

National Consultative Committee on Disarmament
Conference May 2009
Eliminating Nuclear Weapons
No Longer The Impossible Dream
Sunday 24 May 2009
Legislative Council Chamber
and Grand Hall Parliament

Pre Conference Function: 3.30 -5.00 pm

- International Women's Day for Disarmament to honour women working for Peace – Hon Georgina Te Heuheu Minister for Disarmament
- Winds of Change Exhibition, Flowering of the Globe

4.30 Afternoon Tea.

Opening Session Conference: 5 .00- 8 pm.

- Opening Address on behalf of New Zealand Government
Minister for Disarmament: Hon Georgina Te Heuheu
- Keynote Visiting Speaker: Rt Hon Malcolm Fraser
Former Prime Minister Australia

Monday May 25 9am – 5.30 pm
Turnbull House Bowen Street

Major Sessions:

- Global Initiatives: Dr Marianne Hanson, Jamila Hodayun, Edwina Hughes
Lyndon Burford
- Pacific Emphasis: Ema Tagicakibau, Akiwa Kawasaki
- Multilateral Initiatives: Dr Kate Dewes, Dr Joan Mosely, Natasha Barnes

Panel Discussion:

- Cross Party Parliamentarians
- Youth Initiatives: Wilson Chau, Rosemary Wyber, Areti Metuamate
- Non Governmental Organisations: PCRC, NCCD, PMA, IPPNW

Small Group Discussion

- Topics determined by Conference

Plenary Session

Conference Dinner: Guest Speaker: Dr Kevin Clements Otago University