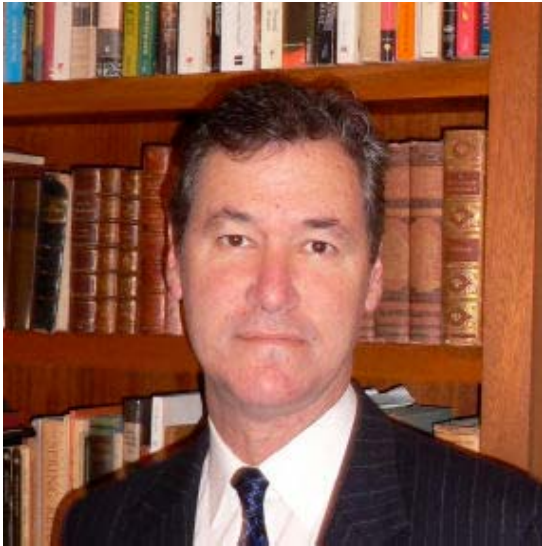


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Climate change poses complex and significant economic risks to California. This study, a “Stern report” for the state economy, is intended to alert stakeholders to the importance and immediacy of the climate adaptation agenda.

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