate change.

**WHO SHOULD APPLY:** Developing country professionals with a background in population, health, or the environment and with interdisciplinary interests. Prior experience with climate change is not necessary, but a high level of interest is expected.

**For more information, contact PRB at [slandi@prb.org](mailto:slandi@prb.org) with completed application form and 1-page CV.**

## APPLICATION FORM

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## Participant Information

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**Reason for Interest  
In Workshop:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Please fax the completed form with 1-page CV to (202) 328-3937 or email it to [slandi@prb.org](mailto:slandi@prb.org). Participation in the workshop will be limited to 25 participants. Financial support may be available.