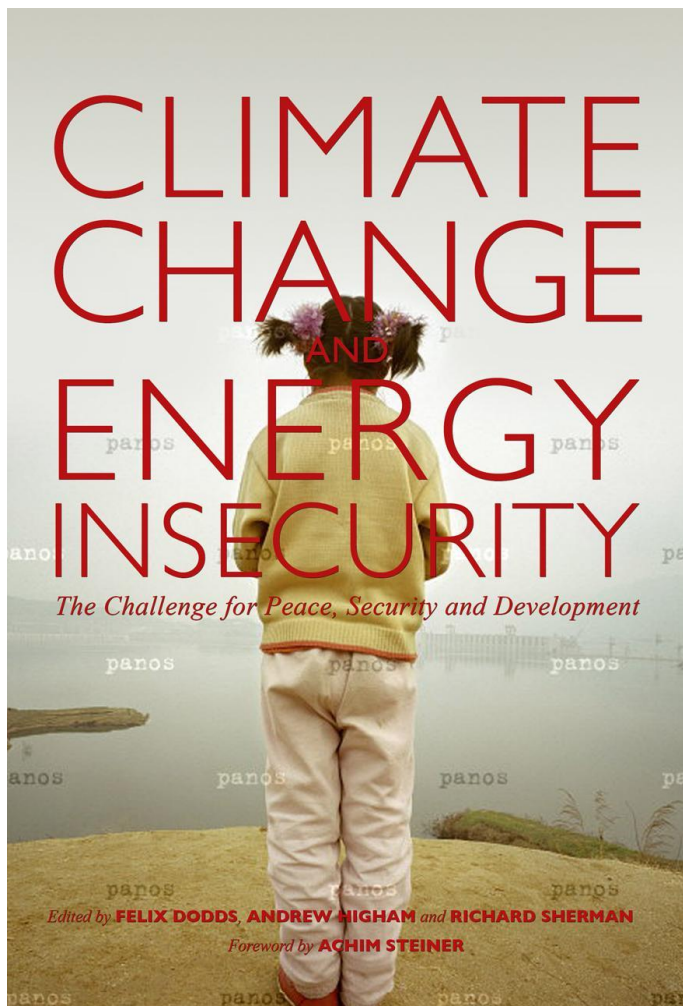


Climate Change and Energy Insecurity

The challenge for Peace Security and Development

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Climate change is now recognised as one of the greatest challenges facing the international community and when coupled with energy production and use – the most significant contributor to climate change – and the related security problems, the double threat to international security and human development is of the highest order. This wide-ranging book brings together leading thinkers from academia, government and civil society to examine and address the global insecurity and development challenges arising from the twin thrust of climate change and the energy supply crunch. It lays out the solutions available to the international community to address and avert climate change and energy instability via the multilateral framework under the United Nations.

“Climate and energy are two of the most urgent and formidable issues of our times. This seminal text comprehensively details our challenges and explains the ways in which they are inextricably linked to human rights and environmental stewardship”

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“This book is an important contribution to exploring this vital part of the environmental security agenda”

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