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# A Hypothetical Future

## HOW WILL WORLD POPULATION IMPACT US IN 50 YEARS?

With a current world population of 6.8 billion, projected to be 9 billion by 2050, what will our lives be like in another fifty years? Our consumption is causing scarcity of resources, food production is struggling to meet demand, almost everything we do destroys delicate ecosystems and our greenhouse gas emissions keep growing. Meanwhile, we all believe in a basic human right to reproduce.

This UTSpeaks presents a diverse panel of UTS experts to speculate on a future where overpopulation may be the key force impacting every aspect of human life. Led by ABC *Catalyst* presenter Dr Paul Willis, you will be invited to participate in predicting what our future may hold in store.

### EXPERT PANEL

Professor Dexter Dunphy AM, Business and Sustainability  
Professor Jill McKeough, Law  
Professor Derek Eamus, Environmental Science  
Ms Michelle Rumsey, International Health and WHO  
Professor Peter Manning, News Media

### MODERATED BY

Dr Paul Willis, ABC *Catalyst*

### When

Wednesday 24 June 2009  
6.00pm drinks for 6.30pm start  
Concludes 8.00pm

### Where

University Hall  
UTS Science Building 4  
745 Harris Street Ultimo  
(Diagonally opposite the ABC)

### Transport

UTS is only ten minutes walk from Central Station, Eddy Avenue and Railway Square bus stops. Call 131 500 for routes and times. Parking is available for those with a disability or special need to drive: Peter Johnson Building Basement Car Park 702-730 Harris St, Ultimo.

### RSVP

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