



Australian Government  
Department of Immigration and Citizenship



# Invitation

The DIAC Tasmania Office invites you to our  
Refugee Week Event 2008

## Public Lecture: Refugees in Tasmania

**Date:** Friday 20 June 2008

**Time:** 6:00 – 8:00pm

**Venue:** Sir Raymond Ferral Lecture Theatre No 5  
Launceston University of Tasmania Campus

**Event:**

Australia's Refugee Week is from Sunday June 15 to Saturday June 21 2008 and is a national celebration held each year. The theme for Refugee Week this year is "A Place to Call Home". At this public lecture you will learn about the refugees who are calling Tasmania home in 2008 and beyond. Margaret Piper from the Refugee Resettlement and Advisory Council will provide a keynote address on Australia's humanitarian program. You will hear from a local former-refugee about their story since arriving as a refugee and starting a new life in Tasmania. A service provider will also speak on the subject of the services refugees receive upon arrival as well as how you can help refugees call Tasmania home.

Light refreshments will be provided.

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